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# ACTS AND RESOLVES

OF THE

## FORTY-EIGHTH LEGISLATURE

OF THE

## STATE OF MAINE.

1869.

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**Chapter 141.**

CHAP. 141.

An act to extend the charter of the Penobscot Mill Dam Company.

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

The "act additional to an act to incorporate the Penobscot Mill Dam Company," approved February nineteenth, eighteen hundred and sixty-six, is hereby amended in section five so that the time at which said act shall expire is hereby extended from the nineteenth day of February, eighteen hundred and sixty-nine, to the nineteenth day of February, eighteen hundred and seventy-nine.

Charter extended to 1879.

Approved February 19, 1869.

**Chapter 142.**

An act to authorize John Bird and others to extend a wharf into the tide waters of Owl's Head bay, in the city of Rockland.

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

SECT. 1. John Bird and Company, S. M. Bird, John Bird, A. J. Bird and Company, A. J. Bird, Jackson Weeks, Hanson G. Bird, of Rockland, in the county of Knox, their heirs, associates and assigns, are hereby authorized and empowered to build, extend and maintain in front of their land, known as the Achorn wharf and privilege in the said city of Rockland, a wharf composed of granite or wood and extending in a southerly direction into the tide waters of Owl's Head bay three hundred feet.

Extension of wharf authorized.

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

Approved February 22, 1869.

**Chapter 143.**

An act to incorporate the Cornish Savings Bank.

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

SECT. 1. Caleb R. Ayer, John Jameson, George W. Clifford, A. G. O'Brion, Daniel W. O'Brion, Ezra Towle, Aaron H. Marr, Horace A. Pike, Freeman Hatch, Isaac N. Brackett, Cyrus G. Marr, Ansel G. Marston, Amos T. Danforth, Calvin F. Bonney, William H. Warren, John F. Jameson, John O'Brion, Ammi Boynton, and John T. Wedgwood, their associates, successors and

Corporators.

**CHAP. 143.**

Corporate name.

Power.

Location.

Rights and  
privileges.Deposits, how  
used.May be with-  
drawn.Profit, how  
divided.First meeting,  
how called.May elect  
associates.  
Officers.

Tenure of office.

Bonds.

Proviso.

Deeds of  
conveyance.

Annual meetings.

assigns, are hereby created a body corporate and politic by the name of the Cornish Savings Bank, with full power by that name to prosecute suits at law and in equity, to have and use a common seal, and to establish such by-laws, rules and regulations as are necessary for the government and management of their concerns, and not repugnant to the laws of this state. Said corporation shall be established in the town of Cornish, in the county of York; and be subject to all the duties and liabilities, and enjoy all the rights and privileges conferred upon similar institutions by the laws of this state.

SECT. 2. Said corporation is hereby authorized to receive deposits of money, and to issue certificates therefor, and such deposits of money shall be used as shall be deemed most for the interest and benefit of said corporation, and such deposits may be withdrawn at such reasonable times and in such manner as said corporation shall appoint, and the net income or profit thereof shall be divided among the depositors, their executors, administrators and assigns, in just proportion.

SECT. 3. Daniel W. O'Brion, named herein, is authorized to call the first meeting of said corporation, by giving seven days' personal notice in writing to each corporator, of the time and place of said meeting, at which meeting, and at every subsequent annual meeting, said corporation may elect by ballot, any person or persons as members thereof, may choose such officers as may seem to them proper for their organization and government, who shall continue in office one year, and until others are chosen and qualified in their stead; and the persons elected treasurer and secretary, before entering upon their official duties shall be sworn to the faithful performance thereof, and the treasurer shall also give bonds satisfactory to such corporation for the faithful discharge of his duties; *provided*, that the offices of treasurer and secretary may, if deemed advisable, be held by the same person, and be appointed by the trustees of said corporation, and shall hold said offices at pleasure of the trustees.

SECT. 4. All deeds of conveyance, covenants, and grants made in behalf of said corporation, shall be sealed with the corporate seal, and when made in pursuance of any vote of the corporation shall be valid and effectual to convey real or personal property or bind the corporation.

SECT. 5. The annual meetings of this corporation shall be holden in the month of May, and at that meeting, and all other meetings it shall require seven members at least to constitute a quorum for the transaction of business, and meetings may be directed at other times by the president or the corporation and said corporation may provide in what manner their meetings shall be notified and called.

SECT. 6. The number of corporate members of the Cornish Savings Bank shall not be less than ten nor more than twenty, and such corporation, at any legal meeting, may establish by-laws providing that members removing from the state or failing to attend the annual meetings for two successive years, unless excused by said corporation, shall cease to be members thereof.

SECT. 7. This act shall take effect when approved.

Approved February 22, 1869.

CHAP. 144.

Number of members limited.  
Members removing from state, &c., shall cease to be members thereof.

## Chapter 144.

An act to incorporate the Sebois Dam Company.

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

SECT. 1. Isaac M. Bragg, Ebenezer Webster and William E. Mann, their associates, successors and assigns are constituted a body politic and corporate by the name of the Sebois Dam Company, with all the privileges, powers and liabilities of similar corporations.

Corporators.

Corporate name.

Powers and privileges.

SECT. 2. Said company are authorized to improve the navigation of the Sebois waters, between township A, in eighth and ninth ranges, W. E. L. S., and the Piscataquis river by deepening the channels, removing obstructions, erecting booms and piers and building dams necessary for the purpose of facilitating the driving of logs and timber, and for that purpose to do whatever may be necessary in and upon said waters and the bed, shores and banks thereof to accomplish the object aforesaid.

May improve navigation of waters.

Purpose.

SECT. 3. Said company may demand and receive a toll of twelve cents per thousand feet, woods scale, for all logs which may be driven over the dam to be built as aforesaid, at or near the outlet of Trout lake, and they shall have a lien on all said logs and timber for the payment of said toll. And if said toll is not paid within ten days after a major part of the logs come out of Penobscot boom, then the company may take and sell enough of said logs and timber to pay such toll and all necessary charges, notice in writing of such sale to be given to the owners of said logs, if known, and of the time and place thereof, seven days at least before the day of sale, such notice to be also published in one of the Bangor daily papers at least seven days before the day of sale, any surplus in such case to be paid to the owner, when ascertained.

Toll.

Lien.

May sell logs and timber to pay toll and charges.  
Notice of sale, how given.

SECT. 4. Either of the corporators may give notice of the first

First meeting.