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# PRIVATE ACTS

OF THE

## STATE OF MAINE,

PASSED BY THE

### SIXTH LEGISLATURE,

AT ITS SESSION, HELD IN JANUARY, 1826.

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## CHAPTER CCCLXV.

AN ACT to divide the South Parish, and to establish the East Parish, in Augusta.

SECT. 1. *BE it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives, in Legislature assembled,* That the South Parish in Augusta, be divided, and all that part of said South Parish, which is situated on the East side of the Kennebec river, with the inhabitants thereon, be incorporated into a Parish by the name of the East Parish in Augusta: subject to the provisions of an Act, entitled "an Act concerning Parishes," passed March thirteenth, one thousand eight hundred and twenty-one.

South Parish divided.

East Parish formed.

SECT. 2. *Be it further enacted,* That any Justice of the Peace, for the County of Kennebec, be authorized to issue his warrant, calling a meeting of the inhabitants of said East Parish, at such time and place, in said Parish, as he may deem proper, for the choice of all such Parish officers as may be necessary to the management of the affairs of said Parish.

First meeting, how called, &c.

[Approved by the Governor, Jan. 23, 1826.]

## CHAPTER CCCLXVI.

AN ACT to incorporate the Benevolent Society of Bowdoin College.

SECT. 1. *BE it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives, in Legislature assembled,* That Robert P. Dunlap, Ebenezer Everett, Alpheus S. Packard, Charles Packard, John McKeen, David Dunlap, Charles S. Daveis, Edmund T. Bridge, Edward E. Bourne, their associates and successors, be, and they hereby are, incorporated into a body politic, by the name of the Benevolent Society of Bowdoin College, for the purpose of assisting indigent young men of promising talents, and of good moral character, in procuring an education at this College;

Persons incorporated.

Purposes.

Powers, &c. with power to sue and be sued; to have a common seal and to change the same; to make by-laws for the management of their affairs, not repugnant to the laws of this State; to take and hold, for said charitable and benevolent uses, any estate, real or personal, to the value of five thousand dollars, and to give, grant, bargain and sell the same; and with all the privileges usually granted to other institutions, established for purposes of charity and benevolence.

May hold estate, &c.

Officers.

Treasurer to give bond.

SECT. 2. *Be it further enacted,* That the officers of the corporation shall be a President, Treasurer and Secretary, with such others as may be required by the by-laws. The Treasurer shall give bonds, with two or more sufficient sureties, for the faithful performance of the duties of his office, to be deposited with the Secretary or some other officer, to be designated by vote of the Association.

Meetings where to be held.

First how called.

SECT. 3. *Be it further enacted,* That all the meetings of said corporation shall be held in the town of Brunswick, the first meeting at such time and place as a majority of the persons herein before named shall direct, by advertising the same, for three weeks successively, in some public newspaper printed in the town of Portland.

Powers restricted

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.

[*Approved by the Governor, Jan. 24, 1826.*]

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## CHAPTER CCCLXVII.

AN ACT to divide the town of Machias, and incorporate the towns of West Machias, East Machias, and Machias Port.

Machias Port incorporated.

SECT. 1. *BE it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives, in Legislature assembled,* That all that part of the town of Machias, in the County of Washington, which lies south of the following described line, viz.: beginning