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ACTS AND RESOLVES

PASSED BY THE

FORTY-SECOND LEGISLATURE

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE.

1863.

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PRIVATE AND SPECIAL LAWS

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE.

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Chapter 258.

Снар. 258.

An act to set off a portion of the town of Albion and annex the same to the town of Benton.

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

Sect. 1. All that part of Andrew H. Crosby's homestead with the buildings thereon, situate in the town of Albion, is hereby set off from said town of Albion and annexed to the town of Benton.

Albion, portion of set off and annexed to Benton.

Sect. 2. This act shall take effect when approved.

Approved March 14, 1863.

Chapter 259.

An act to incorporate the Bethel Steam Mill Company.

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

SECT. 1. John Lynch, David Hammons, their associates, successors and assigns, are hereby created and constituted a body corporate and politic by the name of the Bethel Steam Mill Company, with all the powers and privileges and subject to the duties and liabilities contained in the laws of this state relating to manufacturing corporations.

Corporators

Corporate name.
Powers, privileges, &c.

Sect. 2. Said corporation is authorized to manufacture all kinds of lumber in the town of Bethel, county of Oxford, and for this purpose may construct, repair and maintain upon their own lands all suitable buildings, and may purchase and hold such personal and real estate as may be necessary for this object, not to exceed one hundred thousand dollars. They may also construct and maintain such piers and booms as may be necessary and convenient for the operations of said mill; but said company are to have no more right to prevent or delay the passage of logs and timber on said Androscoggin river being driven below, than they would be entitled to if this act was not passed.

Authorized to manufacture lumber.

May hold real and personal estate.

—may construct piers, &c.

Sect. 3. The capital stock of said corporation shall not be less than ten thousand dollars nor more than one hundred thousand dollars, divided into such shares as they may think most convenient.

Capital stock.

Sect. 4. Any one of the persons named in this act is hereby authorized to call the first meeting of said corporation for the purpose of organizing the same, by giving notice thereof to his associate named as corporator herein, setting forth the time, place and purpose of said meeting.

First meeting, how called.

Снар. 260.

Sect. 5. This act shall be in force from and after its approval by the governor.

Approved March 14, 1863.

Chapter 260.

An act to prevent the destruction of salmon trout and other fish in certain lakes in Franklin county.

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

Trout, &c., to prevent the destruction of. Sect. 1. No person shall set any seine or net in the Rangely, Cupsuptic or Mooselamaguntic lakes, or in any of their coves, creeks or inlets, or in any stream flowing from or into them, in the county of Franklin, for the purpose of taking fish therein, under a penalty of ten dollars for each offence.

Fish not to be taken except by spears or hooks.
Penalty.

Sect. 2. No person shall take or destroy any fish therein, except by spears or hooks, under a penalty of five dollars for each fish so taken and destroyed.

Penalties, how recovered.

Sect. 3. These penalties may be recovered in an action of debt, by any person in any court competent to try the same, one half to the use of the plaintiff, the other half to the state.

Sect. 4. This act shall take effect on its approval by the governor.

Approved March 17, 1863.

Chapter 261.

An act to incorporate Young's Patent Boot Stretcher Company.

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

Corporators.

Corporate name.

Powers, privileges, &c. SECT. 1. J. G. Young, junior, Alonzo Goodwin, David Robinson, junior, and Joseph H. Nutter, their associates, successors and assigns, are hereby constituted a body politic and corporate by the name of Young's Patent Boot Stretcher Company, for the purpose of manufacturing and selling boot stretchers, and also engaging in such other branches of manufacture and trade as may be necessarily or conveniently connected therewith in this state; and for these purposes shall have all the powers and privileges and be subject to all the duties and liabilities of the laws of the state relating to manufacturing companies.