

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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# PRIVATE ACTS

OF THE

## STATE OF MAINE,

PASSED BY THE

### EIGHTH LEGISLATURE,

AT ITS

SESSION HELD IN JANUARY, 1828.

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## CHAPTER DXLIV.

AN ACT relating to Cathance Bridge.

SECT. 1. *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives, in Legislature assembled,* That the towns of Bowdoinham and Topsham, in the county of Lincoln, by an appropriation made by each town, are hereby authorized to repair, rebuild, and forever maintain a free bridge across Cathance river, at the place where the bridge is now erected, on the road leading from Topsham to Bowdoinham village, with a suitable draw, or passage way for vessels.

Towns of Bowdoinham & Topsham, authorized to rebuild and maintain the Cathance Bridge.

SECT. 2. *Be it further enacted,* That the Act authorizing John Patten and others, to maintain a free bridge over Cathance river, which passed March sixth, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and twenty-six, is hereby repealed.

Former Act repealed.

[Approved by the Governor, February 20, 1828.]

## CHAPTER DXLV.

AN ACT to incorporate the York Chapter of Royal Arch Masons.

SECT. 1. *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives, in Legislature assembled,* That James B. Thornton, Edward S. Moulton, Stephen Fairfield, John Spring, and Josiah Beard, with their associates and successors, be, and they hereby are, incorporated into a body politic, by the name of the York Chapter of Royal Arch Masons; with power to prosecute and defend suits at law; to have a common seal, which they may change at pleasure; to make any by-laws for the management of their affairs, not repugnant to the laws of this 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

Persons incorporated.

Powers, &c.

May hold estate, for certain uses.