

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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ACTS AND RESOLVES

PASSED BY THE

THIRTIETH LEGISLATURE

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE,

A. D. 1850.

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PRIVATE AND SPECIAL LAWS

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE.

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## Chapter 401.

CHAP. 401.

An act to incorporate the trustees of Calais Academy.

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

Stephen Emerson, George Downes, F. A. Pike, Noah Smith, junior, George M. Chase, William Deming, William Pike, G. D. King, Benjamin Young, A. G. Chandler, L. D. Sawyer, Peter Avery, Joseph A. Lee, Seth W. Smith, T. J. D. Fuller, James S. Hall, D. K. Chase, John Stickney, Edward A. Barnard, C. R. Goodnow, Joseph Granger, George W. Dyer, C. R. Whidden, Job Holmes, James C. Swan, Samuel Kelley, James S. Cooper, Thomas J. Copeland, William Duren, their associates, successors and assigns, are hereby constituted a corporation by the name of the trustees of Calais Academy; and by this name may sue and be sued; have a common seal; make such by-laws not repugnant to the laws of this state, as they may deem expedient for the management of their affairs; fill all vacancies occurring in their number; take and hold any estate, personal or real, that they may now possess, or may hereafter receive by donation or otherwise, the annual income of which, shall not exceed two thousand dollars; said income to be faithfully applied to promote the cause of education, and the trustees aforesaid are intrusted with all the powers and privileges incident to similar corporations.

Incorporators.

Corporate name.

Powers,  
privileges, &c.May hold estate  
the income of  
which shall not  
exceed \$2,000.

[Approved August 28, 1850.]

## Chapter 402.

At act to incorporate the Atlantic Bank.

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

SECT. 1. John M. Wood, T. C. Hersey, H. J. Little, J. A. Poor, William P. Preble, Josiah S. Little, Woodbury Storer, Asher Ware, S. J. Smith and Ira Crocker, their associates, successors and assigns, be and hereby are incorporated into a company by the name of the President, Directors and Company of the Atlantic Bank.

Corporators.

Corporate name.

SECT. 2. The capital stock of said bank shall be one hundred thousand dollars, divided into shares of one hundred dollars each; and one half of the same shall be paid in and said

Capital stock.

CHAP. 403.

bank shall be put in operation on or before May first, eighteen hundred and fifty-one, and the other half within six months thereafter; and said bank shall be located in the city of Portland.

Powers,  
privileges, &c.

SECT. 3. The said corporators are hereby authorized and empowered to exercise all the rights and privileges conferred upon such corporations by the laws of this state, and subject to all the liabilities and restrictions thereof.

[Approved August 28, 1850.]

### Chapter 403.

An act to incorporate the Kennebec Telegraph Company.

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

Incorporators.

SECT. 1. John Hubbard, Renel Williams, William T. Johnson, William Caldwell, Robert H. Gardiner, Justin E. Smith and James Eddy, their associates and successors are hereby

Corporate name.

created a body corporate by the name of "The Kennebec Telegraph Company," for the purpose of constructing, maintaining and using lines of telegraph within this state, from the city of Bath to the city of Augusta and thence northerly to such distance as the said company may deem expedient, and connecting the same with any other line or lines of telegraph which have been or may hereafter be constructed, with all the rights, powers and privileges, and subject to the regulations and restrictions, pertaining to corporations under the general laws of this state.

Route of line,  
rights, powers,  
privileges, &c.

Capital stock.

SECT. 2. The capital stock of the said company shall be five thousand dollars, with power to increase the same to such an amount as the said company may judge necessary to carry into effect the provisions of this act; the said capital stock to be divided into shares of fifty dollars each, but not liable to be assessed beyond that sum, and the same may be invested in real or personal estate, as said company shall determine.

Stock, how di-  
vided and in-  
vested.

Location.

SECT. 3. The said company is hereby authorized and empowered to locate, establish and maintain its lines of telegraph, along and upon any public highway lying convenient for its purposes, as aforesaid; and to carry the same across any body of water over which said route may pass; and it is further authorized, upon permission first had and obtained of the pro-

Permission of  
proprietors of