

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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**P R I V A T E**

AND

**S P E C I A L   A C T S**

OF THE

**S T A T E   O F   M A I N E ,**

PASSED BY THE

**S E V E N T E E N T H   L E G I S L A T U R E ,**

**J A N U A R Y   S E S S I O N ,   1 8 3 7 .**

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PUBLISHED AGREEABLY TO THE RESOLVE OF JUNE 28, 1820.

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Proprietors of Townships interested, may become proprietors of said corporation on condition, &c.

SECT. 5. *Be it further enacted*, That if at any time hereafter the proprietor or proprietors of the Townships interested in these improvements or of any part thereof and whose timber must in whole or in part pass through the same, shall be desirous and willing to contribute and pay to the said corporation their equitable proportion of the amount expended in making these improvements, and keeping the same in repair, that they shall be permitted and authorized so to do, and shall thereafter be released from all toll, and the amount so to be paid if not agreed upon between the parties, shall be settled and determined by the Land Agent of the State.

Owners of mill privileges not debarred from occupying their privileges.

SECT. 6. *Be it further enacted*, That nothing in this Act shall prevent the owner or owners of any of the lands or water-falls within the limits of said corporation from improving the same for milling purposes.

Power to call meetings, and divide Stock into any number of shares.

SECT. 7. *Be it further enacted*, That said corporation may establish the mode of calling meetings, may agree upon the number of shares into which the capital stock shall be divided, the evidence of ownership thereof and the manner of transferring the same, may make assessments, and do all things that may be necessary for the management of the concerns of said corporation.

General powers.

SECT. 8. *Be it further enacted*, That said corporation shall be entitled to all the powers and privileges and subject to all the duties and requirements of the several Acts regulating Manufacturing Companies, and the several Acts of this State concerning corporations.

## Chapter 240.

AN ACT to incorporate the Great Works Manufacturing Company.

Approved February 9, 1837.

Corporators.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives, in Legislature assembled*, That Jacob Davis, James Tatterson, William Burr, Samuel Burbank,

Thomas Goodwin, 3d, William L. Foote, Benjamin H. Gerrish and Andrew Goodwin, their associates and successors be and they hereby are constituted a body politic and corporate, by the name of the Great Works Manufacturing Company, for the purpose of manufacturing wool and cotton in the town of South Berwick in the County of York; and said corporation may erect such mills, dams, works, machines and buildings on their own land as may be necessary and convenient for carrying on these useful manufactures and branches of trade; and for these purposes shall have all the powers and privileges, and be subject to all the duties, and requirements expressed in the several Acts of this State defining the general powers and duties incident to manufacturing corporations.

Corporate name.

Location.

Powers, &c.

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

Capital Stock,—  
\$100,000.

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**Chapter 241.**

AN ACT additional to an Act incorporating the Orono Company.

Approved February 9, 1837.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives, in Legislature assembled*, That the Orono Company be and they hereby are authorized to take and hold any real and personal estate to the value of one hundred thousand dollars, in addition to the sum, named in the Act to which this is additional, and the capital stock of said company from and after the passage of this Act shall consist of three hundred thousand dollars, which shall be divided into shares of one hundred dollars each, and each owner of one share shall be entitled to one vote, and every five shares more than one shall be entitled to

Additional Capital Stock,—\$100,000.

Number of shares.

Manner of voting.