

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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ACTS AND RESOLVES  
OF THE  
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OF THE  
STATE OF MAINE.

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PRIVATE AND SPECIAL LAWS

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE

As Passed by the Seventy-fifth  
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the expiration of five years from the opening for use and service of a system of water works constructed by said corporation and after a vote in a legal town meeting to that effect has been passed, shall have the right to purchase, and by this act said corporation is required to sell to said town or any water district including said town or a portion of said town, said system of water works including everything appurtenant thereto, and if said town or said water district and said corporation cannot agree upon the terms and price, then such terms and such price shall be determined and fixed by the chief justice of the supreme court of the state of Maine, after due hearing of the parties interested, and from the decision of said chief justice there shall be no appeal.

—by and after vote of town.

—corporation shall sell.

—terms of sale, how fixed.

Approved March 10, 1911.

**Chapter 86.**

An Act relating to the merger of the Portland Trust Company into the Fidelity Trust Company.

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

Section 1. The merger of the Portland Trust Company into the Fidelity Trust Company upon such terms as said companies have mutually agreed or shall mutually agree, is hereby authorized and confirmed, subject to the final approval in writing of the bank commissioner.

Merger to be confirmed by bank commissioner.

Section 2. Such merger shall not be deemed to work a dissolution of said Portland Trust Company or a termination of its corporate existence or franchise, but the corporate existence of said Portland Trust Company shall be continued to the Fidelity Trust Company and all the privileges and franchises said Portland Trust Company and all its rights, titles and interests in and to every species of property and things in action shall, immediately upon the approval of the bank commissioner as provided in the preceding section, without any deed or transfer be vested in said Fidelity Trust Company to hold and enjoy in the same manner and to the same extent as the said Portland Trust Company had formerly held and enjoyed the same but said Portland Trust Company may in its discretion execute one or more deeds or documents of conveyance, transferring and confirming all its rights, titles and interests aforesaid to and in said Fidelity Trust Company. The rights of creditors of said Portland Trust Company so merged shall not in any manner be impaired by such merger and the Fidelity Trust Company, upon such merger, shall continue to exercise in its own name,

Portland Trust Company dissolved.

—continued to Fidelity Trust Company.

—without deed of transfer.

—certain deeds, authorized.

—rights of creditors.

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—Portland trust company not to make reports to bank commissioner.  
—returns shall be made by Fidelity trust company.

or in the name of said Portland Trust Company if required, and be subject to, all the duties, relations, obligations, trusts and liabilities of said Portland Trust Company whether as debtor, depository, registrar, transfer agent, executor, trustee or otherwise, and be held liable to pay and discharge all such debts and liabilities and perform all such duties and trusts in the same manner and to the same extent as if said Fidelity Trust Company had itself incurred the obligation or liability or assumed the duty, relation or trust; and no suit, action or other proceeding pending before any court or tribunal in which said Portland Trust Company is a party shall be deemed to have abated or discontinued by reason of such merger. No reports or returns to the bank commissioner or otherwise shall be required of said Portland Trust Company when so merged, but all returns required by law shall be made by the Fidelity Trust Company and shall include all assets, liabilities and trusts of said Portland Trust Company received or assumed by said Fidelity Trust Company under said merger. No other corporation shall use or take the name of Portland Trust Company without the consent of said Fidelity Trust Company.

Approved March 10, 1911.

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### Chapter 87.

An Act additional to Chapter four hundred and six of the Private and Special Laws of eighteen hundred and fifty, entitled "An Act creating the Norway Village Corporation," as amended by Chapter four hundred and fifty-one of the Private and Special Laws of eighteen hundred and fifty-one, Chapter three hundred and fourteen of the Private and Special Laws of eighteen hundred and seventy, Chapter one hundred and eighty-five of the Private and Special Laws of eighteen hundred and seventy-five, Chapter three hundred and nine of the Private and Special Laws of nineteen hundred and one, Chapter two hundred and fourteen of the Private and Special Laws of nineteen hundred and five, relating to a public sewer for said Corporation.

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

Assessors shall assess sewer tax.

Section 1. It shall be the duty of the assessors of the Norway Village Corporation, when said corporation, has constructed and completed any public drain or common sewer, to determine what lots or parcels of land are benefited by such drain or sewer, and to estimate and assess upon such lots and parcels of land, and against the owner thereof, or person in possession, or against whom the taxes thereon shall be assessed, whether said person to whom the assessment is so made shall be the owner, tenant, lessee or agent, and whether the same is occu-