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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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the debts of the corporation, and closing its concerns, passed March second, one thousand eight hundred and twenty-one; any thing in said Act, or in the Act additional thereto, to the contrary notwithstanding.

[Approved by the Governor, March 6, 1826.]

CHAPTER CCCCXXVIII.

AN ACT to incorporate the Oxford Lodge.

SECT. 1. *BE it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives, in Legislature assembled,* That Levi Stowell, Abijah Hall, Jun. Rufus Stowell, Simeon Chipman, John Millet, Jonathan Swift, Levi Rawson, Emmor Rawson, their associates and successors, be, and they hereby are, constituted a body politic and corporate, by the name of the Oxford Lodge; and by that name to have power to prosecute and defend suits at law; to have and use a common seal; to make and execute any by-laws for the convenient management of their affairs, not repugnant to the laws of the State; to take and hold for charitable and benevolent uses, any real estate, to the value of three thousand dollars, and any personal estate, to the value of five thousand dollars; and to give and grant, or bargain and sell the same, at their pleasure; and generally to have and enjoy all the powers and privileges usually granted to other societies instituted for purposes of charity and beneficence.

Persons incorporated.

Powers, &c.

May hold estate, &c.

SECT. 2. *Be it further enacted,* That the first meeting of said corporation shall be held at such time and place, and be notified in such manner, as a majority of the persons herein named may direct.

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, March 6, 1826.]