

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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Sixty-Seventh Legislature.

HOUSE.

No. 307.

STATE OF MAINE.

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD ONE THOUSAND EIGHT HUNDRED
AND NINETY-FIVE.

AN ACT to incorporate the Franklin County Fish and Game
Association.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives
in Legislature assembled, as follows:*

SECTION 1. John M. S. Hunter, George McL. Presson,
2 H. C. Russell, W. M. Pratt, L. A. Smith, Enoch W.
3 Whitcomb, E. E. Richards, J. J. Linscott, Geo. W.
4 Cole, A. H. Presson, E. G. Gay, Geo. G. Bean, John W.
5 Nichols, Benj. M. Hardy, Lugie Matthieu, P. J. Phin-
6 ney, H. A. Morton, A. S. Perham, Jos. M. Matthieu,
7 Carleton P. Merrill, Jos. C. Holman, Llewellyn Norton,
8 N. R. Knowlton, Frank R. Richards, Chas. E. Lincoln,
9 Walter E. Mosher, Louis Voter and Charles E. Wheeler
10 of Farmington; Walter D. Guild of Temple, Alexander
11 P. Sweet of New Vineyard, and E. H. Rockliff of

12 Industry, with their associates and successors, are hereby
13 incorporated into a body politic, by the name of the
14 Franklin County Fish and Game Association.

SECT. 2. This corporation, for the purpose of protect-
2 ing game and fish by aiding in the enforcement of the laws
3 of the state relating thereto, of cultivating and propagating
4 game and fish, and of introducing new species and varieties,
5 is hereby empowered, for such purposes, to take by pur-
6 chase, bequest, or otherwise, and to hold, transfer, and
7 convey real and personal property to the amount of twenty
8 thousand dollars.

SECT. 3. Said corporation shall have power to prose-
2 cute and defend suits at law and in equity; to enter and
3 prosecute complaints against any person or persons for
4 violation of any of the laws of the state for the protec-
5 tion of game or fish, and to recover and receive all penal-
6 ties and forfeitures that would be recoverable to any person
7 making such complaints; to construct hatcheries for the
8 cultivation and propagation of inland fish; to have and to
9 use a common seal; and to be governed by a code of
10 by-laws not inconsistent with the laws of the state.

SECT. 4. The first meeting of said corporation may be
2 called by any three of the corporators, by a notice specify-
3 ing the time and place of such meeting, published in any
4 paper of the town of Farmington, at least one week prior
5 to the time fixed for said meeting.

SECT. 5. This act shall take effect when approved.

To the Honorable Senate and House of Representatives :

We, the undersigned, respectfully request the passage of the bill hereto attached, entitled "An Act to incorporate the Franklin County Fish and Game Association," that the same may speedily become law :

John M. S. Hunter, George M. L. Presson, H. C. Russell, W. M. Pratt, L. A. Smith, Enoch W. Whitcomb, E. E. Richards, J. J. Linscott, George W. Cole, A. H. Presson, E. G. Gay, George G. Bean, John W. Nichols, Benj. M. Hardy, L. Matthieu, P. J. Phinney, H. A. Morton, A. S. Perham, Jos. M. Matthieu, Chas. E. Lincoln, Carleton P. Merrill, Louis Voter.

STATE OF MAINE.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
March 7, 1895.

Reported by Mr. HOWE of Milo, from Committee on Legal Affairs,
and ordered printed under house rules.

W. S. COTTON, *Clerk.*