

## SIXTIETH LEGISLATURE.

HOUSE.

No. 156.

## STATE OF MAINE.

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD ONE THOUSAND EIGHT HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-ONE.

AN ACT to incorporate the Maine Shipbuilders' and Shipmasters' Association.

WHEREAS, The objects of this corporation cannot otherwise be obtained, therefore

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

SECTION 1. Guy C. Goss, Samuel E. Spring,
2 J. S. Winslow, Edward O'Brien, Samuel Watts,
3 Arthur Sewall, Thomas J. Stewart, Caleb Hol4 yoke, N. C. Ayer, Albion P. Veazie, Nahum T.
5 Hill, Sewall B. Swasey, Daniel J. Sawyer, Francis
6 Cobb, Edward A. Butler, Joseph W. Sawyer,
7 Alexander Campbell, James G. Pendleton, Philan8 der J. Carleton, Albert M. Nash, H. Austin Car9 ter, J. W. Fenderick, Isaac Reed, William C. Hol10 way, John Shaw, J. T. Grant, Dyer P. Jordan,
11 J. H. McLaren, Seward B. Hume, J. C. Nickels,
12 James C. Nash, Merrill Hichborn, Moses Chase,

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13 Edwin Flye, D. W. Chapman, F. S. Carney, Phin-14 eas Pendleton and Dudley J. Burnham, Charles 15 H. Chase, George S. Hunt, Almon A. Strout, 16 Charles McCarthy, jr., Russel Lewis, Washington 17 Ryan, Edmund Phinney, and all persons who may 18 hereafter become associated with them, are hereby 19 created a corporation by the name of the Maine 20 Shipbuilders' and Shipmasters' Association, for the 21 purpose of promoting the interests of shipbuilding 22 and navigation, and by that name shall have power 23 to sue and be sued, and possess all the rights and 24 privileges, and be subject to all the liabilities of 25 like corporations, under the laws of this state.

SECT. 2. Said corporation shall have power to 2 establish a central office and branch offices, elect 3 such officers as it may deem necessary, take and 4 hold real or personal property not exceeding fifty 5 thousand dollars, adopt such constitution and by-6 laws not contrary to the laws of this state, as it 7 deem proper for the management of its affairs, 8 including the admission and expulsion of members 9 and the regulation of the relations of such mem-10 bers to the property of the association upon leav-11 ing the same.

SECT. 3. The first meeting of the corporation 2 shall be called by any one of the incorporators

3 giving notice of the time and place of such meet4 ing by letter to the several persons named in this
5 act seven days before the day of such meeting, and
6 his affidavit shall be sufficient proof of the giving
7 of such notice.

SECT. 4. This act shall take effect when ap-2 proved.

## STATE OF MAINE.

In House of Representatives, March 9, 1881.

Reported by Mr. HUTCHINSON, from the Committee on the Judiciary, and ordered printed under the Joint Rule.

ORAMANDAL SMITH, Clerk.