# 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.

1853.

Снар. 183.

#### Chapter 183.

An act authorizing the town of Oxford to call a second town meeting.

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

Town meeting, time of holding authorized.

Notice of, &c.

SECT. 1. The legal voters of the town of Oxford are hereby authorized to meet in town meeting on Monday, the fourth day of April, in the year eighteen hundred and fifty-three, for the purpose of transacting all business that is by law allowed to be transacted by the inhabitants of towns at their annual town meetings, and which has not already been transacted; provided, that said meeting shall have been notified and warned according to the provisions of law.

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

[Approved March 31, 1853.]

#### Chapter 184.

An act to incorporate the Mineral Company.

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

Corporators.

Corporate name.

May purchase and hold real and personal estate.

General rights, privileges, &c.

By-laws.

Shares, &c.

Sect. 1. Tristram F. Jordan, Martin Dow, William Woodman, their associates, successors and assigns, are hereby created and incorporated as a body politic under the name of the Mineral Company; and under that name may sue and be sued, have a common seal, execute deeds, make contracts, purchase and hold real estate, personal property, mining rights, and such other interests and easements in property as may be necessary to the purposes of their incorporation; and generally shall have the rights, and be subject to the liabilities, of manufacturing corporations as now defined by the laws of this state.

SECT. 2. Said corporation may, at their first or any other subsequent meeting, make and establish by-laws for the government of said corporation, and may alter, amend and add to the same at their pleasure; and shall determine therein the par value of shares, and under the same shall have the right to pay in stock of the corporation for such mining rights and interests in real estate as it may be deemed necessary to purchase for the prudent operation of work or works of the company.

Mining authorized.

SECT. 3. Such corporation shall have power to work mines of feldspar or other minerals, and whenever said corporation