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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.

Wharves &c. and maintain any piers, wharves, buildings or other conveniences, necessary for maintaining said Ferry on the shores and landing places of the Sheepscot river in the towns of Edgecomb and Wiscasset, at such places as are now laid out for the use of the Ferry over said river and at such other places as the County Commissioners for the County of Lincoln shall adjudge convenient and necessary: *Provided*, that said corporation shall pay the owner or owners of the land or privilege so occupied and improved, such damages as the County Commissioners aforesaid shall assess.

Present Ferry-men may own the whole or any part of the stock of said Corporation.

Proviso.

SECT. 4. *Be it further enacted*, That the present Ferry-men, Moses Davis and John M. Brookings named in the first section of this Act, may own the whole or any part of the stock of said corporation; *Provided*, they file with the Clerk of said corporation good and sufficient bonds within ten days after the first meeting of said corporation, that they will comply with the provisions of this Act, within four months from the organization of said corporation.

Powers granted shall be void unless said ferry shall be in operation within two years.

SECT. 5. *Be it further enacted*, That if said Ferry be not set up, and in operation in two years from the passing of this Act, the powers hereby granted shall be void, and said powers may at any time, be enlarged, restricted, or annulled at the pleasure of the Legislature.

First meeting—how to be called.

SECT. 6. *Be it further enacted*, That any three of the persons named in the first section of this Act, may call the first meeting of said corporation, at which meeting all officers may be chosen and corporation business transacted; such previous notice of said meeting being given in a fair and public manner.

CHAPTER 282.

AN ACT to incorporate the Penobscot County Agricultural Society.

Approved March 9, 1832.

SECT. 1. *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives, in Legislature assembled*, That Samuel Chamber-

lain, Robert Harvey, Ira Fish, James B. Fiske, David A. Gove, Reuben S. Prescott, James Patten, Joseph Doane, Larnard Wright, William R. Miller and Edward Kent, with their associates and successors, be and they hereby are created a corporation by the name of the Penobscot County Agricultural Society, with power by that name to sue and be sued; use a common seal; make by-laws for the management of their affairs, not repugnant to the laws of the State; to have and hold estate real or personal, the income of which shall not exceed three thousand dollars annually, to be applied exclusively for the advancement of Agriculture and the mechanic arts connected therewith; and to have and enjoy all the rights and powers of similar corporations.

Names of Persons incorporated.

Powers &c.

May hold real or personal Estate.

SECT. 2. *Be it further enacted,* That any two of the persons above named may call the first meeting of said corporation on giving such previous public notice of the time and place thereof, as they may deem suitable.

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 granted maybe changed.

CHAPTER 283.

AN ACT regulating the survey of Lumber in the County of Penobscot.

Approved March 9, 1832.

SECT. 1. *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives, in Legislature assembled,* That the Governor be and hereby is authorized, with the advice of the Council, to appoint some suitable person to be Surveyor General of lumber in the County of Penobscot, who shall make his residence in the town of Bangor, and hold his office for the term of four years, unless sooner removed by the Governor and Council, and shall give bond with sufficient sureties to the Treasurer of said County in the sum of two thousand dollars, for the faithful discharge of his duty, to be ap-

Surveyor General to be appointed—who shall reside at Bangor.

Term of office.

He shall give Bond.