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ACTS AND RESOLVES

PASSED BY THE

THIRTY-FIRST LEGISLATURE

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE,

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PRIVATE AND SPECIAL LAWS

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE.

1851.

**Chapter 422.**

CHAP. 422.

An act additional to "an act to incorporate the Central Market House Company."

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

That so much of the second section of the act to incorporate the Central Market House Company, as provides that the market house to be erected by said company shall be built of stone and bricks and covered with slates, be, and is, hereby repealed.

Provision for building with stone and brick and covering with slate, repealed.

[Approved May 30, 1851.]

**Chapter 423.**

An act authorizing the United States to build a custom house over the Kenduskeag river.

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

That the United States be and they are hereby licensed and authorized to erect upon suitable piers and works a custom house, in the city of Bangor, over the waters of the Kenduskeag river, between the Kenduskeag bridge and Central bridge, as near the centre of said river as may be, provided a sufficient passage way be left on each side of said custom house for the safe and convenient passage of rafts and boats usually passing up and down said river.

United States authorized to erect a custom house over Kenduskeag river.

[Approved May 30, 1851.]

**Chapter 424.**

An act to incorporate the Merchants' Steam Navigation Company of Bangor.

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

SECT. 1. Franklin Muzzy, John B. Foster, J. G. Lovejoy, George W. Ladd, their associates and successors, be and they are hereby made a body corporate and politic, by the name of Merchants' Steam Navigation Company, subject to the liabilities and requirements of an act of the thirty-first congress of the United States, entitled "an act to limit the liability of ship owners and for other purposes," and by that name may hold

Corporators.

Corporate name. Liabilities and requirements

<b>CHAP. 425.</b>	personal estate to the amount of one hundred thousand dollars, and real estate to the amount of twenty thousand dollars, for the purpose of carrying on the business of steam navigation ; and the said corporation shall have power to sell their property or any part thereof at pleasure, and also to make by-laws and regulations not repugnant to the laws of the state.
<b>Authorized to hold real and personal estate.</b>	
<b>By-laws.</b>	
<b>Shares.</b>	<b>SECT. 2.</b> The stock of said corporation shall be divided into shares, upon which no assessments or installments exceeding one hundred dollars upon each shall be made ; and the stockholders shall annually choose a board of directors, (not exceeding seven in number,) treasurer, president and clerk, and such other officers as they may deem expedient, all of which shall be stockholders, to manage the affairs of said corporation.
<b>Officers.</b>	

[Approved May 30, 1851.]

### Chapter 425.

An act to incorporate the Lewiston Falls Bank.

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

<b>Corporators.</b>	<b>SECT. 1.</b> Daniel Holland, Albert H. Kelsey, John M. Frye, Silas Titcomb, Samuel Pickard and Thomas B. Little, their associates, successors and assigns, are hereby incorporated into
<b>Corporate name.</b>	a company by the name of the President, Directors and Company of the Lewiston Falls Bank.
<b>Capital stock.</b>	<b>SECT. 2.</b> The capital stock of said bank shall be one hundred thousand dollars, divided into shares of one hundred dollars each ; and said bank shall be located and established in Lewiston, in the county of Lincoln.
<b>Rights, powers and privileges.</b>	<b>SECT. 3.</b> 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 subject to all the liabilities and restrictions thereof.
	<b>SECT. 4.</b> This act shall take effect from and after its approval by the governor.

[Approved May 30, 1851.]