

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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PRIVATE ACTS

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE,

PASSED BY THE

FIFTH LEGISLATURE

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Act to which this is additional : five of whom shall constitute a quorum for doing business. The Board of Trustees may be kept full or not at the discretion of the Trustees for the time being ; and persons residing in any part of the State, shall be eligible to the office of Trustee.

SECT. 3. *Be it further enacted*, That so much of the second section of the Act to which is additional as provides that the Trustees shall be elected from the members of the Methodist Episcopal Church, be, and the same is hereby repealed.

Part of former act repealed.

SECT. 4. *Be it further enacted*, That the powers granted by this Act, may be enlarged, restrained or repealed, at the pleasure of the Legislature.

Powers restricted.

[*This Act passed January 20, 1825.*]

CHAPTER CCXCII.

AN ACT to incorporate the Gardiner Iron Manufacturing Company.

SECT. 1. *BE it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives, in Legislature assembled*, That Robert Hallowell Gardiner, Samuel G. Ladd, John Stone, and Dudley Ladd, and such others as may hereafter be associated with them, their successors, and assigns, be, and they are hereby made a body politic by the name of the Gardiner Iron Manufacturing Company, for the purpose of casting and manufacturing iron in the town of Gardiner, and for this purpose shall have all the powers and privileges, and be subject to all the duties and requirements expressed in an Act, entitled " An Act defining the general powers and duties of Manufacturing Corporations," passed the eighth day of March, in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and twenty one, and in an Act additional thereto, passed the fifth day of February, in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and twenty three.

Persons incorporated.

Powers, &c.

SECT. 2. *Be it further enacted*, That said Corporation may be lawfully seized and possessed, of such real and personal estate, not exceeding the sum

May hold estate, &c.

of fifty thousand dollars, as may be necessary and convenient for carrying on the business of said corporation.

[*This Act passed January 20, 1825.*]

CHAPTER CCXCIII.

AN ACT to incorporate the South Berwick Manufacturing Company.

SECT. 1. *BE it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives, in Legislature assembled,* That Thomas Leigh, and such other persons as shall associate with him, and their successors and assigns, shall be, and they hereby are constituted and made a corporation, by the name of the South Berwick Manufacturing Company; and are hereby empowered to carry on the manufacture of woolen, cotton and such other branches of manufacture as can conveniently be carried on by such corporation, at Great Works River, in the County of York; and for this purpose shall have all the powers and privileges, and be subject to all the duties and requisitions contained in an Act, passed on the eighth day of March, in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and twenty one, entitled "An Act defining the general powers and duties of Manufacturing Corporations;" and in an Act, entitled "An Act additional to an Act defining the general powers and duties of Manufacturing Corporations," passed the fifth day of February, in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and twenty three.

SECT. 2. *Be it further enacted,* That said Corporation may purchase, take, and hold real and personal estate of what kind or nature soever; to an amount not exceeding at any one time one hundred thousand dollars; and may sell and dispose of the same at pleasure; and may erect on the real estate, so to be purchased and held, such dams, mills, works, machines and buildings as shall be necessary or useful in carrying on the manufactures and conducting the business of said corporation.

[*This Act passed January 24, 1825.*]