

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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ACTS AND RESOLVES

PASSED BY THE

THIRTY-SECOND LEGISLATURE

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE,

A. D. 1853.

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PRIVATE AND SPECIAL LAWS

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE.

1853.

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**CHAP. 18.** those whose claims have been presented and allowed, in proportion to the sums paid them for their own pew or pews.

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

[Approved February 22, 1853.]

### Chapter 18.

An act to incorporate the Webb's river Manufacturing Company.

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

**Corporators.** SECT. 1. Charles L. Eustis, George G. Phelps, Freeman Griffith, Reuben Dillingham, George Dillingham, Joseph Foster, Isaac N. Stanley, John B. Marrow, Thomas J. Demeritt, G. W. Bartlett, their associates and successors, are hereby created a

**Corporate name.** body politic and corporate, by the name of the "Webb's River Manufacturing Company," with all the powers and privileges, and subject to all duties and liabilities contained in the laws of

**Authority of.** the state relating to manufacturing corporations; and said corporation is authorized to manufacture, upon Webb's river, in the towns of Dixfield and Mexico, in the county of Oxford, woolen and cotton goods, and any other articles, the manufacture of

**May purchase and hold real and personal estate.** which is not contrary to the laws of this state; and to purchase and hold real and personal estate for the purposes aforesaid, not exceeding in value the sum of sixty thousand dollars at any one time; and to construct, erect and maintain, upon their own

**Powers, privileges, and liabilities.** land, suitable dams, buildings and machinery, subject to the provisions and liabilities of the laws of this state, upon this subject, for the purposes aforesaid; and to sell or dispose of their property as other similar corporations are allowed by law to

**First meeting.** do. And any two of the persons above named may call the first meeting of this corporation, by posting a notice of the time and place thereof in a public and conspicuous place in Dixfield village, in said county of Oxford, one week, at least, before the time of such meeting.

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

[Approved February 22, 1853.]