

# 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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PRIVATE AND SPECIAL LAWS

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE,

1845.

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 All acts and parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act are hereby repealed.

Inconsistent acts and provisions repealed.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.

CHAP. 291. time and place thereof in some newspaper printed in Bangor, seven days, at least, before the time appointed for holding said meeting.  
 [Approved April 7, 1845.]

### Chapter 291.

AN ACT to incorporate the Thomaston Academy.

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

Thomaston Academy.	SECT. 1. There is hereby established, at Thomaston, in the county of Lincoln, an academy by the name of the Thomaston Academy, for the purpose of instruction in such branches of education as are usually taught in academies ; and that Atwood Levensaler, Edward Robinson, Moses Ludwig, William Singer, Oliver Jordan, John D. Barnard, Henry C. Lowell, Samuel C. Fessenden, Timothy Fogg, Richard Woodhall, Amariah Kellock, Edmund Wilson and Richard Robinson, John Berry, their associates and successors, are hereby incorporated a body politic, by the name of the Trustees of Thomaston Academy, with power to prosecute and defend suits at law ; have a common seal, and change the same at pleasure ; to make any by-laws not repugnant to the laws of the state ; to have 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 to give, grant, bargain, sell or release the same, and apply the interest, rents and profits thereof in such manner, as shall best promote the object of said academy.
Corporators.	
Corporate name.	
By-laws.	
Real and personal estate. Limitation of annual income. How applied.	
Officers.	SECT. 2. The said trustees shall have power, from time to time, to elect such officers as may be necessary, and limit the tenure of their offices ; to fill all vacancies at their board by electing such persons for trustees as they may deem suitable ; to determine the times and places of their meetings ; the manner of calling them ; the method of electing and removing trustees ; to prescribe the powers and duties of their several officers ; to appoint preceptors and other teachers of said academy ; to determine their powers and duties ; to fix their compensation : and to limit the tenure of their offices.
Vacancies.	
Meetings.	
Preceptors and teachers.	
No. of trustees.	SECT. 3. The number of said trustees shall not at any time be more than twenty nor less than eleven, a majority of whom shall constitute a quorum for transacting business.
Quorum.	
First meetings.	SECT. 4. Atwood Levensaler and Edward Robinson, or either