

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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# ACTS AND RESOLVES

OF THE

## FORTY-EIGHTH LEGISLATURE

OF THE

## STATE OF MAINE.

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# PRIVATE AND SPECIAL LAWS

OF THE

## STATE OF MAINE.

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### Chapter 1.

An act to increase the capital stock of the Portland Kerosene Oil Company.

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

SECTION 1. The Portland Kerosene Oil Company is hereby authorized to increase the capital stock of said corporation, by adding thereto the sum of one hundred thousand dollars, so that the whole capital stock of said corporation shall amount to the sum of two hundred and fifty thousand dollars.

Increase of capital stock authorized.

SECT. 2. The said corporation may purchase and hold real and personal estate to an amount not exceeding two hundred and fifty thousand dollars, with full power to manage and dispose of the same.

May purchase and hold real and personal estate to amount of \$250,000.

SECT. 3. This act shall take effect when approved.

Approved January 21, 1869.

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### Chapter 2.

An act to incorporate the Trustees of St. Catharine's Hall.

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

SECT. 1. Henry A. Neeley, Allen Lambard, James Bridge, Thomas Lambard, Eliphalet Nott, James M. Churchill, F. G. Richard, R. G. A. Freeman and J. Marshall Brown, their associates and successors, are hereby constituted a body politic and corporate by the name of the Trustees of St. Catharine's Hall, and

Corporators.

Corporate name.

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by that name shall have the right to prosecute and defend suits at law; to have and use a common seal, and to change the same at pleasure, and to take and hold for the objects of their association by gift, grant, bequest, purchase, or otherwise, any estate, real or personal, the annual income of which shall not exceed ten thousand dollars, and to sell, convey and lease any estate, real or personal, which the interest of the said institution may require.

SECT. 2. All property and estate, real and personal, which may at any time come into possession of the said trustees, shall be faithfully applied to the promotion of the cause of education, by establishing and maintaining a literary institution in the city of Augusta, in the county of Kennebec, in this state.

SECT. 3. The trustees aforesaid may adopt such rules and by-laws, the same not being repugnant to the laws of this state, as they may deem expedient; may fill by ballot all vacancies existing in their body; may choose a secretary and treasurer, and all other necessary officers; they shall also choose all necessary teachers, and they shall be and they are hereby invested with all the powers, privileges, rights and immunities incident to similar corporations and institutions.

SECT. 4. The number of the said trustees shall be not less than seven nor more than fifteen, and it shall not be necessary for more than five of the said trustees to be present to constitute a quorum to accept this charter or to transact any other business.

SECT. 5. The said trustees and their successors shall continue in office until others are chosen in their places by the convention of the Protestant Episcopal church in the state of Maine.

SECT. 6. The three persons herein first named as corporators, or any two of them, may call the first meeting of this corporation by sending a written notice to the members of the corporation of the time and place at least three days before the time for holding said meeting.

SECT. 7. The legislature shall have the right to alter or amend this charter at any time.

SECT. 8. This act shall take effect when approved.

Approved January 27, 1869.

**Chapter 3.**

An act to incorporate the Knox Trotting Park Society.

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

Corporators

SECT. 1. Charles A. Keen, John T. Berry, David Ames, Merritt Austin, Timothy Williams, and others, their associates, successors