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ACTS AND RESOLVES

PASSED BY THE

TWENTY-FOURTH LEGISLATURE

OF THE

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OF THE

STATE OF MAINE,

1844.

CHAP. 172.

SECT. 3. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its approval by the governor.

[Approved March 21, 1844.]

Chapter 172.

AN ACT to incorporate the Kennebec Manufacturing Company.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in Legislature assembled, as follows :

Names of corporators.

Ephraim Wood, Josiah Little, Thomas R. Jones, Josiah Little, jr. and their associates and successors, be, and they are hereby, constituted and made a body corporate and politic by the name of the Kennebec Manufacturing Company, with all the powers and privileges, and subject to all the duties and liabilities, provided in the laws of this state, concerning manufacturing corporations; and are authorized to purchase and hold real estate, not exceeding in value at any one time, the sum of fifty thousand dollars; and the same may improve, lease, sell and convey, as other proprietors of real and personal estate may lawfully do. And said company are authorized to carry on at Winthrop, the manufacture of cotton or wool and such other materials as may be necessarily or conveniently connected therewith, and may erect and construct such machinery, mills and other buildings, as may be useful for that purpose.

Corporate name. Powers, privileges, duties and liabilities. Authorized to hold real estate, &c.

Articles of manufacture.

Construction of machinery and mills.

[Approved March 21, 1844.]

Chapter 173.

AN ACT to change the name of the corporation called the Augusta High School to Augusta Classical School.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in Legislature assembled, as follows :

Augusta High School to be called Augusta Classical School.

SECT. 1. From and after the passage of this act, the corporation heretofore known by the name of "Augusta High School," is hereby changed to that of Augusta Classical School; and all records, contracts and other transactions, relating to, and binding upon, said corporation, and all other parties connected therewith, shall have the same binding effect as if the name of said corporation had not been changed.

SECT. 2. All acts and parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act, are hereby repealed. CHAP. 174.

[Approved March 21, 1844.]

Chapter 174.

AN ACT to incorporate the Bristol Mills Manufacturing Company.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in Legislature assembled, as follows :

SECT. 1. That Leonard Chamberlain, George B. Hussey, M. G. Varney, Thomas H. Chamberlain, Peaslee M. Wells, James Erskine, Ebenezer Given, Benjamin Ford, George Ford, Asa Thompson, Samuel Loud, Thomas Thurbert and their associates and successors, be, and they hereby are, constituted and made a body corporate and politic, by the name of the Bristol Mills Manufacturing Company, with all the powers and privileges, and subject to all the duties and liabilities, provided in the laws of this State concerning manufacturing corporations, and are authorized and empowered to hold real and personal estate, not exceeding in value, at any one time, the sum of twenty thousand dollars; and the same may improve, lease, sell and convey, as other proprietors of real and personal estate may lawfully do. And said company are authorized to carry on, in the town of Bristol, the manufacture of cotton and wool, and such other materials as may necessarily or conveniently [be] connected therewith; and may erect and construct such machinery, mills and other buildings, as may be useful for that purpose.

SECT. 2. The treasurer of said company shall publish semi-annually, in the months of January and July, in some newspaper printed in the county where said company is located, and in case no newspaper is printed therein, then in some newspaper printed in an adjoining county, a correct statement, under oath, of the amount of all the assessments voted by said company, and actually paid in, the net amount of the then existing capital stock, the amount of all debts due from said company, and also the amount of the capital stock invested in real estate, buildings, machinery and other fixtures, and the last estimated value of said property as fixed by the assessors of the town where said property is located. If said treasurer shall neglect or refuse to publish such statement as aforesaid, he shall be fined not exceeding two thousand dollars, or be imprisoned not exceeding one year, on indictment and conviction thereof; and if he shall neglect or refuse to publish such state-

Names of corporators.

Corporate name.

Powers and privileges.

To hold real estate to the value of \$20,000.

Articles of manufacture.

Mills and machinery.

Treasurer to publish semi-annually, a statement, under oath, of assessments, debts, &c.

Penalty for neglect or refusal.

Penalty for neglect to publish,