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OF THE

STATE OF MAINE

1917

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Chapter 91.

An Act to Provide for Street Lights on Old Town Indian Island No. 1.

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

Sec. 1. Installation of street lights authorized. The Bangor Power Company is hereby authorized to establish and maintain six electric lights, of eighty candle power each, at an annual cost not to exceed twenty dollars per light, on the streets of the Indian village situate on Old Town Indian island No. 1 in the reservation of the Penobscot tribe of Indians.

Sec. 2. Authorized to set poles and string wires. Permission is hereby granted to said power company to set such poles on said streets, and string wires thereon, as are necessary for the installing and maintenance of said lights; said poles to be located on said streets at such places as may be designated by the agent of said tribe.

Sec. 3. Rental, how paid. The annual cost for the maintenance of said lights shall be paid for out of the fifteen per cent. shore rentals set apart for municipal purposes of said tribe.

Approved March 23, 1917.

Chapter 92.

An Act to Provide a Common on Old Town Indian Island No. 1.

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

Sec. 1. Lot number ten converted into a common. Lot numbered ten situate on Old Town Indian island No. 1 within the reservation of the Penobscot tribe of Indians, which said lot numbered ten is bounded as follows: easterly by the westerly line of Center street; northerly by the southerly line of lots numbered fifteen and thirteen; westerly by the easterly line of lots numbered twelve and eleven; southerly by a portion of the northerly line of lot numbered eight and the northerly line of lot numbered seven, according to the plan of Old Town Indian island No. 1 made by J. W. and J. Sewall in June eighteen hundred seventy-nine, the aforesaid lot numbered ten never having been allotted or assigned to any member or members of said tribe, is hereby set apart and designated as a public common for the general use of the members of the aforesaid tribe of Indians.

Sec. 2. Uses. Said common is to be occupied and used by the members of said tribe for all lawful purposes and in the same manner and for such purposes as other commons established and maintained in and by the cities, towns, and municipalities in the State of Maine, are used and occupied.

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Sec. 3. Lot forever reserved. No part or portion of said lot hereby set apart and designated as a common for the public use of said tribe of Indians shall ever be allotted or assigned to any member or members of said tribe of Indians by the agent of the Penobscot tribe of Indians.

Approved March 23, 1917.

Chapter 93.

An Act to Extend the Rights, Powers and Privileges of the Guilford Manufacturing Company for the Erection and Maintenance of Piers and Booms in the Piscataquis River.

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

Charter revived and extended for period of ten years. The rights, powers and privileges, which were granted to the Guilford Manufacturing Company, by sections one and two of chapter two hundred and twenty of the private and special laws of the year nineteen hundred and nine, are hereby revived and extended, for and during the period of ten years from the date on which this act takes effect, and the rights, powers and privileges that were thereby granted may be exercised in the same manner and for the same purposes as provided in said sections one and two of said act.

Approved March 23, 1917.

Chapter 94.

An Act Additional to and Amendatory of Chapter Two Hundred Six of the Private and Special Laws of Nineteen Hundred Seven Relating to the West Branch Driving and Reservoir Dam Company.

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

Sec. 1. Authorized to sell to Great Northern Paper Company right to take water; provisos. The West Branch Driving and Reservoir Dam Company, a corporation organized under the laws of this state, and authorized by chapter two hundred six of the private and special laws of nineteen hundred and seven to build and maintain a dam at Ripogenus on the West Branch of the Penobscot river, and owning North Twin Dam, is further authorized to sell or lease to the Great Northern Paper Company, a corporation organized under the laws of this state, the right to take and use water raised or stored by said dams, or either of them, to be used by said Great Northern Paper Company in developing power or augmenting power already developed, and to contract with said Great Northern Paper Company to deliver said water to it upon the lower side of said dams, or to allow said Great Northern Paper Company to draw said water out of the ponds raised by said dams by means of its own appliances, upon such terms as the companies may agree upon, and for that purpose to construct and maintain said dams and their appurtenances in such a manner as to