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ACTS AND RESOLVES

AS PASSED BY THE

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twenty-five thousand dollars nor more than two hundred thousand dollars, and shall be divided into shares of the par value of one hundred dollars each.

Sec. 5. Limitation of charter rights. Within two years from the time this act becomes a law, said corporation shall comply with the provisions of chapter fifty-six, sections six, seven and eight of the revised statutes; and if it does not, within three years from the time this act becomes a law, begin the construction of its road and expend thereon ten per cent of its capital, its corporate existence and power shall cease.

Sec. 6. First meeting of corporation. The first meeting of said corporation may be called by any one of the corporators above named, by notice thereof in writing signed by said corporator, and given in hand or mailed to each of the other corporators, at least seven days before said meeting. Any corporator may act at such meeting by written proxy.

Sec. 7. Existing statutes not affected; subject to provisions of 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.

Approved March 14, 1927.

Chapter 29.

An Act Relating to the Oquossoc Angling Association.

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

P. & S. L., 1870, c. 311, sec. 1; relating to incorporation, powers and rights of Oquossoc Angling Ass'n, amended. Section one of chapter three hundred and eleven of the private and special laws of eighteen hundred and seventy relating to the Oquossoc Angling Association is hereby amended by striking out the words "to the value of twenty thousand" in the seventh line of said section, and by striking out the word "dollars" in the eighth line of said section, so that said section, as amended, shall read as follows:

'Sec. 1. Limitation on authority to hold property, eliminated. William P. Frye, Nathan Cutler, William S. Badger, George Shepard Page, Jay Cooke, Daniel Dodd and A. D. Lockwood, their associates and successors, are hereby constituted a body politic and corporate by the name of the

Oquossoc Angling Association, for the purpose of angling, propagating fish and shooting game; with power to hold by purchase, lease or otherwise, real and personal property, and to lease, sell and convey, or otherwise dispose of the same; to adopt a code of by-laws not inconsistent with the laws of this state, and to do and perform such other acts and things as may be necessary for the promotion of the objects of the organization.'

Approved March 14, 1927.

Chapter 30.

An Act Relating to Taking Alewives in Eastern Penobscot River in the Town of Orland.

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

P. & S. L., 1903, c. 367, sec. 3; relating to taking of alewives in eastern Penobscot river in Orland, amended. Section three of chapter three hundred sixty-seven of the private and special laws of nineteen hundred and three is hereby amended by striking out all of said section, and substituting in place thereof the following section:

'Sec. 3. Town by vote may authorize taking of fish for period of five years. Any of the alewives in said river above a point five hundred yards below the lower dam may be taken by the town of Orland on Mondays, Tuesdays and Wednesdays of each week from the first day of May to the fifteenth day of July, if the town so votes at its annual meeting. The town may vote at any annual meeting to so take said fish for a period of not exceeding five years in succession.'

Approved March 14, 1927.

Chapter 31.

An Act Relating to the Property of Extinct or Disbanded Congregational Churches, Parishes or Societies.

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

Sec. 1. P. & S. L., 1893, c. 447, sec. 1; relating to power of Congregational Church Building Society over property of extinct and disbanded churches. Section one of chapter four hundred forty-seven of the private and special laws of the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three is hereby amended by striking out the whole of section one of said chapter and inserting in place thereof the following, so that said section as amended shall read as follows: