

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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PRIVATE AND SPECIAL

ACTS

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE,

PASSED BY THE

THIRTEENTH LEGISLATURE,

AT ITS SESSION COMMENCING JANUARY 2, 1833.

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Proviso.

fences; *Provided*, That not more than one third of the width of the street shall be so occupied. And such materials, so placed by virtue of any license obtained as aforesaid, shall not be considered as an incumbrance or nuisance in such street; and the City or person or corporation, so placing the same, shall not be liable for any damage occasioned by such materials. *Provided* however, That this Act shall not take effect or be in force against any person or persons, (excepting inhabitants who have a residence and settlement in the City of Portland,) and shall not be so construed as to deprive him or them of any right or privilege to which they are now entitled by the general laws of this State, and particularly the right of recovering damages against said Corporation for injuries sustained by reason of their highways or streets being incumbered, unsafe and out of repair.

CHAPTER 326.

AN ACT to incorporate the Peucinian Society of Bowdoin College.

Approved February 20, 1833.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives, in Legislature assembled, That John D. Kinsman, Philip Eastman, and George W. Bachelder, with their associates, successors and assigns, be and they hereby are, incorporated into a Company by the name of the Peucinian Society of Bowdoin College; for the purpose of diffusing useful knowledge and promoting the interests of science and literature; with power by that name to prosecute and defend suits in law or equity; use a common seal; make and establish by-laws, not repugnant to the laws of the State, for the management of their affairs; take, hold and convey any estate, real and personal, to an amount not exceeding the sum of Five Thousand Dollars in value, over and above the value of their books. And John D. Kinsman is here-

Names of persons incorporated.

Their powers &c.

by authorized to call the first meeting of the Corporation, First meeting.
 on giving such notice of the time and place thereof as he
 may think suitable.

CHAPTER 327.

AN ADDITIONAL ACT for the benefit of the Damariscotta
 Bridge.

Approved February 20, 1833.

SECT. 1. *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives, in Legislature assembled,* That, if any person, after the first day of April next, shall willingly ride or drive any horse or horses, faster than at a walk, over or upon the Damariscotta Bridge, he shall, for every such offence, forfeit and pay a fine of Three Dollars, to be recovered by action of debt in the name of the Treasurer, to the use of the Proprietors of said Bridge. Forfeiture for riding or driving faster than upon a walk.

SECT. 2. *Be it further enacted,* That said Proprietors shall keep, in some conspicuous place at each end of said bridge, a board or sign on which the substance of the foregoing regulation shall be fairly and plainly printed.

SECT. 3. *Be it further enacted,* That except the persons resident in the towns of New-Castle, Nobleborough and Bristol, and except persons, who may take yearly permits for passing said bridge, and also the Drivers of regular stages, which may have the benefits of permits as aforesaid, no person shall be liable to the penalty aforesaid, unless previously notified that, for such offence, a penalty has been provided by law. No person liable excepting &c., unless &c.

SECT. 4. *Be it further enacted,* That seventeen feet shall Width of Draw.
 be taken and considered as a sufficient width for the draw in said bridge, instead of the twenty four feet now required by law.