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Acts and Resolves

As Passed by the

Seventy-Ninth Legislature

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE

1919

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Private and Special Laws

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private and special laws of nineteen hundred and one, as amended by chapter three hundred and thirty-one of the private and special laws of nineteen hundred and nine, is hereby amended by adding thereto the following provisions:

- 'Sec. 1. Actions of forcible entry and detainer, court to be in constant session for determination of. Said court shall be in constant session to hear and determine actions of forcible entry and detainer. If returnable at a day on which regular terms of said court are held they shall be returnable thereto, if not they shall be returnable at the town in which the judge of said court resides. If an appearance for the defendant is entered the court may proceed to hear said action or may fix a time and place for hearing.'
- 'Sec. 2. Court may be held at other places in county at request of certain authorities. At the request of the county attorney, together with that of the sheriff, a deputy sheriff or the commissioner of inland fisheries and game, the judge of said court is hereby authorized in his discretion to hear criminal cases at any place in said county other than Pittsfield, Hartland, Harmony, Palmyra, Saint Albans, Detroit, Ripley or Cambridge. If on such request he holds court in any place other than that where the regular terms of said court are held his travel shall be taxed as costs in said case at six cents per mile both ways; and said judge shall, under oath, certify to the county attorney his actual expenses so incurred and upon approval by him the same shall be allowed by the county commissioners and paid by the county treasurer.'

Approved February 27, 1919.

Chapter 12.

An Act to Change the Name of Sand Pond in Denmark to Walden Pond. Be it enacted by the People of the State of Maine, as follows:

Name of Sand pond changed to Walden pond. The lake or pond in the town of Denmark in the county of Oxford now known as Sand pond shall hereafter be known as Walden pond.

Approved February 27, 1919.

Chapter 13.

An Act to Extend an Act Entitled "An Act to Incorporate the Odd Fellows' Home of Maine."

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

Charter of Odd Fellows' Home of Maine extended. The act of incorporation of the Odd Fellows' Home of Maine, being chapter one hundred

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and ten of the private and special laws of nineteen hundred and seventeen, is hereby extended for two years from the date when this act becomes effective with the same force and effect in all respects as if said incorporation were hereby granted.

Approved February 27, 1919.

Chapter 14.

An Act to Extend the Charter of the Lincoln County Street Railway. Be it enacted by the People of the State of Maine, as follows:

- Sec. 1. Charter of Lincoln County Street Railway extended. The time within which the Lincoln County Street Railway, a corporation organized under the general laws of the state, shall actually commence business under its charter, is hereby extended two years from the date when this act takes effect.
- Sec. 2. Existing statutes and rights not affected. Nothing herein contained is intended to repeal or shall be construed as repealing the whole or any part of any existing statute, and all the rights and duties herein mentioned shall be exercised and performed in accordance with all the applicable provisions of chapter fifty-five of the revised statutes, and acts amendatory thereof and additional thereto.

Approved February 27, 1919.

Chapter 15.

An Act to Ratify, Confirm and Make Valid the Doings of the Congregational Parish in Abbot Village, and of the Abbot Village Congregational Church, and Authorizing Them to Unite.

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

- Sec. 7. Proceedings, gifts, conveyances, etc., ratified and made valid. All corporate acts and proceedings of the Congregational Parish in Abbot Village, and all corporate acts and proceedings of the Abbot Village Congregational Church, all gifts, grants, bequests and donations made to it, and all grants and conveyances made by it, are hereby ratified, confirmed and made valid.
- Sec. 2. Union authorized. The said Congregational Parish in Abbot Village is hereby empowered and authorized to unite with the said Congregational Church in Abbot Village as a duly incorporated body under the title of the Abbot Village Congregational Church whenever, at a duly called meeting of the said parish, two-thirds of the members present and voting shall declare themselves in favor of such union.

Approved February 27, 1919.