

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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ACTS AND RESOLVES

PASSED BY THE

THIRTY-FIRST LEGISLATURE

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE,

A. D. 1851.

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1851.

PRIVATE AND SPECIAL LAWS

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE.

1851.

CHAP. 421. Banks, William Senter, Luther Jewett, and Josiah Pennell, and their associates and successors, are hereby created a body politic and corporate by the name of the Portland Society of Natural History, for the purpose of promoting the study of Natural History, with power, for such purpose, to take by purchase, bequest or otherwise, and to hold, transfer, and convey real and personal property to the amount of fifty thousand dollars.

Corporate name.

Authorized to hold and convey property to the amount of \$50,000.

SECT. 2. This act shall take effect and be in force, from and after its approval by the governor.

[Approved May 28, 1851.]

Chapter 421.

An act to incorporate the Bank of the State of Maine.

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

Corporators.

SECT. 1. D. B. Hinckley, Leonard March, Samuel F. Hersey, Charles Stetson, Jonathan Eddy, George K. Jewett, George Stetson, Caleb Billings, Elijah L. Hamlen, Seth Paine, Joseph Shaw, Samuel H. Dale, their associates, successors and assigns, are hereby incorporated into a company by the name of the President, Directors and Company of the Bank of State of Maine.

Corporate name.

Capital stock.

SECT. 2. The capital stock of said bank shall be two hundred and fifty thousand dollars, divided into shares of one hundred dollars each, and one-half of the same shall be paid in and said bank shall be put in operation on or before January next ; and the other half within one year thereafter, said bank to be located in Bangor, county of Penobscot.

When to be paid in.

Rights, powers and privileges.

SECT. 3. Said corporators are hereby authorized and empowered to exercise all the rights and privileges conferred upon such corporations by the laws of this state and shall be subject to all the liabilities and restrictions thereof.

[Approved May 30, 1851.]