

# SPECIAL ACTS AND RESOLUTIONS

PASSED BY THE

## GENERAL ASSEMBLY

OF THE

# STATE OF CONNECTICUT,

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[House Joint Resolution No. 82.]

[7.]

PROVIDING FOR PORTRAIT OF HIS EXCELLENCY PHINEAS C. LOUNSBURY.

*Resolved by this Assembly:* That the secretary be authorized and directed to procure a portrait of His Excellency Governor Phineas C. Lounsbury, to be placed in the capitol, and the comptroller shall draw his order on the treasurer in payment of the expense incurred therefor.

Approved, February 16, 1887.

[House Joint Resolution No. 62.]

[8.]

PROVIDING FOR PRINTING ADDITIONAL REPORTS OF THE BUREAU OF LABOR STATISTICS.

*Resolved by this Assembly:* That the comptroller be, and hereby is, directed to pay for the printing of three thousand five hundred copies of the second annual report of the Bureau of Labor Statistics, in addition to the one thousand copies provided for in the general statutes.

Approved, February 16, 1887.

[Substitute for Senate Joint Resolution No. 21.]

[9.]

AMENDING THE CHARTER OF THE DURHAM AQUEDUCT COMPANY.

*Resolved by this Assembly:* SECTION 1. That the Durham Aqueduct Company be and the same is hereby empowered to purchase, hold, sell, and convey estate, real and personal, to an amount not exceeding twelve thousand dollars, to be holden by said corporation at any one time.

SEC. 2. Said corporation shall have power, when in legal meeting assembled, to assess taxes upon its shares for the purpose of constructing reservoirs, relaying main pipe, and keeping the same in repair.

SEC. 3. Doubt having arisen, owing to the rules and regulations of said company governing the transfer of shares, as to the ownership of certain shares, it is hereby declared that, unless such ownership be lawfully established, or proceedings thereto instituted within sixty days from the passage of this resolution, said company shall issue certificates of stock to the following persons, owning by purchase or inheritance the property to which said shares are an appurtenance, to wit: John Talmadge one share, heirs of David S. Smith one share, Elizur Camp one share, Mary Ann Fowler one share, S. S. Scranton two shares, Eliza Severance one share, L. M. Leach one share, Marietta P. Walkley one share, Julia Catlin one share, S. F. Leete one share, D. A. Stiles one share, heirs of Susan E. Mathewson one share, Sarah H. Parsons one share, First Ecclesiastical Society one share, D. B. Coe two shares, Ida C. Wellman one share, E. N. Brainard one share, Cornelia Tibbals one share, E. and R. Hubbard one share, Harriet Lane one share, heirs of

Susan E. Hubbard one share, Elizabeth Parsons one share, Henry W. Chapman one share, heirs of Phineas Robinson one share, Mary G. Newton one share, T. P. Strong one share, Seth Crowell one share, heirs of John Hull one share, Andrew Hull one share, children of E. H. Rogers, as legatees of Joseph A. Rogers, deceased, one share, Merriam Manufacturing Company two shares, Betsey L. Coe one share, John Clark one share, Oscar Leach one share, Wm. A. Parmelee one share, Julia W. Camp one share, Alanson Nettleton one share, E. M. Hubbard one share.

SEC. 4. Said stock shall hereafter be transferable on the books of said company, in such manner as the by-laws of said company shall prescribe.

Approved, February 25, 1887.

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[House Joint Resolution No. 30.]

[10.]

INCORPORATING THE BOROUGH OF TORRINGTON.

*Resolved by this Assembly:* SECTION 1. That all the electors of this state, dwelling within the limits established for The Wolcottville Fire Association by the general assembly at its January session, 1879, are hereby declared to be and shall forever hereafter continue to be a body politic and corporate by the name of the Borough of Torrington; and, by that name, they and their successors shall have perpetual succession, and shall be a person in law, capable of suing and being sued, in all suits of what nature soever, and of holding and conveying any estate, real or personal, and of having a common seal which they may change and alter at pleasure, and they shall be freemen of said borough.

SEC. 2. All of the electors aforesaid residing within said limits at the time of the passage of this act, shall be freemen of said borough; and every elector of this state, who shall hereafter have continuously resided within the limits of said borough for the period of six months, shall be a freeman of said borough.

SEC. 3. An annual meeting of the legal voters of said borough shall be held on the first Monday of May in each year, at which said voters shall elect from their number by plurality of ballots, a warden, six burgesses, a clerk, a treasurer, a collector, a borough sheriff, three assessors, and two auditors. All officers of said borough shall be sworn to faithfully perform the duties of their several offices, and shall hold office until the next annual meeting, and until others shall be chosen in their stead; *provided*, that any officer of said borough, upon removal of his residence therefrom, shall cease to hold his office. The notice of said annual meeting shall be signed by the warden, or three burgesses, and shall designate the time and place of such meeting and the officers to be elected at the same, and such notice shall be posted at least five days before holding such meeting, on the public sign post in said borough, and one other such conspicuous place in said borough as the board of warden and burgesses shall designate.