

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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# PRIVATE ACTS

OF THE

## STATE OF MAINE,

PASSED BY THE

### SEVENTH LEGISLATURE,

AT ITS SESSION

HELD IN JANUARY, 1827.

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**PORTLAND,**

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1827.

Mantinicus Rock  
ceded.

Lot on Pema-  
quid Point ceded.

United States of America, the jurisdiction of the following described territory, situate within the State of Maine, viz.: The Island or Rock called Mantinicus Rock, sometimes called Wood-en-Ball Rock, on the coast of Maine, off Penobscot Bay, lying southeasterly of Mantinicus Island about five miles, containing by estimation about eight acres, more or less; also a certain lot of land on Pemaquid Point, in the town of Bristol, bounded as follows, viz.: beginning at the bank of the shore, at Mullikin's Cove, at the southerly corner of John Upham's land; thence north forty-four degrees east, twenty-five rods to a fence; thence east twenty-two degrees south, as the fence now stands, twenty-four rods to the bank of the shore; thence southwesterly round by the shore, to the bounds first mentioned, with the shore and privileges to high water mark, for the purpose of erecting Light Houses and Dwelling Houses, for the accommodation of the keepers thereof, on the said Mantinicus Rock, and point of land in the town of Bristol.

Concurrent juris-  
diction reserved.

SECT. 2. *Be it further enacted*, That this State shall have concurrent jurisdiction with the United States, in, and over, the territory described in this Act, and the Houses when erected, so far as that all civil and military processes, issued under the authority of this State, or any officer thereof, may be executed on any part of the said granted premises, or in any building that may be erected thereon, in the same way and manner as if the jurisdiction had not been ceded as aforesaid.

[*Approved by the Governor, Jan. 15, 1827.*]

## CHAPTER CCCCXXXVI.

AN ACT extending the powers of the Maine Charitable Mechanic Association.

*BE it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives, in Legislature assembled*, That the Maine Charitable Mechanic Association be,

and hereby are, authorized to appropriate and devote such portion of their funds, as they may from time to time deem necessary or expedient, for the promotion of the Mechanic Arts; the diffusion of useful knowledge; the support and enlargement of the Apprentices' Library, in Portland; and to the assistance of their associates, with loans of money, under such regulations and restrictions as the said society may, by their by-laws direct: any thing in the Act incorporating said Association to the contrary notwithstanding.

Mode of appropriation of the funds of the society.

[*Approved by the Governor, Jan. 18, 1827.*]

#### CHAPTER CCCCXXXVII.

AN ACT to set off Isaiah Jenkins and others from Litchfield to Wales.

*BE it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives, in Legislature assembled, That* Isaiah Jenkins, James Taylor, John Arno, David Jenkins, David Mitchell, Bartholomew Jenkins, Henry Austin, William Larrabee, John Austin, Thomas Meeder, George Meeder, Alfred Arno, Isaiah Jenkins, Jr. together with their polls and estates now included in the range of lots beginning at Monmouth south line and running on the original line of said lots until it intersects Lisbon north line, as well as all other persons and their polls and estates which are now included within the range of lots aforesaid, be and the same hereby are set off from the town of Litchfield, and annexed to the town of Wales, in the county of Lincoln: and shall there exercise and enjoy all rights and privileges as inhabitants of said town of Wales: *Provided however, That* the persons above set off shall be held liable to pay all assessments upon them or their estates, remaining unpaid prior to the passing of this Act, and their proportion of all debts which may be now due from said town of Litchfield; and in

Persons and estates set off.

Proviso.