

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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SPECIAL ACTS

OF THE

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1837.

Chapter 243.

AN ACT giving powers to the County Commissioners of the County of Cumberland, to lay out a road over the tide waters from Brunswick, to the Great Island in Harpswell, and to Orr's Island.

Approved February 13, 1837.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives, in Legislature assembled, That the County Commissioners for the County of Cumberland, shall have power—if they deem it expedient—and the public interest and convenience so require, to lay out and establish a County road or public highway over the tide-waters from Brunswick to the Great Island in Harpswell, where the present bridge stands—and they shall also have power, whenever application is made to them for that purpose, to continue said road or highway across said Island, and over tide-waters on to Orr's Island in said town of Harpswell—*Provided,* it shall be deemed by them to be expedient, and for the public interest and convenience.

Power to lay out Road.

May continue said Road, &c.

Proviso.

Chapter 244.

AN ACT to incorporate Charleston Academy.

Approved February 13, 1837.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives, in Legislature assembled,* That Samuel Garnsey, James Norcross, Calvin Copeland, Henry Hill and Daniel Small, with their associates and successors, be, and they hereby are incorporated into a company by the name of the Trustees of Charleston Academy, to be located in the town of Charleston, in the County of Penobscot, for the purpose of advancing science and literature and promoting morality, piety and religion.

Corporators.

Corporate name.

SECT. 2. *Be it further enacted,* That said corporation are hereby vested with all the rights, privileges and immunities, usually granted to similar corporations, and they

General powers.

are authorized to use a common seal, prosecute and defend suits at law, make and establish by-laws and regulations for management of their affairs, and the well ordering of their seminary, not repugnant to the laws of the State, and to hold estate real and personal, to an amount the income of which shall not exceed five thousand dollars per annum.

Capital stock.

Number of Trustees.

SECT. 3. *Be it further enacted*, That the number of Trustees of said Academy shall not be less at any time than eleven nor more than twenty, a majority of whom shall form a quorum for the transaction of business; and the persons above named with such others as they may associate with themselves not exceeding twenty in the whole, shall be the Trustees of said Academy, and the members of said corporation may fill all vacancies in the Board of Trustees, and may remove any Trustee, when incapable through age or otherwise of discharging the duties of said office.

Members of said corporation may fill all vacancies and make removals when necessary.

Conveyances made by Treasurer valid in law.

SECT. 4. *Be it further enacted*, That all deeds of conveyance of real estate made under the direction of said Trustees, in behalf of said corporation, and sealed with their seal, and signed and acknowledged by their Treasurer shall be valid in law.

First meeting.

SECT. 5. *Be it further enacted*, That Samuel Garnsey or James Norcross may call the first meeting of said corporation, on giving such notice as he may deem reasonable.

Chapter 245.

AN ACT to authorize the "Georgia Lumber Company" to keep an office and transact business within this State.

Approved February 14, 1837.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives, in Legislature assembled*, That from and after the passage of this Act, it shall be lawful for the