

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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# ACTS AND RESOLVES

PASSED BY THE

EXTRA SESSION OF THE THIRTY-SECOND LEGISLATURE, 1853,

AND THE

## THIRTY-THIRD LEGISLATURE

OF THE

## STATE OF MAINE,

1854.

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PRIVATE AND SPECIAL LAWS

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE.

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CHAP. 218. deem it expedient and proper, giving such notice as the corporation by their by-laws shall direct.

Junction with other roads.

SECT. 7. The corporation is hereby invested with power to make connections with any other road or roads, and on such terms as the members may deem expedient and proper; and it is hereby authorized to lease the road, either before or after it shall have been completed, on such terms and for such time as the members at a meeting regularly called for that purpose shall determine.

Lease of road.

Location, &c., time of limited.

SECT. 8. If the corporation shall not have been organized, and the location according to actual survey of the route filed with the county commissioners of Washington county, on or before the first day of July, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and fifty-four, and if the corporation shall fail to complete said railroad on or before the first day of July, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and fifty-eight, then this act shall be null and void; *and provided always*, that this act shall not take effect and be in force for any other purpose than the organization of the company hereby created, until the Calais and Baring Railroad Company shall have surrendered and released, to the said Lewy's Island Railroad Company, the right they now have by virtue of an act passed April thirteenth, eighteen hundred and fifty-two, to extend their road over the route specified in this act; which release and surrender shall be made by a proper instrument, in writing, under seal of said Calais and Baring Railroad Company, pursuant to a vote of said corporation, passed at a meeting of said corporation duly called for that purpose.

Act, when to take effect.

Officers to be American citizens.

SECT. 9. The individuals composing the officers of said railroad corporation shall be American citizens, and a majority thereof shall reside within the limits of the State of Maine.

[Approved March 16, 1854.]

## Chapter 218.

An act to authorize the town officers of the town of Hebron for the year one thousand eight hundred and fifty-three, to amend their records.

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

Certain town records made valid.

SECT. 1. Ansel Gurney, constable of the town of Hebron for the year one thousand eight hundred and fifty-three, is hereby authorized to amend his return on a warrant calling the

annual March meeting of said town for the said year, so that his return may conform to the facts; and the town clerk of said town of Hebron, for the said year, is hereby authorized to amend his record of said constable's return on said warrant, in conformity with said return as amended; and said return, and said record, as amended, shall have the same force and validity as if originally made.

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

[Approved March 17, 1854.]

### Chapter 219.

An act to incorporate Norway Manufacturing Company.

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

SECT. 1. Richard Evans, Asa Danforth, Jeremiah Howe, E. F. Beal, Samuel Favor, Otis True, Benjamin Tucker, junior, Eben-ezer Hobbs, Simon Stevens, Amos F. Noyes and Nathaniel Pike, their associates, successors and assigns, are hereby created a body politic and corporate, by the name of the Norway Manufacturing Company, with all the powers and privileges, and subject to all the duties and liabilities provided in the laws of this state, concerning manufacturing corporations.

Corporators.

Corporate name

SECT. 2. The capital stock of said corporation shall consist of not less than two hundred nor more than twelve hundred shares, of one hundred dollars each; and said company are hereby authorized to purchase and hold real and personal estate, not exceeding in value at any one time, the amount of capital stock; and the same may improve, lease, sell and convey, as other proprietors of real and personal estate may lawfully do; and are authorized to carry on within the limits of the Norway Village Corporation, in the town of Norway, in the county of Oxford, the manufacture of cotton, woolen or linen goods, and articles of wood, iron, steel or any other materials, the manufacture of which is not prohibited by law, and for that purpose may erect, construct or lease such buildings and fixtures as may be necessarily connected therewith.

Capital stock.

May hold personal and real estate.

Authorized to manufacture cotton goods, &c.

SECT. 3. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its approval by the governor.

[Approved March 17, 1854.]