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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.

CHAP. 236.

Chapter 236.

AN ACT to incorporate the Wesseronset Woolen Manufacturing Company.

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

Corporators.

SECT. 1. That Charles Greene, John Ware, James S. Toby, Abel Ware, Ebenezer Hutchinson, George Bixby, Charles Wyman, there associates and successors, are hereby constituted and made a

Corporate name.

Articles of man-
ufacture.

Powers, privi-
leges, and liabil-
ities.

Power to possess
and control real
and personal es-
tate.

Value.

Power to erect
necessary dams,
machinery, &c.

Price of shares.

corporation by the name of the Wesseronset Woolen Manufacturing Company ; and are hereby empowered to carry on the manufac-
ture of wool in the town of Athens, within the county of Somerset ;
and for this purpose shall have all the powers and privileges, and
be subject to all the duties and requirements contained in the gen-
eral laws of the state, defining the powers and duties of such cor-
porations ; said corporation may purchase, take and hold real and
personal estate, to an amount, not exceeding in value five hundred
thousand dollars ; and may sell and dispose of the same at pleasure ;
and may erect on the real estate so to be purchased and held, such
dams, mills, works, machines and buildings, as shall be deemed
necessary or useful in carrying on the manufactures and conducting
the business of said corporation ; and no more than the sum of one
hundred dollars shall be assessed by said corporation on any one
share.

SECT. 2. This act shall take effect from and after its approval
by the governor.

[Approved March 14, 1845.]

Chapter 237.

AN ACT to incorporate the Trustees of the Brewer Academy.

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

Corporators.

SECT. 1. John B. Hayes, Oliver Farrington, Joseph B. Burr, Caleb Holyoke, Henry D. Parker, Lot Rider, John E. Green, Joshua Chamberlain, junior, Nathan Dole, Deodat Brastow, junior, John Hilferty, Jesse Hinks, James A. Dyer and Samuel Thurston, with their associates and successors, are hereby created a corpora-

Corporate name.

tion by the name and style of the Trustees of the Brewer Academy, for the purpose of establishing and maintaining an academy in the town of Brewer, in the county of Penobscot, and by that name may sue and be sued ; and may have a common seal ; may make any by-laws, for the management of their affairs, not repugnant to the

By-laws.

CHAP. 238.

laws of this state; and may take and hold by gift, grant, devise, bequest or otherwise, any real or personal estate, the annual income of which shall not exceed two thousand dollars; and may give, grant or lease the same; and may choose all officers necessary for the profitable management of their concerns and for the usefulness and advancement of said academy; *provided*, the sole purpose of said corporation shall be to inculcate and diffuse useful knowledge.

SECT. 2. The number of trustees of said institution shall not at any time be more than twenty, nor less than nine, seven of whom shall constitute a quorum to do business; and the persons before named, with such others as they may associate with, not to exceed twenty in the whole, shall be the trustees of said corporation; and said trustees or their successors may fill vacancies in their board.

SECT. 3. All deeds of conveyance of real estate, under the direction of the trustees of said corporation and sealed with their seals, signed and acknowledged by their treasurer, shall be valid.

SECT. 4. John B. Hayes, Oliver Farrington, Joseph B. Burr, or any two of them, may fix the time and place of the first meeting of the corporation, and shall give notice thereof in one or more of the weekly papers printed in the city of Bangor, in the county of Penobscot, at least four weeks before the time of said meeting.

[Approved March 14, 1845.]

Chapter 238.

AN ACT to establish the Islesborough and Northport Ferry Company.

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

SECT. 1. Lemuel B. Cobb, with his associates and successors, are hereby created a body politic and corporate, by the name of the Islesborough and Northport Ferry Company; with power by that name to sue and be sued; to have and use a common seal and to change the same at pleasure; to ordain, establish and put in execution, any by-laws and regulations for the management of their affairs, not repugnant to the laws of this state, and to exercise and enjoy all the powers and privileges incident to similar corporate bodies.

SECT. 2. Said corporation is hereby authorized to establish and maintain a ferry across the Penobscot bay, from Saturday cove, in Northport, to Seal harbor in Islesborough, with boat or boats sufficient for transporting passengers, travelers and freight with their horses, carriages, carts, teams and cattle.