

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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PRIVATE

AND

SPECIAL ACTS

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE,

PASSED BY THE

EIGHTEENTH LEGISLATURE,

JANUARY SESSION, 1838.

PUBLISHED AGREEABLY TO THE RESOLVE OF JUNE 28, 1820.

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1838.

Corporators. John Merrill, John R. Post, Woodbridge C. Osborne, Eliphalet Clark, and Edward T. Russell, their associates successors and assigns be and they hereby are created a body politic and corporate by the name of the Union Marble and Lime Company, for the purpose of quarrying Marble on their own land and dressing the same, and for Manufacturing lime in the town of Union in the County of Lincoln, and vending the same, and for these purposes, said corporation may take and hold any real and personal estate not exceeding one hundred thousand dollars, and at pleasure alienate the same and shall have all the powers and privileges and be subject to the duties and requirements contained in the several Acts defining the general powers and duties of manufacturing corporations.

Corporate name.

Capital Stock, \$100,000.

Chapter 496.

AN ACT ADDITIONAL to an Act, entitled an Act in addition to an Act to incorporate the Kennebec Log Driving Company.

Approved March 23, 1838.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in Legislature assembled,* That it shall not be lawful hereafter for any person or corporation to mark or cause to be marked any logs put into the Kennebec River or its tributaries usually denominated prize logs, before the same shall have been sold by the Kennebec Log Driving Company or their assigns, and scaled in the customary manner, to some bona fide purchaser; nor shall it be lawful for any person or corporation to mark, or cause to be marked, or in any way appropriate to his or their own use, any such log or logs above Ticonic Falls in Waterville; *Provided,* that nothing in this Act shall be construed so as to impair the exclusive right of the Kennebec Log Driving Company to control and dispose of all the prize logs in Kennebec River.

Not lawful to mark prize logs, until the same has been sold, &c.

SECT. 2. *Be it further enacted,* That whenever any person or corporation, other than the Kennebec Log Driving Company, shall drive his or their own logs down Kennebec River, and shall seasonably furnish reasonable proof thereof, together with the number of feet thus driven, to the Directors of said Company, it shall be the duty of said Directors to apportion to such owner or owners a just and equal share of the proceeds of all prize logs sold by said Company, the year such logs may be driven as aforesaid.

Persons entitled to a share of the privileges, not belonging to the Company, in certain cases.

SECT. 3. *Be it further enacted,* That whenever the owner or owners of any logs or other timber collected and secured in the manner and for the purposes prescribed in the Act to which this is additional, shall seasonably pay the agent or agents having the same in charge, a sum of money equal to the expenses thereon, and shall furnish said agent or agents with his or their respective marks, and shall request the said agent or agents not to include the same in the sales which by virtue of the aforesaid Act said agents are authorized to make; it shall not be lawful for such agent or agents to sell said logs and it shall be his or their duty to keep the same until such owner or owners can conveniently take them into his or their own custody: *Provided,* that the owner or owners of the aforesaid logs shall take the same into his or their own custody before the tenth day of October next ensuing after the notice aforesaid, and shall pay to the said agent or agents all necessary and reasonable intervening charges; and *Provided further* that in case any such owner or owners shall neglect or refuse to take into his own custody or to pay such necessary and reasonable charges before said tenth day of October, it shall be lawful for the agent or agents aforesaid to include the logs of such owner or owners in the sales authorized by the Act to which this is additional, unless he shall pay the expenses thereon and take or offer to take them into his own custody prior to such sale.

Entitled to proportion of prize logs previous to sale, on certain conditions.

Part of former
Act repealed.

SECT. 4. *Be it further enacted,* That the fourth section of the Act to which this is additional, approved March twentieth, A. D. one thousand eight hundred and thirty-seven, be, and the same is hereby repealed, as also any parts of said Act inconsistent with the provisions of this Act.

Any person may
become a mem-
ber, &c.

SECT. 5. *Be it further enacted,* That any person may become a member of this Company by leaving a request for that purpose in writing by him signed, with the Clerk, which shall be by the Clerk recorded and kept on file: and any person may withdraw from said Company by filing with the Clerk a request for that purpose, and paying all assessments and debts due from him to said Company.

SECT. 6. *Be it further enacted,* That the powers granted by this Act may be enlarged, restrained or annulled, or any part thereof, at the pleasure of the Legislature.

Chapter 497.

AN ACT to incorporate the Madison Boom Company.

Approved March 23, 1838.

Corporators.

Corporatename.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in Legislature assembled,* That Benjamin Spaulding, Alvah Heald, Wentworth Viles, Ariel Pinkham with their associates, successors and assigns be and they hereby are created a body politic and corporate by the name of the Madison Boom Company and by that name may sue and be sued—have and use a common seal; make by laws for the management of their concerns not repugnant to the laws of the State and have and enjoy all the rights and privileges incident to similar corporations.

Powers and priv-
ileges.

SECT. 2. *Be it further enacted,* That said company may erect and maintain a boom with a suitable number of piers commencing at a rock in the Kenne-