

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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also of engaging in such other branches of trade and business as may be necessarily connected therewith; and for these purposes shall have all the powers and privileges, and be subject to all the duties and requirements incident by law to similar corporations and also to an Act entitled an Act concerning corporations passed the sixteenth day of February in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and thirty-six.

Powers and privileges.

SECT. 2. *Be it further enacted*, That said company may take and hold for the purposes aforesaid, any estate real or personal to an amount not exceeding fifty thousand dollars, with power to give, grant, bargain, sell or convey the same as they may see fit and expedient.

Capital Stock,—
\$50,000.

SECT. 3. *Be it further enacted*, That the first meeting of said company shall be holden at such time and place within this State and notified in such manner as a majority of the persons herein named shall direct.

First meeting.

Chapter 308.

AN ACT to incorporate the Maine Institute of Natural Science.

Approved March 20, 1837.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives, in Legislature assembled, That J. W. Mighels, W. B. Sewall, Wm. Willis, Jason Whitman, G. F. Cox, John Neal, Solomon Adams, James Furbish, Wm. Wood, E. Clark, J. W. Chickering and Daniel Winslow, their associates and successors, be, and they hereby are constituted a body politic and corporate by the name of Maine Institute of Natural Science, for the purpose of establishing and maintaining a cabinet or collection of specimens in Geology and Mineralogy, and other branches of Natural Science or History; and shall have power to take, hold,

Corporators.

Corporate name.

May hold estate
to the amount of
\$30,000.

sell or convey any estate real or personal to any amount not exceeding thirty thousand dollars; and shall have all the privileges and powers, and be subject to all the duties and liabilities mentioned in the several Acts defining the general powers and duties of similar corporations.

Chapter 309.

AN ACT to authorize the Proprietors of the Brick Meeting House in Thomaston to dispose of the same.

Approved March 20, 1837.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives, in Legislature assembled, That the Proprietors of the Brick Meeting House in Thomaston be and they are hereby authorized and empowered to sell and convey said House and the land belonging to the same in such manner as they shall direct by a vote of a majority of all of said proprietors at any legal meeting called for that purpose. But previous to the time of such sale, said proprietors shall cause the pews of said Meeting House and the land belonging to the same to be appraised by three disinterested freeholders; and the proceeds of such sale shall be divided among the pew-holders of said Meeting House according to said appraisal.

May sell and convey
said house.

Pews and land to
be appraised.

Chapter 310.

AN ACT to incorporate the Piscataquis Slate Quarry Company.

Approved March 20, 1837.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives, in Legislature assembled,* That Benjamin Leavitt, James M. Leavitt, Henry P. Pratt, S. L. Black

Corporators.