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OF THE

SEVENTY-SIXTH LEGISLATURE

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE

1913

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PRIVATE AND SPECIAL LAWS

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE

As Passed by the Seventy-Sixth
Legislature

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CHAP. 220

—hearing shall be fixed.

section seven of chapter twenty-three of the revised statutes. Any person or corporation claiming damages, as aforesaid, shall within sixty days after the opening of said bridge and its approaches to public travel present his claim in writing to said county commissioners. The said commissioners shall fix a time for hearing said claims, first giving thirty days' notice to said claimants and the attorney general of the state of the time and place appointed for said hearing.

Appeal, how made.

Section 2. Any person aggrieved by the decision of said county commissioners may appeal to the supreme judicial court in the manner provided by chapter twenty-three of the revised statutes relating to ways.

Damages, by whom paid.

Section 3. Said damages shall be paid by the state of Maine upon final judgment, upon warrants of the governor and council.

Approved April 4, 1913.

Chapter 220.

An Act to Amend Sections Fourteen and Fifteen of Chapter Three Hundred Ninety-three of the Private and Special Laws of Nineteen Hundred Nine Relating to the Millinocket Municipal Court.

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

Section 14 of chap. 393 P. & S. laws of 1909, amended.

Section fourteen of chapter three hundred ninety-three of the private and special laws of nineteen hundred nine, is hereby amended by striking out the words "said town of" in the seventh line, and the word "Millinocket" in the eighth line, and inserting in the place thereof the words 'the county of Penobscot' and by striking out the word "town" in the eleventh line, and inserting in the place thereof the word 'county' so that said section as amended shall read as follows:

Town may vote to provide a court room.

'Section 14. The town of Millinocket may, if it shall so vote, at any regularly held town meeting, provide a suitable court room in said Millinocket, conveniently situated and appropriately fitted up and furnished, in which to hold said court, and keep the same in proper condition for use, and it shall be deemed and denominated the court room, though used also for other purposes if approved by the judge. The county of Penobscot shall provide for said court an appropriate seal and all blanks, blank books, dockets, stationery, and other things necessary for the transaction of its business; and said county is hereby authorized to appropriate money therefor.'

County of Penobscot shall provide seal etc.

Salary of judge and of recorder.

'Section 15. The judge shall receive a salary in full for all services of six hundred dollars per annum to be paid him by

the county of Penobscot, and the recorder a salary of four hundred dollars per annum paid quarterly.' CHAP. 221

Approved April 4, 1913.

Chapter 221.

An Act to Permit the Town of Pittsfield to Obtain a Pure Water Supply.

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

Section 1. The town of Pittsfield in the county of Somerset, by its municipal officers acting for and in behalf of said town, is authorized and empowered to take water from a pond known as White's pond, or from a pond known as Hicks' pond, both of said ponds being located in the town of Palmyra in the county of Somerset, or from a pond in the town of Hartland in said county known as Starbird pond, or make a contract with any person or corporation to supply water in sufficient quantities for domestic, municipal, manufacturing and industrial purposes, including sufficient quantities to extinguish fires, supply hotels, laundries, livery stables, business places and private dwellings, as well as for sprinkling lawns and streets, and for the purposes aforesaid to convey any of the waters aforesaid by aqueducts or pipes sunk to any depth desirable for said purposes and to lay said aqueducts or pipes under or over any water course, stream, brook, street or highway in such manner as not unnecessarily to obstruct the same, and to take up, replace and repair all such aqueducts or pipes as may be necessary for conveying any of the aforesaid waters to the town of Pittsfield; provided, however, that if water is taken as aforesaid from said Starbird pond, the amount taken shall not diminish the supply necessary for the use of the Hartland Water Company.

Section 2. For the purpose of carrying out the provisions of this act, said town of Pittsfield by its municipal officers shall have power and is hereby authorized to take and hold by purchase or otherwise any lands or real estate necessary for laying and maintaining pipes, aqueducts, locks, gates, hydrants, dams, standpipes, reservoirs for conveying, storing, holding and distributing and for roadways to be used as approaches thereto, doing no unnecessary damage; the said town of Pittsfield, by its municipal officers, may enter upon said lands or real estate so taken and held to make surveys and locations, and shall file in the registry of deeds in the county in which such lands or property lie plans of such and locations showing the property taken within said county of Somerset; and within

Sources of water supply.

—White's pond.

—Hicks' pond.

—Starbird pond.

—May contract for water.

—may lay aqueducts, etc.

—proviso.

Town of Pittsfield may purchase or take lands.

—may enter on lands to make surveys. etc.

—shall file locations of lands.