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ered to issue a warrant, directed to some principal inhabitant in said town, requiring him to warn the inhabitants of the said town, qualified by law to vote in town affairs, to meet at such time and place as shall be therein set forth, to chuse all such officers as are or shall be required by law to manage the affairs of said town. [*Passed June 21.*]

CHAPTER 8.

AN ACT FOR ERECTING A TOWN IN THE COUNTY OF LINCOLN, BY THE NAME OF BRISTOL.

Preamble.

WHEREAS the inhabitants of a tract of land on the eastern side of Damariscotta River, in the county of Lincoln, known by the name of Walpole, Herrington and Pemaquid, so called, have petitioned this court, that, for the reasons mentioned, they may be incorporated into a town, and vested with the powers and privileges belonging to other towns; for the encouragement of said settlement,—

Be it enacted by the Governor, Council and House of Representatives,

Bristol made a town, by certain bounds.

[SECT. 1.] That the said tract of land, described and bounded as follows; viz., beginning at a heap of stones at the head of Brown's Cove, near the great Salt Water Falls in Damariscotta River, on the eastern side of the said river, running, a south-easterly course, to a heap of stones at a place called Bound Pond, five miles and a half; from thence, to run a south-westerly course, to Pemaquid Point, as the shore lies; and, from Pemaquid Point, as the shore lies, up Damariscotta River, to the first-mentioned bounds; and also all the islands lying within six miles from the main-land to the south, between the aforementioned river Damariscotta and Pemaquid Point, — be and hereby are erected into a town by the name of Bristol; and the inhabitants thereof shall have and enjoy all such immunities and privileges as other towns in this province have and do by law enjoy.

And be it further enacted,

First meeting, how to be notified.

[SECT. 2.] That Thomas Rice, Esq., be and hereby is empowered to issue his warrant to some principal inhabitant of the said town of Bristol, requiring him, in his majesty's name, to warn and notify the said inhabitants, qualified to vote in town affairs, to meet together, at such time, and place in said town, as shall be appointed in said warrant, to chuse such officers as the law directs and may be necessary to manage the affairs of said town; and the inhabitants, so met, shall be and hereby are empowered to chuse such officers accordingly. [*Passed June 21.*]

CHAPTER 9.

AN ACT FOR SUPPLYING THE TREASURY WITH THE SUM OF ONE HUNDRED AND NINETY-SEVEN THOUSAND POUNDS, TO BE APPLIED FOR THE REDEMPTION OF GOVERNMENT SECURITIES THAT WILL BECOME DUE IN JUNE, ONE THOUSAND SEVEN HUNDRED AND SIXTY-SIX.

Be it enacted by the Governor, Council and House of Representatives,

Treasurer empowered to borrow £197,000.

[SECT. 1.] That the treasurer of the province be and he hereby is directed and empowered to borrow, of such person or persons as shall