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ACTS AND RESOLVES

PASSED BY THE

THIRTY-FIRST LEGISLATURE

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE,

A. D. 1852.

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PRIVATE AND SPECIAL LAWS

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE.

1852.

CHAP. 630.

provisions of article first of said chapter fourteen, shall, so far as the tax herein provided for is concerned, have reference to said first day of May accordingly.

SECT. 5. This act shall be in force from and after its approval by the governor.

[Approved April 22, 1852.]

Chapter 630.

An act to extend the time in which to file the location of the Franklin and Kennebec Railroad Company.

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

Location, time
of, extended.

The time in which the location of the line of the Franklin and Kennebec Railroad Company may be filed, is hereby extended to two years from the thirty-first day of December next; to so much of said line of railroad as lies south of the north line of Belgrade.

[Approved April 22, 1852.]

Chapter 631.

An act to incorporate the Lincoln Agricultural and Horticultural Society.

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

Corporators.

SECT. 1. Alexander Johnston, junior, Solomon White, Samuel P. Baker, Anthony Nason, Erastus Foote, junior, Sidney B. Cushman, and Henry Ingalls of Wiscasset; E. D. Robinson, John Holmes, John S. Wright, E. Wilder Farley, Samuel Ford, Samuel Glidden, and Robert Kennedy, of Newcastle; John Patten, D. C. Magoun, William Rice, John Young, B. C. Bailey and Henry Tallman of Bath; William B. Trufant, and Alfred Lemont of West Bath; Richard Morse and Alfred Lee, of Phippsburg; James McKeen, and George Rodgers of Topsham; Charles Vannah, junior, and Snow Winslow of Nobleborough; Job Spear, Oscar Eaton, Larkin Boggs and Aaron Starrett of Warren; Harvey Preble and David Hathorn of Woolwich; John Davis of Friendship; William Malcolm of Cushing; Moses Wolcott and William Starrett of Washington;

Barnabas Fountain and George Gilchrest of Saint George; Samuel Alley, Jesse Allen and John Hathorn of Dresden; Josiah Bruce of Patricktown plantation; Willard Robbins, Jonathan Eastman, William G. Hawes, Ebenezer Cobb and Augustus Alden of Union; Thomas N. Ayer, J. W. Sawyer and Nathaniel Ford of Alna; John Reed and Daniel Knight of Boothbay; Joseph Sherman, Isaac Pool, Ebenezer Hodge and Robert Sherman, of Edgecomb; Thomas Child and Waite W. Keene of Bremen; George D. Smouse, John Currier, John Sidelinger, Zenas Feyler, and John H. Kennedy of Waldoborough; Reuben Sherer, Josiah Tolman, Jonathan Spear, and Charles Crocket, of Rockland; Jonathan Linscott, Myrick L. Weeks, Ephraim Weeks, Paul Ames, Albert Weeks and George Allen of Jefferson; Benjamin Chapman, Joseph Day, Abraham Chapman, and Daniel Hitchcock of Damariscotta; David Huston, William McClintock, junior, Oakman Ford, Rufus Curtis, and James W. Partridge of Bristol; Benjamin Labaree, Abial Longfellow, Jonathan Y. Norris, David F. Crowell, and William F. Carlton, of Whitefield; Washington Robbins and Asa Coombs of South Thomaston; John Ruggles, Benjamin Carr, George Lermond, Seth Vose, and Josiah Maxy of Thomaston; their associates, successors and assigns, be and they hereby are made and constituted a body politic and corporate, by the name of the Lincoln Agricultural and Horticultural Society; with power to sue and be sued; to have and use a common seal; to make by-laws and all necessary regulations for the management of their affairs not repugnant to the laws of the state; and shall have all the rights and privileges and be subject to all the liabilities and restrictions contained in the laws of this state, relating to similar corporations.

Corporate name.

Powers, &c.

SECT. 2. Said society shall have power to hold and possess any estate real and personal, not exceeding in value in the whole, the sum of five thousand dollars, for the advancement of the objects of its incorporation; with power to sell and dispose of the same; and for the purposes aforesaid, shall have and exercise all the powers and privileges usually granted in such cases.

Power to hold estate, and dispose of the same.

SECT. 3. The first meeting of said society may be called by any five of the persons named in the first section of this act, by causing a notice, specifying the time, place and objects thereof, to be published in two or more newspapers printed in the county of Lincoln, two weeks before the time named for holding said meeting; at which meeting the officers of said

First meeting.

Notice to be given.

CHAP. 632.

Officers, when chosen.

society may be chosen, and such other measures taken towards a complete organization of said society, as a majority of the members present may determine.

SECT. 4. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its approval by the governor.

[Approved April 23, 1852.]

Chapter 632.

An act to make valid certain acts of the overseers of the poor of the town of Vienna.

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

Contract made binding.

SECT. 1. A certain contract bearing date March thirty-first, one thousand eight hundred and forty-six, by and between the overseers of the poor of the town of Vienna, in the county of Kennebec and Abel Hodgkins for the support of certain paupers, be and the same is hereby declared to be good and sufficient in law, and shall be binding upon the parties thereto.

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

[Approved April 23, 1852.]

Chapter 633.

An act to set off certain territory from the town of Brownfield and annex the same to the town of Hiram.

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

Land set off from Rumford and annexed to Hiram.

Boundaries.

SECT. 1. The following described territory, being part of the farms of Reuben Lowell and Albert Lowell, viz: beginning at a white oak tree, at a corner of the town of Brownfield, and running north thirty degrees west, twenty-seven and one half rods to a pitch pine tree; thence north, sixty degrees east, one hundred and thirty-five rods to a stake and stones; thence south thirty degrees east, by a large elm tree, twenty-seven and a half rods, to a stake and stones on the line between said towns—is hereby set off from the town of Brownfield and annexed to the town of Hiram.

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

[Approved April 23, 1852.]