

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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ACTS AND RESOLVES

OF THE

FIFTY-THIRD LEGISLATURE

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE.

1874.

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SECT. 10. Any five of the corporators named in the first section of this act are hereby authorized to call a meeting of the corporators for the purpose of accepting this act, and making a preliminary organization of the corporation; and said corporators at such meeting or at any other meeting of the corporators duly called and notified, may determine when and in what manner books shall be opened for subscriptions to stock, and how subsequent meetings of the corporators shall be called and notified, and may transact any other business which may be deemed necessary or proper in promoting and completing the organization of the corporation. The attendance of ten corporators shall constitute a quorum for the transaction of business, but a less number may adjourn from day to day, or to a time certain. The first meeting of the corporators shall be called to meet in Bath, and notice of said meeting signed by five of said corporators shall be given by publication in the Bath Daily Times and Rockland Free Press, at least seven days prior to said meeting.

CHAP. 455.

Meeting for preliminary organization, how called.

Books of subscription.

Quorum.

First meeting of corporators, where held and how called.

SECT. 11. If said corporation shall not be organized and a location of its line according to actual survey shall not be filed with the county commissioners of the several counties through which said railroad shall pass, on or before the thirty-first day of December, eighteen hundred and seventy-seven, or if said corporation shall fail to complete said railroad on or before the thirty-first day of December, eighteen hundred and eighty-two, then in either of the above-mentioned cases this act shall be null and void as to all that part of said railroad not completed and finished on or before the date last above named.

Organization and completion of railroad, time of, limited.

SECT. 12. This corporation shall be at all times subject to such laws as now are, or hereafter may be, enacted relating to railroad corporations.

Corporation subject to laws of the state.

SECT. 13. This act shall take effect when approved.

Approved February 11, 1874.

## Chapter 455.

An act to incorporate the Dixfield Centre Cheese Company.

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

SECT. 1. Nathan Carver, William W. White, John J. Holman, and twenty-eight others, their associates, successors and assigns, are hereby created a body politic and corporate by the name of the Dixfield Centre Cheese Company, with all the powers and privileges and subject to all the duties and liabilities provided by the laws of this state concerning manufacturing corporations.

Corporators.

Corporate name. Powers and privileges

**CHAP. 456.**

Authorized to  
manufacture  
cheese.

Capital stock and  
shares.

First meeting,  
where held.

SECT. 2. Said corporation is authorized to manufacture cheese, and to transact any other business usually carried on by cheese factories or corporations for the purpose of associated dairying.

SECT. 3. The capital stock of said corporation shall not exceed five thousand dollars, to be divided into such number of shares as the company may determine; and said corporation may hold real and personal estate to the amount of said capital stock, with full power to manage and dispose of the same.

SECT. 4. The first meeting of said corporation shall be held in the town of Dixfield, and shall be called by a notice thereof, seven days prior to said meeting, signed by one of the persons named in the first section of this act, a copy of which shall be given to each of the other corporators.

SECT. 5. This act shall take effect when approved.

Approved February 11, 1874.

## Chapter 456.

An act to incorporate the Belfast Marine Insurance Company.

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

Corporators.

SECT. 1. James P. White, N. F. Houston, Charles B. Hazeltine, John G. Brooks, Joseph Bean, William H. Simpson, I. M. Boardman, N. M. Mathews, J. W. Frederick, W. C. Marshall, C. P. Carter, S. A. Howes, A. A. Howes and W. B. Swan, their associates, successors and assigns, are hereby created a corporation by the name of the Belfast Marine Insurance Company, to be established at Belfast, in the county of Waldo, with power and authority to transact the business of marine insurance, and to provide, by the by-laws of said company, for the appointment of all necessary and proper officers for the management of the business of said company, and to regulate the business of said company by proper by-laws, conformable with the laws of the state.

Corporate name  
and location.

Powers and  
authority of.

First meeting,  
how called.

SECT. 2. The first meeting of said corporation shall be called by a written notice, signed by three of said corporators, and published at least ten days before the day of meeting, in a newspaper printed in Belfast.

Term of charter.

By-laws, direc-  
tors, &c.

SECT. 3. The Belfast Marine Insurance Company shall continue twenty-five years, and may by their by-laws provide for the number of directors to be chosen, the number required for a quorum, the investment of their capital or guarantee fund in notes, the