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of such meeting. At such meeting the corporation shall organize by choice of officers, and adopt by-laws; and take such further action as may be due and lawful. A copy of the notice for such meeting shall be mailed to each member of said voluntary association at his last known place of business or residence, at least seven days prior to the day of the meeting. The return of the original notice at the time and place of the meeting, with affidavit by those who called the meeting that the notice was duly mailed as aforesaid shall be due and sufficient evidence of the call for and notice of such meeting.

Approved March 30, 1921.

Chapter 99.

An Act to Amend Section One of Chapter Three Hundred and Five of the Private and Special Laws of Nineteen Hundred and Nine, Regulating the Taking of Alewives in the Town of Surry.

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

P. & S. L., 1909, c. 305, § 1; relating to the taking of alewives in Pattens Pond Stream in the Town of Surry, amended. Section one of chapter three hundred and five of the private and special laws of nineteen hundred and nine, entitled, "An act regulating the taking of alewives in Pattens Pond stream in the town of Surry, Hancock county, Maine," is hereby amended by inserting after the word "stream" in the third line, the words 'also Floods stream'; said section is further amended by striking out all of said section after the word "Maine" in the fourth line, so that said section, as amended, shall read as follows:

'Sec. 1. Floods stream included and provision limiting operation of act repealed. It shall be unlawful for any person to fish for, catch, take, kill or destroy in any manner any alewives in the waters of Pattens Pond stream, also Floods stream in the town of Surry, Hancock county, Maine.'

Approved March 30, 1921.

Chapter 100.

An Act to Create the Belgrade Lakes Village Corporation.

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

Sec. 1. Territorial boundaries. All that part of the town of Belgrade comprised within the following limits is hereby created into a village corporation with the authority and power hereinafter designated: Beginning at the power house on the stream between Great Lake and Long Lake; thence, southerly along the east shore of Long Lake to the southerly end of the property of the Belgrade Hotel Company; thence due east to Great

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Lake; thence, northerly along the west shore of Great Lake to the stream connecting Great Lake with Long Lake; thence westerly along the southerly side of the stream connecting Great Lake with Long Lake to the point of beginning.

Sec. 2. Name. The corporation hereby created shall be called Belgrade Lakes Village.

Sec. 3. First and subsequent meetings, how called; officers. At any time after this act goes into effect a meeting of this corporation can be called by five of the inhabitants posting a written notice giving fourteen days' warning of the date of the first meeting. At the first meeting there shall be elected three trustees to manage the affairs of the corporation. The trustees shall hold office for one year and until their successors are elected. Any meeting of the corporation can be called after the first organization by at least two of the trustees posting a notice seven days before the date of the meeting. Any trustees elected to fill a vacancy shall only serve for the unexpired term. The trustees shall annually elect one of their members treasurer and shall designate the amount of compensation he shall receive.

Sec. 4. Purposes of incorporation. The corporation of Belgrade Lakes Village shall have the following powers:

- I. To purchase water for public and domestic purposes in said village.
- II. To sell water so purchased to the inhabitants of Belgrade Village under the supervision of the public utilities commission.
- III. To lay pipes in all the public ways in said village for the purpose of conducting water for domestic and public purposes.
- IV. To buy fire engines and fire apparatus, pay firemen, and do all other things necessary for the protection of Belgrade Lakes Village from fire.
- V. To purchase and install all material necessary to supply water for domestic and public purposes in said village.
- VI. To build walks, plant shade trees, and perform all other necessary acts for beautifying the village.
- VII. The corporation may on April first of each year assess against the property in said village, a tax necessary to pay the public charges of the corporation. This tax shall be assessed on the valuations made by the selectmen and assessors of the Town of Belgrade and shall be made in the manner prescribed in the revised statutes for town taxes except that assessments shall be made by the trustees of Belgrade Lakes Village and the taxes paid to the treasurer of Belgrade Lakes Village.

Sec. 5. Duties and powers of selectmen of Town of Belgrade not restricted. Nothing in this act shall be construed to deprive the Town of Belgrade and the selectmen of Belgrade of any power over or duties to the property and inhabitants of Belgrade Village.

Approved March 30, 1921.

Chapter 101.

An Act to Incorporate the Dixfield Water District.

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

Sec. 1. Territorial limits, purposes and corporate name. The following territory and the people within the same, namely: That part of the Town of Dixfield described and known as the Dixfield Village Corporation and such additions as may be made to it from time to time, together with all other land owned by the Dixfield Light & Water Company, for the purpose of protecting its water shed and preserving the purity of its water supply, shall constitute a public municipal corporation under the name of the Dixfield Water District, for the purpose of supplying the inhabitants of said district and also the several towns of Dixfield and Mexico or any portion of either of said towns, with pure water for domestic, sanitary and municipal purposes.

Sec. 2. Source of supply. The said district, for the purpose of its incorporation, is hereby authorized to take, hold, divert, use and distribute water from Aunt Hannah brook, so called, in the Town of Dixfield, and from Podunk pond, so called, in the Town of Carthage.

Sec. 3. Right of eminent domain. The said district, for the purposes of its incorporation, is hereby authorized to take and hold, as for public uses, by purchase or otherwise, any land or interest therein or water rights necessary for erecting and maintaining dams, for flowage, for power for pumping its water supply through its mains, for reservoirs, for preserving the purity of its water and watershed, for laying and maintaining aqueducts and other structures for taking, distributing, discharging and disposing of water and for rights of way or roadways to its sources of supply, dams, power stations, reservoirs, mains, aqueducts, structures and lands.

Sec. 4. Authorized to lay pipes etc. through public ways. The said district is hereby authorized to lay pipes in and through the streets, roads, ways and highways of the towns named in sections one and two and to maintain, repair and replace all such pipes, aqueducts and fixtures as may be necessary and convenient for its corporate purposes, and whenever said district shall lay any pipes or aqueducts in any street, roadway