

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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ACTS AND RESOLVES,

PASSED BY THE

TWENTY-FIRST LEGISLATURE

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE,

JANUARY SESSION, 1841.

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1841.

**PUBLIC AND SPECIAL LAWS**  
OF THE  
**STATE OF MAINE.**  
**1841.**

[supplied from page 289 of volume]

Surrender of charter accepted. the charter of the Lafayette Bank, Bangor, be, and the same hereby is accepted, and the same shall terminate when this Act shall take effect.

To continue in corporate capacity two years. —purposes. —liable for all debts. Powers, &c. SECT. 2. *Be it further enacted*, That the said bank shall continue in its corporate capacity, for and during the term of two years from the time this Act shall take effect, for the sole purpose of collecting the debts due the corporation, selling and conveying the property and estate thereof, and shall remain liable for the payment of all debts due from the same, and shall be capable of prosecuting and defending suits at law, and for choosing directors for the purpose aforesaid, and for closing its concerns.

When to take effect. To publish notice, &c. SECT. 3. *Be it further enacted*, That this Act shall take effect and be in force from and after the sixth day of October, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-one, and that said bank shall publish for three months, weekly, in the State paper, and in one or more papers, if any there be, in the County in which said bank may be located, that it has surrendered its charter, stating the time when such surrender went into effect, and also, the time when its liability to redeem its bills by law will expire.

[Approved April 6, 1841.]

### Chapter 152.

AN ACT to extend the time to locate and construct the Kennebec and Portland Rail-road.

Extension, of five years for location, &c. —of six years to take up stock. —of ten years for completion of road. *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in Legislature assembled*, That the time specified in the third section of the Act, granting the charter to the Kennebec and Portland Rail-road Company, for the survey to be made and a return of the same, be and the same is hereby extended five years, and the time for the stock to be taken up to six years, and the time for the completion of the whole road to ten years, from the day this Act shall be approved by

the Governor; and all parts of the Act to which this refers, inconsistent with the provisions of this Act, be and the same are hereby repealed.

[Approved April 9, 1841.]

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### Chapter 153.

AN ACT to repeal an Act providing that blank books shall be furnished the cities, towns and plantations in this State.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in Legislature assembled, That the Act, approved March thirteenth, eighteen hundred and forty, making it the duty of the Secretary of State to furnish the several cities, towns, and plantations, in this State, with suitable blank books, in which to record their inventory and valuation, be, and the same is hereby repealed.*

[Approved April 9, 1841.]

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### Chapter 154.

AN ACT to repeal an Act entitled "an Act creating the village of Augusta into a corporation for certain purposes," approved March tenth, eighteen hundred and thirty-five.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in Legislature assembled, That an Act, entitled "an Act creating the village of Augusta into a corporation for certain purposes," approved March tenth, eighteen hundred and thirty-five, be, and the same is hereby repealed.*

[Approved April 9, 1841.]

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### Chapter 155.

AN ACT providing for the appointment of a permanent chaplain for the Maine State Prison.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in Legislature assembled, That the Governor, with advice of Council, shall annually*