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### ACTS AND RESOLVES

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tic, sanitary and municipal purposes including the extinguishing of fires, the towns of Searsport and Stockton Springs shall have a joint prior right thereto ahead of any of the other territory named in this charter.

and Stockton Springs shall have prior right thereto.

Section 17. The first meeting of said corporation may be called by any corporator within named by notice thereof in writing signed by said corporator and given in hand or mailed to each of the other corporators, at least seven days before said meeting, and any corporator may act at said meeting, by written proxy.

First meeting, how called.

Approved March 26, 1909.

### Chapter 316.

An Act to amend the Charter of the Peaks Island Water and Light Company.

Be it enacted by the People of the State of Maine, as follows:

Section one of chapter two hundred and forty-nine of the private and special acts of nineteen hundred and seven is hereby amended by striking out the period at the end of the last line thereof and adding thereto the following: 'and transmitting, supplying, selling and distributing electricity for light, heat and power on said island,' so that said section as amended, shall read as follows:

Section 1, Chapter 249 special laws, 1907, amended.

'Section I. Edgar E. Rounds, Walter S. Crandall and Emma Rounds, their associates, successors and assigns, are hereby constituted a body corporate and politic by the name of the Peaks Island Water and Light Company for the purpose of supplying Peaks Island in the city of Portland with pure water, and transmitting, supplying, selling and distributing electricity for light, heat and power on said island.'

Corporators.

-corporate

Approved March 26, 1909.

#### Chapter 317.

An Act to amend the charter of the Trustees of Machiasport Bridge. Be it enacted by the People of the State of Maine, as follows:

Section 1. Section four of chapter four hundred and twenty-one of the private and special laws of nineteen hundred and seven is hereby repealed.

Section 2. The inhabitants of the town of Machiasport and the inhabitants of the town of East Machias shall each year raise, appropriate and pay over, equally, to the said trustees

Section 4, Chapter 421, special laws, 1907, repealed. Towns shall annually raise money equally.

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such sum as in the judgment of the said trustees shall be necessary for the maintaining and operating said bridge and all sums not expended shall be carried to the use of the year next following, and in like manner any deficit may be added to the estimate for such year.

County Commissioners shall appoint trustees when town fails to elect. Section 3. Whenever either of said towns shall fail, or has failed, to elect trustees, at any regular annual town meeting, the county commissioners shall appoint the same on petition of five legal voters of such town, after notice and hearing. All trustees, elected or appointed, shall serve until their successors are elected or appointed.

Approved March 26, 1909.

### Chapter 318.

An Act to regulate the hunting of Deer in the towns of Camden, Rockport and Hope, in Knox County, and in the towns of Lincolnville and Searsmont, in Waldo County.

Be it enacted by the People of the State of Maine, as follows:

Close time on deer for three years, Section 1. For a period of three years from the time this act takes effect it shall be unlawful to hunt, chase, catch, kill or destroy any deer at any time in the towns of Camden, Rockport and Hope, in Knox county, or in the towns of Lincolnville and Searsmont, in Waldo county.

—unlawful to have deer in possession. It shall also be unlawful for any person to have in possession at any time any deer taken in either of the above named towns.

-penalty for violation of this act. Whoever violates any of the provisions of this act shall be subject to the same penalty as is provided in the general law of the state for the illegal hunting, chasing, catching and killing of deer.

Jurisdiction of courts. Section 2. In all prosecutions arising under this act, municipal and police courts and trial justices within their respective counties shall have, upon complaint, original and concurrent jurisdiction with the supreme judicial and superior courts, and all fines, penalties and forfeitures recovered by any person for any violation of this act shall be paid forthwith by the person receiving the same to the state treasurer and credited to license fees and fines for the protection of birds and game.

-fines, how disposed of.

Approved March 26, 1909.