# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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## ACTS AND RESOLVES

PASSED BY THE

## THIRTY-FIRST LEGISLATURE

OF THE

## STATE OF MAINE,

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## PRIVATE AND SPECIAL LAWS

OF THE

# STATE OF MAINE.

1852.

CHAP. 504. First meeting, how called, where, and business to be transacted.

SECT. 4. The first meeting of this society shall be called by Alonzo Garcelon and James Lowell of Lewiston, by notice published in the Lewiston Journal, to be held at Lewiston village, two weeks at least before the time, at which meeting the officers of the society may be chosen and such other steps taken towards a complete organization of said society as a majority of the members present may determine.

[Approved March 4, 1852.]

#### Chapter 504.

An act to prevent the destruction of pickerel in Cochnewaggan pond, in the town of Monmouth.

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

Pickerel not to be caught at certain seasons.

SECT. 1. If any person shall, between the first day of March and the first day of June in any year, take or catch any pickerel in or from Cochnewaggan pond in the town of Monmouth, with a spear, dip net or by any other method, or shall sell or offer for sale any of said fish knowing the same to have been taken contrary to the provisions of this act, he shall forfeit and pay the sum of one dollar for each and every fish so taken, sold or offered for sale.

Penalty.

How recovered. SECT. 2. All fines and forfeitures arising by virtue of this act, may be recovered by action of debt, in any court of competent jurisdiction by any inhabitant of said town, one half thereof to be paid to the treasurer for the use of said town, and the other half to the person who shall sue therefor.

[Approved March 4, 1852.]

### Chapter 405.

An act to incorporate the City Bank.

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

Corporators.

SECT. 1. Gilbert C. Trufant, Charles Crooker, Samuel Swanton, second, James Drummond, F. H. Morse, J. P. Morse, Oliver Moses, Jeremiah Robinson, Edward Hodgkins, John C. Lowell, Charles Russell, James Riggs, Scott Morse, William

Potter, George W. Kendall, James D. Robinson and David CHAP. 506. Curtis, their associates, successors and assigns, be and hereby are, incorporated into a company by the name of the President, Directors and Company of the City Bank.

Corporate name.

Rights and liabilities.

SECT. 2. The capital stock of said bank shall be fifty thou- Capital stock. sand dollars, divided into shares of one hundred dollars each; and said bank shall be located and established in Bath, in the Location. county of Lincoln.

SECT. 3. 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 March 4, 1852.]

#### Chanter 506.

An act to prevent the destruction of pickerel in the Androscoggin and Wing Ponds.

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

SECT. 1. If any person shall take or destroy otherwise than by hook and line, any pickerel in Androscoggin Pond, so called, lying in Leeds and Wayne, or the "Wing Pond," so called, lying in Wayne, Kennebec county, or in any of the streams emptying into or issuing out of said ponds, he shall forfeit and pay for every pickerel, so taken and destroyed a fine of one dollar, to be recovered by action of debt, to the use of any person who may sue for the same.

Pickerel shall not be caught otherwise than by hook and line.

This act shall take effect and be in force from and SECT. 2. after its approval by the governor.

[Approved March 4, 1852.]

### Chapter 507.

An act to incorporate the Oldtown and Lincoln Railroad Company.

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

SECT. 1. Samuel Veazie, Amos M. Roberts, Elijah L. Ham- Corporators. lin, Enoch G. Rawson, William H. McCrillis, John Hodgdon, Shepard Cary, George M. Weston, Dudley F. Leavitt, Ira Fish, Asa Smith, James H. Bowler, Timothy Fuller, Isaac Hacker, John Gardiner, Richard Libby, David S. Plumley, Isaac W.