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CHAP. 228 disinterested civil engineer of the entire cost of rebuilding said bridge, with its piers and abutments, in a suitable manner, and of making the same and its approaches permanent and safe for public travel, and shall cause said estimates to be kept in their office in Bath open for public inspection for at least thirty days before the first Monday of September next.

Regulations for meeting of voters in the City of Bath.

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After acceptance of this act, inconsistent acts repealed. Section 9. At the meeting in the city of Bath to be held under the provisions hereof, the check lists used at the March nineteen hundred and thirteen municipal election, or copies thereof certified by the city clerk, shall be used. The board of registration shall be in session only on the day of said meeting, and any person legally qualified to vote at said meeting, whose name shall not be found upon said lists, may receive a certificate of his qualification from said board, and shall thereupon be permitted by the proper ward officers to cast his ballot as if his name were on the list. The vote at the meetings in said city and towns shall be by open ballot.

Section 10. If this act shall be accepted by the voters of Sagadahoc county, as hereinbefore provided, all acts and parts of acts inconsistent with this act shall thereby be repealed.

Approved April 7, 1913.

Chapter 229.

An Act to Incorporate the Trustees of the John B. Curtis Free Public Library in Bradford.

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

The three selectmen, the superintending school

Corporators.

Section 1.

-corporate name.

---corporate powers, committee, the superintendent of schools, the town clerk, and the town treasurer of the town of Bradford in the county of Penobscot and state of Maine, and their successors in said offices, and Horace K. Richardson, Roscoe N. Doore, Frank E. Pickering, Lorenzo C. Vannah, William F. Humphrey and Newell Randall, all of said Bradford, and their successors, are hereby constituted a body corporate under the name of the Trustees of the John B. Curtis Free Public Library in Bradford, with power to take, hold, and manage real and personal estate to the amount not exceeding one hundred thousand dollars, for the purpose of establishing and maintaining a free public library and reading room in said Bradford, and by that name shall have power to take, hold and manage all such gifts, grants, bequests and demises as shall be made to them for these purposes. Said corporation shall have all the corporate powers given to like corporations by the public laws of Maine; and also to establish and execute such by-laws and regulations as they shall judge necessary or convenient for the proper management of their corporate affairs, not being contrary to the laws of this state. The whole number of the board of trustees shall not at any time exceed fifteen.

Section 2 And be it further enacted, that at the first meeting of the trustees after the passage of this act they shall proceed to resolve the six members last mentioned by name into three classes of two members each: the seats of the first class shall be vacated at the end of the second year; of the second class at the end of the fourth year; and of the third class at the end of the sixth year; they shall elect one of their number president, who shall be the presiding officer of the board of trustees, and a vice-president who shall preside in the absence of the president, and a suitable person as secretary of the board of trustees. The board shall also elect three of their own body as an executive committee, and the trustees shall fix on the time for the regular meetings of the board, and on application of any five of the trustees to the secretary it shall be his duty to appoint a special meeting of the board of trustees, of which he shall give notice, by letter, to each of the members; and at any meeting of the board seven members shall constitute a quorum to do business. All vacancies in the three classes of trustees, especially mentioned by name in the preceding section, occurring from any cause whatsoever shall be filled by the board of trustees; and all elections, whether of trustees or officers of the board, shall be in all cases by ballot; and all financial matters involving receipts or expenditures shall be audited by the executive committee.

Approved April 7, 1913.

Chapter 230.

An Act to Supply the Town of Winthrop with Pure Water.

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

Section I. The town of Winthrop by a commission as hereinafter provided, acting for and in behalf of said town is authorized to take, hold, divert, use and distribute water from Narrows pond, so called, in said Winthrop, and from Lake Maranacook in the towns of Winthrop and Readfield, either or both, and from any surface or underground brooks, springs, wells or streams in said Winthrop for the purpose of supply-

Sources of authorized water supply.

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Terms of members of trustees.

—officers of the board of trustees.

—executive committee.

—quorum of trustees.

—vacancies how filled.