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Chapter 58.

An Act to Amend Section One of Chapter Sixty-one of the Private and Special Laws of Nineteen Hundred and Seven, as Amended by Chapter Two Hundred and Ten of the Private and Special Laws of Nineteen Hundred and Nine, Relating to the Lobster Industry within Two Miles of the Shore of Monhegan Island.

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

P. & S. L., 1907, c. 61, § 1; 1909, c. 210, § 1; relating to lobster fishing near Monhegan Island, amended. Section one of chapter sixty-one, of the private and special laws of nineteen hundred and seven, as amended by section one of chapter two hundred and ten, of the private and special laws of nineteen hundred and nine is hereby amended by striking out all of said section and inserting in place thereof the following: 'It shall be unlawful to take, catch, kill, destroy or set any lobster trap or other device for the purpose of taking, catching, killing or destroying any lobster, or lobsters, within two miles of the shore of Monhegan Island between the twenty-fifth day of June of each year and the first day of November following,' so that said section, as amended, shall read as follows:

'Sec. 1. Close time changed from June 25 to November 1st. It shall be unlawful to take, catch, kill, destroy, or set any lobster trap or other device for the purpose of taking, catching, killing or destroying, any lobster, or lobsters, within two miles of the shore of Monhegan Island between the twenty-fifth day of June of each year and the first day of November following.'

Approved March 21, 1921.

Chapter 59.

An Act to Amend Section Two of Chapter One Hundred and Seventy-six of the Private and Special Laws of Eighteen Hundred and Eighty-seven Entitled "An Act Creating the Fryeburg Village Fire Corporation," as Amended by Chapter Two Hundred and Thirty-eight of the Private and Special Laws of Nineteen Hundred and One.

Emergency preamble. Whereas, the shade trees in the Village of Fryeburg are in danger of destruction from the attacks of insects and other blight; and,

Whereas, the protection and preservation of said shade trees are immediately necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health and safety; and,

Whereas, in the opinion of the legislature an emergency exists within the meaning of the provisions of the constitution of this state, therefore,

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

Sec. 1. P. & S. L., 1887, § 2, c. 176; 1901, c. 238; relating to Fryeburg Village Corporation, amended. Section two of chapter one

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hundred and seventy-six of the private and special laws of eighteen hundred and eighty-seven, as amended by chapter two hundred and thirty-eight of the private and special laws of nineteen hundred one, is hereby further amended by adding to said section the following words: 'also for spraying and otherwise protecting the shade trees within the limits of said corporation, for the purpose of guarding against the attacks of insects and other blight,' so that said section, as amended, shall read as follows:

'Sec. 2. May raise money for protection of shade trees. Said corporation is hereby invested with power at any legal meeting called for that purpose, to raise such sums of money as may be sufficient for the purchase, repair and preservation of one or more fire engines, engine houses, hose, buckets, hooks and ladders and other apparatus for the extinguishment of fires; for the construction of reservoirs, aqueducts and hydrants for the procuring of water, and for organizing and maintaining within the limits of said territory, an efficient fire department; also for lighting the streets, sprinkling the same and constructing and maintaining sidewalks; also for spraying and otherwise protecting the shade trees within the limits of said corporation, for the purpose of guarding against the attacks of insects and other blight.'

Sec. 2. Emergency clause. In view of the emergency cited in the preamble, this act shall take effect when approved.

Approved March 21, 1921.

Chapter 60.

An Act to Extend the Charter of the Penobscot Valley Gas Company.

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

Sec. 1. Charter of Penobscot Valley Gas Co., extended. The rights, powers and privileges of the Penobscot Valley Gas Company, as granted by chapter one hundred and seventy-eight of the private and special laws of nineteen hundred and thirteen, are hereby extended for two years from the date on which this act takes effect.

Sec. 2. Existing statutes 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 or additional thereto.

Approved March 21, 1921.