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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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PRIVATE AND SPECIAL LAWS

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE,

1845.

sole benefit of said corporation, according to the following rates, viz: for each foot passenger, one cent; for each person and horse, six cents; for each wagon, chaise, or other carriage of pleasure, drawn by one horse, twelve cents; for each coach, chariot, sleigh, phaeton or other carriage of pleasure, drawn by four horses, twenty-five cents; for each coach, sleigh, phaeton, or other carriage of pleasure, drawn by two horses, twenty cents; for each sled, sleigh, cart or other carriage of burden, drawn by one beast, ten cents; for each cart, wagon, sleigh or sled drawn by two beasts, twelve and a half cents; and for each additional beast, three cents; for neat cattle or horses, exclusive of those rode upon, or in teams or carriages, two cents; for sheep or swine, six cents a dozen; and for each team, one person, and no more, shall be allowed as a driver to pass free of toll; *provided*, that all persons going to or returning from public worship on the Sabbath, all persons going to or returning from any funeral, and all persons who shall actually be on military duty, shall be permitted, with their baggage, to pass said bridge free of toll; and at all times, when the toll gatherer shall not attend to his duty, the gate shall be left open; and the toll shall commence from the day of opening the bridge for passengers. And the proprietors aforesaid shall erect, and at all times keep, at the place where the toll is collected, exposed to view, a sign board, with the rates of toll fairly and legibly written thereon.

Rates of toll.

Proviso.

Gates to be open when toll gatherer is absent.

When tolls shall commence.

Rates of toll to be exposed to view.

[Approved February 20, 1845.]

Chapter 206.

AN ACT to incorporate the Brunswick Seminary.

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

John C. Humphreys, Parker Cleaveland, R. T. Dunlap, A. B. Thompson, A. J. Stone, Thomas C. Upham, A. S. Packard, Richard McManers, Adam Lemont, their associates and successors, be and hereby are constituted a body politic and corporate, forever, by the name and style of the Brunswick Seminary; and by that name shall have power to prosecute and defend suits at law; to have and use a common seal; to take and hold for the objects of their association, which objects are the promotion of literature and science, any estate, real or personal, the annual income of which shall not exceed two thousand dollars, and the same to use and dispose of at their pleasure; to make and execute any by-laws, for

Corporators.

Corporate name.

Powers.

Objects of the institution.
Annual income of property.

By-laws.

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the convenient management of their affairs, not repugnant to the laws of the state; and generally to have all the powers and privileges, incident to similar corporations.

[Approved February 20, 1845.]

Chapter 207.

AN ACT to incorporate the Portland Iron Manufacturing Company.

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

- Corporators.** **SECT. 1.** Joshua Richardson, Ebenezer Seavy, Alvah Libby, William Willis, John Oxnard, Joseph P. Chamberlain, David Morton, Ervin Orcutt, Thomas H. Richardson and Hiram Jordan, their associates, successors and assigns, are hereby created a body
- Corporate name.** politic and corporate, by the name of the Portland Iron Manufacturing Company, for the purpose of manufacturing iron, steel and
- Location.** machinery, of all kinds, in the city of Portland; with all the powers
- Powers, &c.** and privileges, and subject to all the duties, liabilities and requirements, provided for similar corporations, by the laws of this state.
- Capital stock.** **SECT. 2.** Said corporation may purchase and hold real and personal estate, to an amount not exceeding, at any one time, fifty thousand dollars, with full power to manage and dispose of the same.
- First meeting.** **SECT. 3.** Any two persons named in this act may call the first meeting of said corporation, for the purpose of its organization, by publishing a notice of the time and place of meeting, two weeks successively, in some newspaper printed in Portland.

[Approved February 20, 1845.]

Chapter 208.

AN ACT to incorporate the Proprietors of Dennyville Academy.

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

- Corporators.** **SECT. 1.** Theodore Lincoln, junior, John Kilby, Theophilus W. Allan, John Allan, John Balch, Solomon M. Foster, William Allan, Thomas Eastman, junior, Ebenezer Gardner, junior, Bela R. Reynolds, Zenas Wilder, D. C. McLaughlan, Thomas Stedman and William Woods, with their associates and successors, are