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meeting may elect, in the manner prescribed for the election of town officers in chapter one hundred and ninety-one of the private and special laws of nineteen hundred and seventeen, a board of three road commissioners, one for a term of one year, one for a term of two years, and one for a term of three years, and thereafter shall elect one each year for a three years' term.

Said board shall serve instead of the road commissioner or commissioners, provided for by general statute, and have the same powers in relation to the construction and repair of roads, bridges and sidewalks as the road commissioners and the municipal officers have under such general statute, and be subject to the same duties in relation thereto.

The compensation of such commissioners shall not exceed fifty dollars each, per year. They shall employ a superintendent or superintendents of roads, not one of their own number. Such superintendent shall be under the control of said board of commissioners, and be subject to discharge by them.

Sec. 2. This act must be ratified by the town. This act shall not, become operative until it is ratified by said town of Mount Desert at an annual town meeting or a special town meeting called by a warrant containing an article for the purpose.

Sec. 3. When board may be elected. At any annual meeting ratifying this act the board thus provided for may be elected.

Approved March 8, 1923.

Chapter 40.

An Act to Extend the Charter of the Eastern Maine Railroad. Be it enacted by the People of the State of Maine, as follows:

Sec. 1. P. & S. L., 1911, c. 188; charter extended. The rights, powers and privileges of the Eastern Maine Railroad which were granted by chapter one hundred and eighty-eight of the private and special laws of nineteen hundred and eleven and have subsequently been amended and extended by successive legislatures to date, are hereby extended two years additional, and the persons named in said act and their associates and successors shall have the rights, powers and privileges that were granted to them by said act and amendments thereof to be exercised by them for the same purposes as specified in said act and the amendments thereof.

Sec. 2. Existing statutes not affected; rights conferred subject to R. S., c. 55. Nothing herein contained is intended to repeal or shall be construed

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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 8, 1923.

Chapter 41.

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. P. & S. L., 1913, c. 178; charter 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; rights conferred subject to R. S., c. 55. 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 8, 1923.

Chapter 42.

An Act to Amend Section Eleven of Chapter Two Hundred and Eleven of the Private and Special Laws of Eighteen Hundred and Ninety-five as Amended by Chapter One Hundred and One of the Private and Special Laws of Nineteen Hundred and Nine as Amended by Chapter One Hundred and Forty-six of the Private and Special Laws of Nineteen Hundred and Fifteen as Amended by Chapter Thirty-three of the Private and Special Laws of Nineteen Hundred and Nineteen, Relating to the Salary of the Recorder of the Bangor Municipal Court.

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

P. & S. L., 1895, c. 211, sec. 11, as amended; relating to salary of judge and recorder and payment of expenses of Bangor municipal court, amended. Section eleven of chapter two hundred and eleven of the private and special laws of eighteen hundred and ninety-five as amended by chapter one hundred one of the private and special laws of nineteen hundred and nine, as amended by chapter one hundred and forty-six of the private and special laws of nineteen hundred and fifteen as amended by chapter thirty-three of the private and special laws of nineteen hundred and nineteen, is hereby further amended by striking out the words "fifteen hundred" in the eighth line thereof and inserting in place thereof the words 'seventeen hundred and fifty,' so that said section, as amended, shall read as follows: