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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.

Chapter 288.

AN ACT to incorporate the Eastern Steam Navigation Company.

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

Corporators.

SECT. 1. Nathaniel Kimball, Rufus K. Page, M. Sanford, A. H. Howard, their associates and successors, are hereby constituted

Corporate name.

and made a body corporate and politic, by the name of the Eastern Steam Navigation Company, and by that name may prosecute and defend suits at law; and have and use a common seal, with power

To purchase and hold real and personal estate.

to purchase and hold personal property to the amount of two hundred thousand dollars, and real estate to the amount of twenty thousand dollars, for the purpose of employing steam packets or

Powers.

boats for passengers and freight between Boston and such ports in the state of Maine, as said company may wish. And said corporation shall have power to sell and dispose of their property or

By-laws.

any part thereof; and also to make and enforce by-laws and regulations for the convenient management of their affairs, not repugnant to the laws of the state, and said corporation shall have and may exercise all the powers and privileges usually granted to similar corporations.

No. of shares.

SECT. 2. The stock of said corporation shall be divided into two thousand shares, not exceeding one hundred dollars each; and no assessments or installments shall be made nor required by said company, whereby any stockholder shall be held to pay more than one hundred dollars on each share.

Value of shares.

First meeting.

SECT. 3. The first meeting of the corporation may be called by the three first named in this act, by giving reasonable notice of the time and place of such meeting.

[Approved April 7, 1845.]

Chapter 289.

AN ACT to change the name of the "Great Androscoggin Falls Mill Dam Locks and Canal Company."

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

Name of corporation changed to Lewiston Water Power Company.

SECT. 1. From and after the passage of this act the corporation heretofore known by the name of "Great Androscoggin Falls Mill Dam Locks and Canal Company," is hereby changed to that of "The Lewiston Water Power Company," 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.

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

Inconsistent acts and provisions repealed.

[Approved April 7, 1845.]

Chapter 290.

AN ACT to incorporate the Bangor Steam Navigation Company.

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

SECT. 1. Samuel P. Strickland, Hastings Strickland, Jabez True, John Goddard, James Jenkins, Franklin Adams, Rufus K. Hardy, Edward C. Hyde, Albert Emerson, Alden Parker, John P. Rich, Cyrus Goss, Edward E. Upham, Albert Holton, John J. Jerome, Joseph Bryant, Joseph H. Bryant, Jacob Drummond, Oliver Frost, Cyrus Emery, Isaiah Stetson, George Stetson, Hermon Fisher, Rufus S. Currier, Austin Jones, James Arey, John Low, Ebenezer Sutton, Jeremiah Fenno, George R. Smith, Samuel D. Campbell, Isaac A. Hatch, Arad Thompson, Thomas H. Shaw, George W. Merrill, Charles P. Holland, David Mosman, Daniel P. Wood, Ephraim Moulton, Jeremiah Moulton, Charles Stetson, Elijah L. Hamlin, Hiram Hunt, John S. Ayer, Nathaniel C. Ayer, Nathan W. Chase, Samuel D. Gates, Amos M. Roberts, George L. Phillips, Ansel Leighton, Samuel Lunt, George Wheelwright and Sylvanus Rich, junior, their associates, successors and assigns, be and they are hereby incorporated and made a body politic, by the name of the Bangor Steam Navigation Company ; with power to sue and be sued ; to have a common seal ; to make such by-laws for the due regulation of said corporation as may be deemed necessary : *provided*, they be not repugnant to the laws of the state, and shall enjoy all the rights and powers incident to such corporations.

Corporators.

Corporate name.

By-laws.

SECT. 2. That said corporation may take and hold such real and personal estate not exceeding sixty thousand dollars as may be necessary and proper for establishing and prosecuting the object and purposes of their incorporation, and may give, grant, bargain, sell, lease, or otherwise dispose of the same. And said company may divide their property into as many shares as they may deem proper of not less than fifty dollars each.

Power to hold and control real and personal estate.

Shares and value of same.

SECT. 3. That any two of the corporators aforementioned may call the first meeting of said corporation by advertisement of the

First meeting, how called.