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PRIVATE ACTS

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE,

PASSED BY THE

FOURTH LEGISLATURE,

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CHAPTER CCL.

AN ACT to incorporate the Portland Steam-Boat Navigation Company.

Persons incorporated. SECT. 1. *BE it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives, in Legislature assembled, That Jonathan Morgan, James C. Churchill and Henry H. Boody, their heirs, assigns and associates are declared to be a body corporate, by the name of the Portland Steam-Boat Navigation Company.*

Powers and privileges. SECT. 2. *Be it further enacted, That the said corporation be hereby declared capable in law, to have and hold any real estate to the value of five thousand dollars, and any personal estate to the value of ten thousand dollars, and the same to use, sell and dispose of, which shall be never put to any use except the Steam-Boat Navigation.*

Property to be holden.

SECT. 3. *Be it further enacted, That the said corporation shall be capable in law, to sue and be sued; have a common seal, and to make any by-laws not repugnant to the laws of this State.*

May sue and be sued, &c.

SECT. 4. *Be it further enacted, That this act shall continue in force for the term of twenty years: Provided, That the Legislature of this State may at any time alter, restrain or repeal the same.*

Act to be in force 20 years, provided, &c.

SECT. 5. *Be it further enacted, That the act passed the eighth day of February, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and twenty-two, entitled "An Act to incorporate the Portland Steam-Boat Navigation Company," be, and the same is hereby repealed.*

Former act repealed.

[*This Act passed February 9, 1824.*]

CHAPTER CCLI.

AN ACT incorporating the Trustees of the Ministerial Fund in Milburn.

Trustees incorporated. [SECT. 1.] *BE it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives, in Legislature assembled, That Joseph Patten, Daniel Herriu, jr. Levi Wyman, Benjamin Eaton and Thomas Currier, be, and they*

hereby are incorporated by the name of the Trustees of the Ministerial Fund in Milburn; with power to prosecute and defend suits at law; to have a common seal and to alter the same; to make any by-laws, for the management of their affairs, not repugnant to the laws of the State. And said Trustees shall annually elect a Treasurer, Clerk, and such other officers as they shall deem necessary; the Treasurer shall give bond for the faithful discharge of his trust; and the Clerk shall be sworn to the faithful performance of his duty; and all vacancies that may hereafter occur in said board of Trustees shall be filled by the said town of Milburn, at a legal meeting called for that purpose; and said Trustees shall annually exhibit to said town a fair account of their proceedings and of the state of said fund, and shall be responsible to said town for the faithful appropriation of the funds under their direction as Trustees.

Powers and privileges.

Officers to be chosen by Trustees.

Vacancies how supplied.

Trustees to render account annually to town, and be responsible for their fidelity.

SECT. 2. *Be it further enacted*, That the Trustees aforesaid, be, and they are hereby authorized to take, receive and manage the proportion of the ministerial fund which was assigned to said town of Milburn on the division of the town of Canaan, to the uses and purposes for which the grant was originally made, and to appropriate the income thereof accordingly.

Trustees may hold ministerial fund assigned to Milburn on division of Canaan, and appropriate income thereof accordingly.

SECT. 3. *Be it further enacted*, That the powers granted by this Act, may be enlarged, restrained or annulled at the pleasure of the Legislature; and any one of the Trustees aforesaid may call the first meeting of the Board, by giving personal notice in writing to the other Trustees of the time and place of meeting, seven days, at least, prior to such meeting.

Restrictions.

First meeting.

[*This Act passed February 9, 1824.*]