

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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ACTS AND RESOLVES

PASSED BY THE

TWENTY-EIGHTH LEGISLATURE

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE,

A. D. 1848.

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PRIVATE AND SPECIAL LAWS

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE,

1848.

CHAP. 178. provided said boat is completed and ready for operations in one year from the first day of May next.

[Approved August 10, 1848.]

Chapter 178.

An act to incorporate the Augusta Savings Bank.

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

Corporators.

SECT. 1. William Woart, Henry Williams, Benjamin A. G. Fuller, Reuel Williams, Benjamin Swan, Luther Severance, Frederic A. Fuller, William R. Smith, Lot M. Morrill, David Bronson and Allen Lambard, their associates and successors are hereby incorporated into a body politic and corporate, by the name of the Augusta Savings Bank, with power by that name to prosecute and defend suits at law and equity ; have and use a common seal ; make by-laws for the management of their concerns not repugnant to the laws of the state. And said corporation shall be established in the town of Augusta, with the right to exercise and enjoy all the rights and privileges incident to such corporations.

Corporate name.

May receive deposits of money.

SECT. 2. Said corporation may receive from any person or persons any deposit or deposits of money and may use the same for the purposes hereinafter provided.

Such deposits may be used and the profit divided among the persons making such deposits.

SECT. 3. All deposits of money received by said corporation shall be used as they shall judge most for the benefit of said corporation ; and the net income or profit thereof shall be by them divided among the persons making such deposits, their executors, administrators or assigns, in just proportion ; and such deposits may be withdrawn at such reasonable times and in such manner as said corporation shall appoint.

First meeting.

SECT. 4. The first meeting of said corporation may be called at such time and place as may be directed by the three first named corporators in this act, by giving notice thereof in *The Age* at least ten days previous thereto, at which meeting and every subsequent annual meeting said corporation may elect by ballot any person or persons as members thereof ; may choose such officers as to them may seem proper for their organization and government who shall so continue one year and until others are chosen in their stead ; and the persons elected treasurer and secretary, before entering upon their offi-

Members.

Officers.

Tenure of office.

Secretary and treasurer.

cial duties shall be sworn to the faithful performance thereof; CHAP. 179.
 and the former shall also give bonds satisfactory to said corpo- Bond of treasurer.
 ration for the faithful discharge of his duties; *provided how-* Proviso.
ever, that the offices of treasurer and secretary may, if deemed
 advisable, be united in one person.

SECT. 5. All deeds of conveyance, covenants and grants Deeds, cove-
 made in behalf of said corporation shall be sealed with the nants, &c., to be
 corporate seal; and when made in pursuance of any vote of sealed with the
 the corporation, shall be valid and effectual to convey property corporate seal.
 or bind the corporation.

SECT. 6. The annual meeting shall be holden in the month Annual meeting.
 of August, and at that and all other meetings, it shall require
 seven persons at least to constitute a quorum for the transaction
 of business; and meetings may be directed at other times by
 the president or the corporation.

[*Approved August 10, 1848.*]

Chapter 179.

An act authorizing the assessment of a certain tax upon the town of Bridgton.

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

The treasurer of state shall forthwith issue his warrant, Amount.
 directed to the assessors of the town of Bridgton, requiring
 them to assess the sum of sixty dollars upon the polls and
 estates of the inhabitants of that town, and upon the owners
 of real estate therein, according to the principles of the tax act,
 approved April fifth, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight
 hundred and forty-five, and requiring the money to be collected
 and paid into the treasury of state, on or before the first day of
 January next; said sum being assessed by reason of the increase
 of the valuation of said town of Bridgton by the annexation
 to said town of a portion of the towns of Fryeburg and
 Denmark.

[*Approved August 10, 1848.*]