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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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records and papers of the said town of Machias.

First meeting,  
how called, &c.

SECT. 7. *Be it further enacted*, That any Justice of the Peace in the County of Washington, may call a town meeting for the choice of town officers, and other business usually transacted at annual town meetings, in either of the said towns by this Act incorporated, by posting up notices thereof at some public places in such town, seven days before such meeting. And the same Justice shall preside at such meeting, until a moderator is chosen.

Provision for the  
choice of repre-  
sentative, &c.

SECT. 8. *Be it further enacted*, That until the next apportionment of Representatives, the said towns of West Machias, East Machias, and Machias Port, shall constitute a district for electing one Representative in the Legislature of the State. And the meeting of the Selectmen of the said towns, for ascertaining the election of Representative, according to the provisions of the Constitution, shall be appointed and notified by the Selectmen of West Machias.

Courts, where held  
&c.

SECT. 9. *Be it further enacted*, That all Courts heretofore held in that part of Machias, which is, by this Act, incorporated as West Machias, shall be held at said West Machias, at the times by law established. And all suits and matters pending in, and all writs, precepts, processes, and recognizances, returnable to either of the said Courts to be holden at Machias, shall be returned to, entered, proceeded upon, and heard at said Courts, to be held at West Machias.

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

## CHAPTER CCCLXVIII.

AN ACT to incorporate the Proprietors of the Central Burying Ground, in Waldoborough.

Persons incorpo-  
rated.

SECT. 1. *BE it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives, in Legislature assembled*, That Henry Flagg, William Sproul, and Denny McCobb, their associates and successors,

be, and they hereby are constituted a body politic and corporate, by the name of the Proprietors of the Central Burying Ground, in Waldoborough; and by that name may prosecute and defend suits at law; with power to have and use a common seal; to make and establish any by-laws, for the convenient management of their concerns, not repugnant to the laws of the State; and may hold, possess and use, for the purposes of their incorporation, any estate real or personal now in their possession, or which may hereafter be given or granted to them for like purposes; and to make and apportion any taxes or assessments upon the owners or proprietors of the lots or plats in said burying ground, and to levy and collect the same on the personal estate of the several owners and proprietors aforesaid, in such manner and form as may be directed in the by-laws or regulations of said corporation, for the purpose of maintaining and keeping in repair the walls, gates and other fixtures, which said corporation may deem necessary for maintaining and keeping their enclosure in suitable order and condition as a decent burying ground.

Powers, &amp;c.

May assess taxes, &amp;c.

SECT. 2. *Be it further enacted*, That any one of the persons named in this Act, may call a meeting for the purpose of organizing said corporation, at such time and place as may be convenient, giving reasonable notice thereof to the other members.

First meeting.

SECT. 3. *Be it further enacted*, That the powers granted by this Act, may be enlarged, restricted or annulled, at the pleasure of the Legislature.

Powers restricted

[*Approved by the Governor, Jan. 26, 1826.*]