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PRIVATE AND SPECIAL LAWS

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE.

1907.

Chapter 230.

An Act to incorporate the West Farmington Water District.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in Legislature assembled, as follows:

Corporate limits.

Section 1. The following described territory, and the people within the same, namely, so much of the town of Farmington, in the county of Franklin, as is bounded on the east by Sandy river; on the south and west by the Temple mill stream, and on the north by the Yeaton and Scribner pastures and the lot line so called; shall constitute a body politic and corporate under the name of the West Farmington Water District, for the purpose of supplying the inhabitants of said district with hydrants, and sufficient apparatus and appliances for fire purposes.

—corporate name, purpose.

May contract for hydrants.

Section 2. Said water district is hereby authorized for the purposes aforesaid to contract with the Farmington Village Corporation for such hydrants as said water district may vote to take of said Farmington Village Corporation, and at such price and for such periods of time as said water district and said Farmington Village Corporation may mutually agree upon.

Management shall be by board of three assessors.

Section 3. All the affairs of said water district shall be managed by a board of assessors composed of three members to be chosen by ballot, by the legal voters within said water district, the first election to be held to be at the meeting of the legal voters of said water district called to accept this act, one to serve until the annual meeting in nineteen hundred and eight, one to serve until the annual meeting in nineteen hundred and nine and one to serve until the annual meeting in nineteen hundred and ten.

Vacancies, how filled.

Whenever the term of an assessor shall expire the legal voters of said water district shall elect a successor to serve for the full term of three years, and if any other vacancy occurs it may be filled in like manner for the unexpired term. The annual election of officers shall be in the month of January, the date to be determined by the voters of said water district.

—annual election.

All money raised, how assessed.

Section 4. All money raised by said water district for the purposes aforesaid, shall be assessed upon the property and polls within the aforesaid territory, by the assessors of said water district in the same manner as is provided by law for the assessment of county and town taxes; and said assessors may copy the last valuation of said property by the assessors of the town of Farmington, and assess the taxes thereon, if said water district shall so direct, and may abate any tax by them so assessed, the tax on polls not to exceed, at any one assessment the sum of one dollar, to any one person, in any one year.

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Section 5. Said water district shall elect a clerk annually who shall perform all the duties usually performed by such officer.

Shall have a clerk.

Section 6. All the incidental powers, rights and privileges necessary to the accomplishment of the main object herein set forth are hereby granted to the water district hereby created.

Incidental powers granted.

Section 7. This act shall take effect when accepted by a majority vote of the legal voters within said water district voting at a meeting to be specially called and held for the purpose, and Frank N. Harris and E. Howard Lowell or either of them are hereby authorized to call said meeting.

This act shall take effect when accepted by legal voters of water district.

Said meeting shall be called, advertised and conducted according to the law relating to municipal elections. The clerk of the town of Farmington shall reduce the subject matter of this act to the following question: "Shall the act to incorporate the West Farmington Water District be accepted?" and the legal voters within said water district shall vote 'Yes' and 'No' their opinion of the same. The votes so cast shall be returned to and the result thereof declared by the selectmen of the town of Farmington and a certificate thereof filed by the town clerk of the town of Farmington with the secretary of state. This act shall take effect when approved by the governor so far as necessary to empower the calling and holding of such meeting.

Special meeting, how called.

—form of vote to be submitted.

—return of votes.

Section 8. This act shall take effect when approved.

Approved March 13, 1907.

Chapter 231.

An Act to incorporate the Penobscot Trust Company.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in Legislature assembled, as follows:

Section 1. Seth H. Morgan, George F. West, Fred Atwood, A. R. Fellows, or such of them as may by vote accept this charter, with their associates, successors or assigns, are hereby made a body corporate and politic to be known as the Penobscot Trust Company, and as such shall be possessed of all the powers, privileges and immunities and subject to all the duties and obligations, conferred on corporations by law, and especially all of the powers, privileges and immunities, duties, obligations, regulations, restrictions, liabilities and penalties now or hereafter provided by the public laws of the state relating to trust and banking companies, the several provisions of which said public laws are hereby declared to apply, and shall apply, to this com-

Corporators.

—corporate name.