

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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PRIVATE AND SPECIAL ACTS

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE,

PASSED BY THE

SIXTYEIGHTH LEGISLATURE,

At its Session, held in January, 1836.

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Chapter 3.

AN ACT to provide for the sale and distribution of the Ministerial and School Lands in Plantation No. 1—County of Oxford.

Approved January 27, 1836.

Persons incor-
porated.

Corporate name.

Treasurer to give
bonds for faithful
discharge of his
trust.

SECT. 1. *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in Legislature assembled,* That the Assessors, Plantation Clerk and Treasurer of the Plantation of No. One in the County of Oxford for the time being, be, and they are hereby constituted and declared to be a body corporate and Trustees of the Ministerial and School Lands in said Plantation, so long as the same shall remain unincorporated, with power to prosecute and defend suits at law, to have a common seal, to make any By-Laws not repugnant to the laws of this State with all other powers incident by law to such corporations, and said Trustees shall annually elect a President, Clerk and Treasurer, and the Treasurer shall give bonds with sufficient sureties in opinion of the Trustees for the faithful discharge of his trust, and the Clerk shall be sworn to the faithful discharge of his duty.

Powers and du-
ties.

SECT. 2. *Be it further enacted,* That the Trustees aforesaid be and they are hereby vested with all the powers granted to and be subject to and perform all the duties required by law of Trustees of incorporated towns for similar purposes.

Chapter 4.

AN ACT authorizing the erection of a Dam across Parker's Bay in the Town of Phippsburg.

Approved January 27, 1836.

Persons incor-
porated.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in Legislature assembled, That William M. Read, Thomas M. Read and Barnard C. Bailey, their heirs and assigns be

and they are hereby authorized to erect and maintain a dam for the purpose of raising a water power to propel the machinery of mills and other manufactories, from land owned by said Reads and Bailey on Parker's head or neck across said Parker's Bay to land of said Reads and Bailey in the town of Phipsburg in the County of Lincoln, and to erect and maintain mills and other manufactories, *Provided however*, that said Reads and Bailey, their heirs and assigns shall be liable to the owners of land, marsh and other property in said Bay for damages (if any) occasioned by said dam, as if this act had not been passed.

Place of location.

Corporators liable to owners of land for damages.

Chapter 5.

AN ACT to incorporate the Bethel Academy.

Approved January 27, 1836.

SECT. 1. *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in Legislature assembled*, That there be, and hereby is established at Bethel in the County of Oxford, an Academy by the name of Bethel Academy for the purpose of instruction in such branches of education as are usually taught in Academies; and that John Grover, Moses Mason, Jr. William Frye, Charles Frost, Jedediah Burbank, John Hastings, Stephen Emery, Barbour Bartlett, James Walker, Levi Whitman, Robbins Brown, Valentine Little, George W. Chapman, Timothy Carter, Phineas Frost, Timothy Hastings, and Robert A. Chapman, their associates and successors, be, and hereby are incorporated a body politic by the name of the Trustees of Bethel Academy, with power to prosecute and defend suits at law, have a common seal and change the same at pleasure, to make any by-laws not repugnant to the laws of this State, to have and to hold by gift, grant, devise, bequest, or otherwise any real or personal estate, the annual income of which shall not exceed two thousand dollars, and to give,

Corporate name.

Persons incorporated.

Corporate name.

Powers, &c.

May hold real or personal estate to the amount of \$2,000.