# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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#### ACTS AND RESOLVES

OF THE

## SIXTY-FIRST LEGISLATURE

OF THE

## STATE OF MAINE.

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### PRIVATE AND SPECIAL LAWS

OF THE

# STATE OF MAINE.

1883.

Снар. 289

Damage for flowage, how ascertained and paid.

Damage for taking water, how ascertained. such taking and occupation, until after such failure to pay or deposit as aforesaid. Damages caused by flowage are to be ascertained and paid in the same manner.

SECT. 5. Any person suffering damage by the taking of water by said company as provided by this act, may have his damages ascertained in the manner provided in the preceding section, and payment therefor shall be made in the same manner and with the same effect. No action shall be brought for the same until after the expiration of the time of payment.

Pollution of water or injury to works, prohibited. SECT. 6. Whoever shall, in any way, wilfully pollute the water of said pond or stream, whether frozen or not, after said company shall have commenced taking the same, and whoever shall wilfully injure any of the works of said company, shall be punished by imprisonment not over two years, or by fine not exceeding one thousand dollars and shall be liable to an action for damages.

Penalty.

Capital stock. SECT. 7. The capital stock of said company shall be the amount fixed by said company at its first meeting, not exceed-

ing fifty thousand dollars.

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

Approved February 28, 1883.

#### Chapter 289.

An Act to incorporate the trustees of Dixfield Academy.

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

Corporators,

SECT. 1. William W. Wait, Henry O. Stanley, John R. Trask, W. K. Chase, M. V. Eastman, Z. W. Taylor, Charles Stanley, A. H. Stockbridge, W. F. Newman, N. S. Stowell, W. S. Chase, H. M. Cox, L. C. Willoughby, Frank Stanley, George G. Gates, A. B. Lovejoy and W. F. Putnam, their associates and successors, are hereby incorporated into a body politic by the name of the Trustees of Dixfield Academy, for the promotion of education.

Corporate name.
Purpose.

Rights, privileges and immunities. SECT. 2. Said corporation is hereby vested with all the rights, privileges and immunities incident to similar corporations; to have and use a common seal; to prosecute and

defend suits at law; to make and establish such by-laws, not Chap. 290 repugnant to the laws of this state, as may be deemed necessary for the management of their affairs; to fill all vacancies occurring in their number; to take and hold any estate, real or personal, which they now possess or may hereafter receive by donation or otherwise, the annual income of which shall not exceed the sum of three thousand dollars, said income to be faithfully applied to promote the cause of education.

Any two of the persons above named may call First meeting, the first meeting of said corporation by publishing a notice thereof in the Oxford Democrat or by giving written notice thereof to the persons above named, seven days at least before the time appointed for said meeting.

Sect. 4. This act shall take effect when approved.

Approved February 28, 1883.

#### Chapter 290.

An Act to extend the charter of the Cherryfield Beom Company.

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

The charter of the Cherryfield Boom Company, contained Charter of Cherryfield Boom in the act approved February twenty-one, eighteen hundred Co., extended. and thirty-four, and an act additional, approved August seven, eighteen hundred and forty-eight, and an additional act approved March two, eighteen hundred and fifty-eight, is hereby extended for the term of twenty-five years, from and after its expiration, with all the rights and privileges, and subject to all the liabilities therein provided.

Approved February 28, 1883.