

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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ACTS AND RESOLVES

PASSED BY THE

TWENTY-FIFTH LEGISLATURE

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE,

A. D. 1845.

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Published by the Secretary of State, agreeably to Resolves of June 28, 1820, February 26, 1840,  
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PRIVATE AND SPECIAL LAWS

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE,

1845.

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CHAP. 200.

a district to elect one representative, to the legislature of this state, until otherwise provided by law.

To take effect  
after approval.

SECT. 9. This act shall be in force and take effect, from and after its approval by the governor.

[Approved February 13, 1845.]

### Chapter 200.

AN ACT authorizing the city council, of the city of Portland, to raise and assess a tax on the inhabitants of said city.

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

Tax authorized  
to be assessed on  
the inhabitants  
of the city of  
Portland, for re-  
connoissance of  
route for rail road  
from that city to  
Montreal.

The city council, of the city of Portland, in the county of Cumberland, in this state, is hereby authorized and empowered to raise and assess, upon the polls and estates of the inhabitants of said Portland, any sum of money, not exceeding one thousand dollars, for the purpose of defraying the expense of a preliminary examination and reconnoissance of a route for a rail road, from said Portland towards Montreal, in Lower Canada, together with such other expenses, as have already accrued, or which may hereafter accrue, under the authority and direction of the mayor and aldermen of said city, in connection with the object of the ultimate establishment and construction of a rail road, from said Portland to Canada line, in the direction of said Montreal.

[Approved February 13, 1845.]

### Chapter 201.

AN ACT to incorporate the Washington Manufacturing Company.

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

Corporators.

SECT. 1. Jacob Longfellow, William B. Smith, Daniel W. Dorman, E. L. Smith, Jeremiah O'Brien, Daniel Harwood and their associates and successors, are constituted and made a body politic and corporate, by the name of the Washington 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 said corporation is authorized to purchase and hold real and personal estate, not exceeding in value, at any one time, fifty thousand dollars, and the same may improve,

Corporate name.

Powers, privileges, &c.

To purchase and hold real and personal estate.

lease, sell and convey, as other proprietors of real and personal estate may lawfully do. And said company are authorized to carry on, at Machias, in the county of Washington, the manufacture of cotton and wool, and such other materials as may be necessarily connected therewith, and may erect and construct such machinery, mills and other buildings, as may be useful for that purpose.

Articles of manufacture.

Machinery, mills, &c.

[Approved February 14, 1845.]

### Chapter 202.

AN ACT to incorporate the Pembroke Iron Works Company.

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

SECT. 1. Horace Gray, John E. Thayer, Joseph Barrell, Charles H. Hayden, Stephen C. Foster, with their associates and successors, are hereby constituted a body politic and corporate, by the name of the Pembroke Iron Works Company, and they are hereby authorized to purchase and hold real and personal estate, to an amount, not exceeding one hundred and fifty thousand dollars, at any one time, for the purpose of manufacturing iron and steel, in all the various branches, in the town of Pembroke, in the county of Washington ; and the said corporation may erect, or purchase and hold, such buildings, dams and machinery, as may be necessary for carrying on such manufactures ; and shall have all the powers and privileges, and be subject to all the duties and requirements, expressed in the laws of this state, relating to manufacturing corporations.

Corporators.

Corporate name.

Amount of capital stock.

Purposes of incorporation.

Powers, privileges, and liabilities.

SECT. 2. Any three of the persons named in the first section of this act, may call the first meeting of this corporation, by giving notice of the time and place thereof, in the Eastport Sentinel, twenty days at least, before the time of the meeting.

First meeting, how called.

[Approved February 15, 1845.]

### Chapter 203.

AN ACT to incorporate the Hallowell Cotton Manufacturing Company.

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

Andrew Masters, Rufus K. Page, Jesse Aiken, Franklin Glazier, Bartholemew Nason, Justin S. Smith, Thomas B. Brooks, William

Corporators.