## MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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### ACTS AND RESOLVES

AS PASSED BY THE

# Ninetieth and Ninety-first Legislatures

OF THE

### STATE OF MAINE

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### Private and Special Laws

OF THE

## STATE OF MAINE

As Passed by the Ninety-first Legislature

1943

#### CHAP. 41

- Sec. 6. Effective date. If adopted by the voters of said town of Millinocket, then this act for the purpose of nominating and electing officers hereunder shall take effect on the date of its adoption by the voters.
- Sec. 7. Saving clause. In case this act is accepted in the manner hereinbefore provided, all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith in so far as they relate to the town of Millinocket in the county of Penobscot, are hereby repealed.

Effective July 9, 1943

#### Chapter 41

AN ACT to Provide for the Appointment of a Board of Commissioners of Police for the City of Augusta.

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

Sec. 1. P. & S. L., 1937, c. 61, § 9, amended. The 1st sentence of section 9 of chapter 61 of the private and special laws of 1937, is hereby amended to read as follows:

'The officers of the police department shall be a chief of police, a deputychief of police and a 2 captains, ranking in the order named.'

Sec. 2. P. & S. L., 1937, c. 61, § 10, amended. The 2nd sentence of section 10 of chapter 61 of the private and special laws of 1937 is hereby amended to read as follows:

'The chief of police, deputy-chief of police or captains may be removed by the commissioners for cause.'

- Sec. 3. P. & S. L., 1937, c. 61, § 14, amended. Section 14 of chapter 61 of the private and special laws of 1937 is hereby amended to read as follows:
- **'Sec. 14. Compensation.** The compensation of the chief of police, deputy-chief of police, captains, and patrolmen shall be fixed by the city council of said city.'
- Sec. 4. P. & S. L., 1937, c. 61, § 1, amended. Section 1 of chapter 61 of the private and special laws of 1937 is hereby amended to read as follows:
- 'Sec. 1. Organization. The police department of the city of Augusta shall consist of a chief of police, deputy-chief of police, a captains and patrolmen to the number determined by the mayor and city council of said city.'
- Sec. 5. P. & S. L., 1937, c. 61, § 5, amended. Section 5 of chapter 61 of the private and special laws of 1937 is hereby amended to read as follows:

'Sec. 5. Procedure. When said board of commissioners shall have qualified, they shall meet and elect a chairman and clerk of their own number, and shall forthwith select and appoint in the manner hereinafter provided said patrolmen, I of whom shall be designated by them as chief of police, I as deputy-chief of police and  $\frac{1}{2}$  as captain 2 as captains; all of whom shall constitute the police department of said city of Augusta.'

Effective July 9, 1943

#### Chapter 42

AN ACT to Confer Additional Rights and Powers upon East Branch Improvement Company.

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

Sec. 1. Additional rights and powers conferred on the East Branch Improvement Company. The East Branch Improvement Company, a corporation incorporated by special act of the legislature of Maine entitled "An Act to incorporate the East Branch Improvement Company", approved March 18, 1903, is hereby authorized and empowered, in addition to the rights that it now possesses, to take and hold by virtue of any conveyance made to it, the franchises, rights, privileges, improvements, and other property of Godfrey's Falls Dam Company, which was incorporated by chapter 30 of the private and special laws of Maine, 1872, as amended, and also to purchase and hold the stock of the above mentioned company and to exercise all the rights incidental thereto, and said Godfrey's Falls Dam Company is hereby authorized and empowered to sell, assign and convey, by deeds duly executed by the president of the said company, to said East Branch Improvement Company such franchises, rights, privileges, improvements, and other property owned or possessed by it at the time of such transfer, and upon receiving such conveyances said East Branch Improvement Company is hereby authorized and empowered to exercise all the powers and privileges of said Godfrey's Falls Dam Company, including the assessment and collection of tolls as hereinafter provided, and the duties of the said Godfrey's Falls Dam Company shall be and become the duties of said East Branch Improvement Company, which said company shall thereafter be holden to perform such duties. Upon receiving such conveyances, the right to collect tolls shall thereafter be limited to the right to demand and receive a toll on all logs and lumber passing through Grand Lake Seboeis Dam, so-called, of 25c for each 1000 feet board measure and a toll on all logs and lumber entering the Seboeis River below the Grand Lake Seboeis Dam, and using stored water, of 121/2c for each 1000 feet