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ACTS AND RESOLVES

PASSED BY THE

THIRTY-FIRST LEGISLATURE

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE,

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STATE OF MAINE.

1852.

Chapter 527.

Снар. 527.

An act authorizing the erection of a wharf in tide waters in Machiasport.

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

SECT. 1. Otis W. Means and Benjamin J. Berry, their heirs, Wharf authorassociates and assigns, are hereby authorized at their own and extent of expense to extend a wharf, to be built on their own land to low water mark on the west side of Machias river, in Machiasport into the tide waters of said river, and to maintain the same thereon for the space of forty feet below low water mark and of the width of forty-eight feet.

SECT. 2. This act shall take effect upon its approval by the governor.

[Approved March 27, 1852.]

Chapter 528.

An act to incorporate the Ellsworth Mutual Insurance Company.

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

SECT. 1. There shall be established in the town of Ells- Corporate worth, an insurance company to be called "The Ellsworth Mutual Marine Insurance Company."

In addition to the general powers and privileges Powers and re-Sect. 2. of a corporation as contained in the first section of the seventy sixth chapter of the revised statutes, the corporation hereby created shall have power, by instrument, under seal or otherwise, to make insurance on vessels, freights, money, goods, wares, merchandize, bottomry, respondentia, interest and all other insurances appertaining to or connected with marine or inland navigation risks; and to cause themselves to be reinsured May make reinsurance. against any risks upon which they shall have made insurance.

Board of trustees and pow-

All the corporate powers of said company shall be exercised by a board of trustees, and such officers and agents as they may appoint; the said board shall consist of eighteen persons, citizens of this state, one of whom they shall choose president; and five of their number shall constitute a quorum for the transaction of business.

William Thompson, Thomas Robinson, William Corporators. SECT. 4.