

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

The following document is provided by the
LAW AND LEGISLATIVE DIGITAL LIBRARY
at the Maine State Law and Legislative Reference Library
<http://legislature.maine.gov/lawlib>



Reproduced from scanned originals with text recognition applied
(searchable text may contain some errors and/or omissions)

(EMERGENCY)

ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTH LEGISLATURE

Legislative Document

No. 1678

H. P. 1290

House of Representatives, March 29, 1973

Referred to the Committee on Agriculture. Sent up for concurrence and ordered printed.

E. LOUISE LINCOLN, Clerk

Presented by Mr. Brown of Augusta.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED
SEVENTY-THREE

AN ACT Relating to Membership in South Kennebec Agricultural Society.

Emergency preamble. Whereas, Acts of the Legislature do not become effective until 90 days after adjournment unless enacted as emergencies; and

Whereas, agricultural societies are important to the economic well-being of the people of Maine since they encourage one of Maine's basic industries; and

Whereas, the following legislation is vitally necessary to broaden the membership of the South Kennebec Agricultural Society; and

Whereas, the expansion of such membership is essential prior to the meetings of the South Kennebec Agricultural Society of 1973; and

Whereas, in the judgment of the Legislature, these facts create an emergency within the meaning of the Constitution of Maine and require the following legislation as immediately necessary for the public peace, health and safety; now, therefore,

Be it enacted by the People of the State of Maine, as follows:

P. & S. L., 1889, c. 484, § 1, amended. Section 1 of chapter 484 of the private and special laws of 1889 is amended to read as follows:

Sec. 1. Corporators; corporate name; powers and privileges. George Brown, A. N. Douglas, F. H. Moore, A. B. Noyes, C. F. Achorn, H. E. Howe, W. M. Achorn, E. W. Gove, R. W. Howe, Eugene M. Glidden, Charles B. Jewell, C. D. Northey, Joseph S. Gray, together with their associates and successors ~~such members, associates and successors being residents of and~~

~~representing the southern part of Kennebec County and the Towns of Whitefield, Jefferson and Somerville, in Lincoln County,~~ be and hereby are constituted a body corporate and politic, by the name of the South Kennebec Agricultural Society, with power to prosecute and defend suits at law, to have and use a common seal, to make and enforce any bylaws and regulations for the management of their affairs, not repugnant to the laws of the state, and shall exercise all the powers and privileges granted to and exercised by agricultural societies and similar corporations.

Emergency clause. In view of the emergency cited in the preamble, this Act shall take effect when approved.

STATEMENT OF FACT

The purpose of this bill is to repeal the limitation concerning membership in South Kennebec Agricultural Society.