

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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ACTS AND RESOLVES

PASSED BY THE

THIRTY-SECOND LEGISLATURE

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE,

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PRIVATE AND SPECIAL LAWS

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE.

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**Chapter 155.**

An act to change the name of Eliza F. Gifford.

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

Eliza F. Gifford, adopted daughter of Abram Morrison, of Albion, shall be known and called by the name of Eliza Morrison from and after the approval of this act by the governor.

Name changed.

[Approved March 29, 1853.]

**Chapter 156.**

An act to incorporate the Lewey's Island Mill Company.

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

SECT. 1. That Putnam Rolf, Daniel K. Chase, F. A. Pike, William H. Tyler, Lemuel D. Sawyer, James Robbins, John McAllister, William Todd, junior, be and hereby are incorporated and constituted a company by the name of the Lewey's Island Mill Company, with all the powers and liabilities incident to such corporations.

Corporators.

Corporate name.

SECT. 2. That said company have power to hold real and personal estate to the amount of thirty thousand dollars, and to erect dams, mills and any machinery and buildings that may be necessary to carry on the hotel and milling and manufacturing business.

May hold real and personal estate.

[Approved March 29, 1853.]

**Chapter 157.**

An act to incorporate the Lewiston Bleaching Company.

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

SECT. 1. George L. Ward, Benjamin E. Bates, and Albert H. Kelsey, their associates and successors are hereby incorporated and made a body politic by the name of the Lewiston Bleaching Company, for the purpose of bleaching and coloring goods.

Corporators.

Corporate name.

SECT. 2. Said corporation may hold real and personal estate to the amount of one hundred thousand dollars in value, and

May hold real and personal estate.

**CHAP. 158.**Powers,  
privileges, &c.

shall have all the powers and privileges, and be subject to all the duties and liabilities of corporations as defined by the laws of this state.

[Approved March 29, 1853.]

**Chapter 158.**

An act additional to an act to incorporate the St. Croix Log Driving Company.

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

Authorized to  
drive logs  
from certain  
lakes.

SECT. 1. The St. Croix Log Driving Company are hereby authorized to drive all logs and other timber belonging to said company or any member thereof, that may be in Pleasant lake, Mill-privilege lake, Duck lake, Sisledobsis lake, Wabass lake, or any other lake, the waters of which empty into the St. Croix river, and to make all such improvement on any and all streams leading from such lakes as shall be necessary to make them navigable for driving purposes; and shall have all the powers and privileges and shall be subject to all the liabilities and duties in relation to the same as are mentioned in the act to which this is additional.

May make  
improvements,  
&c.Powers,  
privileges and  
liabilities.

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

[Approved March 29, 1853.]

**Chapter 159.**

An act additional to an act to incorporate the city of Hallowell.

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

Salaries of  
certain city  
officers, power  
to establish.

SECT. 1. From and after the passage of this act, the city council of the city of Hallowell shall have power to establish, by concurrent vote, the annual salary or compensation of the mayor and of the judge of the municipal court in said city, the same to be payable quarterly or otherwise as said council may determine; and such vote shall remain in force until the commencement of the next municipal year, and until further action by the city council; but no increase or diminution of the salary of the mayor shall take effect during the continuance of any term for which he may have been elected.

When payable.

Salaries to  
remain  
unchanged  
during the  
term of office.

[Approved March 29, 1853.]