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ACTS AND RESOLVES

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TWENTY-EIGHTH LEGISLATURE

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PRIVATE AND SPECIAL LAWS

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE,

1848.

CHAP. 147.**Chapter 147.**

An act to incorporate the town of Maine.

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

Boundaries.

SECT. 1. The tract of land in the county of Penobscot now known as Jarvis Gore, and bounded west by the town of Eddington, north by the town of Bradley, east by the towns of Amherst and Mariaville and south by the town of Otis, with the inhabitants thereon, is hereby incorporated into a town by the name of Maine; and the inhabitants of said town are hereby vested with all the powers, privileges and immunities, and subject to the same liabilities as other incorporated towns in this state.

Powers, privileges and liabilities.

Meeting for choice of officers.

SECT. 2. Any justice of the peace within said county is hereby empowered to issue a warrant to one of the inhabitants of said town, requiring him to notify the inhabitants to meet at such time and place as shall be appointed in said warrant, for the choice of such officers as towns are by law empowered and required to choose at their annual meetings.

[Approved August 7, 1848.]

Chapter 148.

An act to incorporate the North Wayne Scythe Company.

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

Corporators.

SECT. 1. Reuben B. Dunn, Josiah F. Taylor, Anson P. Morrill, James R. Bachelder, John Haynes and J. E. T. Dunn, their associates and successors are hereby constituted and made a body corporate by the name of the North Wayne Scythe 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 are hereby authorized to purchase and hold real and personal estate, not exceeding in value at any one time three hundred thousand dollars; and the same may improve, lease, sell and convey as other proprietors of real and personal estate may lawfully do. And said company are authorized to purchase, erect, alter and repair on their own premises in the towns of Wayne, Fayette and Mount Vernon in Kennebec county, all necessary dams, canals, sluice-

Corporate name.

Authorized to purchase and hold estate not exceeding \$100,000.

to erect dams, canals, &c.

ways and pent-stocks for carrying on the manufacture of iron, steel, brass and wood into scythes, agricultural and mechanical tools and implements; and to erect, purchase and use all such dwelling houses, warehouses, buildings, shops and stores, as may be found necessary for their accommodation and convenience; and may build, purchase, use and keep in repair saw mills, grist mills and founderies, with all other necessary buildings and fixtures as may be suitably connected therewith for the purposes of turning, polishing and finishing their tools, implements and manufactured articles.

CHAP. 149.

Articles of manufacture.

May erect buildings, mills, founderies, &c.

SECT. 2. The by-laws of the corporation shall prescribe the time and place of the annual meeting of the company; what officers shall be chosen for the management of its affairs; and establish such rules and regulations as the corporators, may deem suitable and proper, in carrying out the purposes of the association, not inconsistent with the laws of this state.

By laws.

SECT. 3. The first meeting of the corporation shall be called by any two of the persons named in the first section of this act, by giving written notice to their associates ten days at least before the time of said meeting.

First meeting.

[Approved August 7, 1848.]

Chapter 149.

An act additional to "an act to incorporate the Cherryfield Boom Company."

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

SECT. 1. The Cherryfield Boom Company shall, from and after the passage of this act, have the right to erect a new boom or booms on and across the Narraguagus river and its western branch, at any point which said corporation shall elect, within two miles from and above the place where the boom is now located, for such time as they may deem proper, not exceeding the time allowed by the charter of said corporation.

Authorized to erect new boom.

SECT. 2. Said new boom or booms shall have the same privileges and be subject to the same regulations, provisos, and restrictions as are prescribed in the act to which this is additional; that the same shall, within one year from the passage of this act, be made suitable for the safe rafting of logs, masts, and spars, and be fully completed in two years from the passage of this act.

Privileges, regulations and restrictions.

To be made suitable for the safe rafting of logs within one year. —completed in two years.