

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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PRIVATE AND SPECIAL

ACTS

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE,

PASSED BY THE

TWELFTH LEGISLATURE,

AT ITS SESSION COMMENCING JANUARY 4, 1832.

PUBLISHED AGREEABLY TO THE RESOLVE OF JUNE 28, 1820.

AUGUSTA:

I. BERRY & CO., PRINTERS TO THE STATE.

1832.

SECT. 2. *Be it further enacted,* That if said town of Freeport shall not within ten months from the passing of said Act erect and complete a good and sufficient Bridge across said river in said town, Rufus Chandler, Ambrose Talbot Jr, and James Weston with their associates and successors be and hereby are declared to be a corporation by the name of the Proprietors of Harrissichet Bridge, and shall so continue for the term of forty years, and may by that name sue and be sued, use a common seal, make by-laws for the management of their concerns not repugnant to the laws of the State and choose all necessary officers and transact all corporation business by vote of the majority of persons present allowing one vote to a share, but no proprietor to carry more than twenty votes. And said Proprietors may erect, repair rebuild and maintain a bridge across said river, subject to such regulation as to draws for the passage of vessels, as the Legislature may from time to time direct. Said bridge to be made of good materials and of suitable width and construction to be safe, easy and convenient for passengers. But if said bridge be not erected within three years from the passing of this Act, the powers herein granted to said proprietors shall be void.

Bridge to be built in ten months or certain persons shall become a Corporation and shall so continue for 40 years.

Powers, liabilities, &c.

Regulations to which said Bridge shall be subject.

Act to be void unless Corporation erect said bridge within 3 years.

CHAPTER 259.

AN ACT to incorporate the Winthrop Manufacturing Company.

Approved March 5, 1832.

SECT. 1. *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives, in Legislature assembled,* That Edmund Munroe, Benjamin Sewall with their associates, successors and assigns, be and they are hereby made a corporation by the name of the Winthrop Manufacturing Company for the purpose of manufacturing wollen and cotton goods in the town of Winthrop in the County of Kennebec; and for this purpose shall have all the powers and privileges, and be subject to all the duties and requirements expressed in the several

Names of persons incorporated.

For what purpose.

Powers, privileges, &c.

Acts of the State defining the general powers and duties incident to Manufacturing Companies.

SECT. 2. *Be it further enacted,* That said corporation may take and hold any estate, real or personal, to an amount not exceeding in the whole at any one time the value of one hundred thousand dollars.

May hold real or personal estate.

SECT. 3. *Be it further enacted,* That Benjamin Sewall shall have power to call the first meeting of the proprietors of this corporation, by publishing a notice thereof in some public newspaper, printed in the county of Kennebec, fourteen days at least before the time of said meeting, stating the time and place, when and where said meeting shall be held.

First meeting.

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

Powers granted may be changed.

CHAPTER 260.

AN ACT to incorporate the Congin Manufacturing Company.

Approved March 7, 1832.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives, in Legislature assembled, That Jeremiah Winslow, Nathan Winslow, John Winslow, Isaiah Jones and their associates, successors and assigns be and they hereby are created a corporation by the name of the Congin Manufacturing Company, for the purpose of manufacturing cotton, wool, silk, paper and iron, and also of engaging in such other branches of trade and manufacture as may be necessarily and conveniently connected therewith, at either or both of the following places viz. Congin falls in Westbrook and at Lock falls in Gorham and Windham, in the County of Cumberland. And said corporation may erect such mills, dams, works, machines and buildings on their own land, as may be necessary for carrying on these useful manufactures and

Names of persons incorporated.

For what purpose.

Locations.