

# 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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SECT. 2. *Be it further enacted*, That, for the purposes aforesaid, the said Corporation may take, have and hold any estate, real or personal, to any amount, not exceeding forty thousand dollars : and may invest, use, and dispose of the same, for their benefit, in the promotion of the objects of their incorporation, but not for any other purpose.

May hold estate,  
&c.

SECT. 3. *Be it further enacted*, That said Corporation may, as such, prosecute and defend suits at law, and have and use a common seal, and make such by-laws for the convenient management of their affairs, as may not be repugnant to the laws of the State.

May prosecute &  
defend; make by  
laws, &c.

SECT. 4. *Be it further enacted*, That the powers granted by this Act, may be enlarged, restrained or annulled, at the pleasure of the Legislature.

Powers restricted

SECT. 5. *Be it further enacted*, That either of the persons named in the first section of this Act, may call the first meeting of the corporation, at such time and place, as may be deemed expedient, giving reasonable notice thereof.

First meeting,  
how called.

[*Approved by the Governor, Feb. 8, 1827.*]

## CHAPTER CCCCLXIV.

AN ACT to incorporate the Kennebunk Water Power Manufacturing Company.

SECT. 1. *BE it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives, in Legislature assembled*, That William Hill, Samuel Sneling, Jr. J. N. Sherburne, J. W. Mellen, Benjamin Smith, Barnabas Palmer, Joseph Moody, Joseph Porter, Joseph G. Moody, and Timothy Frost, their associates and successors, be, and they hereby are constituted a corporation, by the name of the Kennebunk Water Power Manufacturing Company, for the purpose of carrying on the manufacture of Cotton, Wool and Iron, and such other branches as may be conveniently connected

Persons incorp-  
rated.

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therewith, at Kennebunk, in the county of York; and for this purpose, shall have all the powers and privileges, and be subject to all the duties and requisitions contained in the Act defining the general powers and duties of manufacturing corporations, passed March the eighth, in the year eighteen hundred and twenty-one; and in the Act additional thereto, passed February the fifth, eighteen hundred and twenty-three.

May hold estate, &amp;c.

SECT. 2. *Be it further enacted*, That said corporation may purchase, take and hold real and personal estate to any amount, not exceeding two hundred and fifty thousand dollars, and may sell and dispose of the same at pleasure; and may erect on the real estate so purchased, such dams, mills, works, machines and buildings, as shall be necessary or useful in carrying on the manufactures and conducting the business of said corporation.

Powers restricted

SECT. 3. *Be it further enacted*, That the powers granted by this Act, may be enlarged, restrained or annulled, at the pleasure of the Legislature.

[*Approved by the Governor, Feb. 8, 1827.*]

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## CHAPTER CCCCLXV.

AN ACT to enlarge and extend the powers of the Proprietors of Somerset Bridge.

Proprietors authorized to locate the Bridge between certain places on the Kennebec river.

SECT. 1. *BE it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives, in Legislature assembled*, That the Proprietors of Somerset Bridge, their successors and assigns, be, and they are hereby authorized to erect a bridge over Kennebec river, at or near the old ferry way, in Norridgewock, in the county of Somerset, or at any convenient place between said ferry way and the site of the old bridge in said Norridgewock; and all the provisions of the original Act incorporating the said Proprietors of Somerset Bridge, shall have force and be applicable to the bridge