

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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# ACTS AND RESOLVES

PASSED BY THE

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AND THE

## THIRTY-THIRD LEGISLATURE

OF THE

## STATE OF MAINE,

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PRIVATE AND SPECIAL LAWS

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE.

1854.

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**Chapter 242.**

An act to incorporate the Portland Milling Company.

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

Corporators.

SECT. 1. Nathaniel P. Richardson, Josiah Little, junior, Edward E. Upham, A. L. Hobson, Charles B. Merrill, Ralph Butler, junior, Stephen Waite, John A. Poor, Neal Dow, and Horatio N. Jose, their associates, successors, and assigns, are hereby created

Corporate name.

a body politic and corporate, by the name of the "Portland Milling Company," with all the privileges, immunities and franchises, and subject to all the restrictions and liabilities of similar corporations.

May purchase and hold real estate, &c.

SECT. 2. The said corporation may purchase and hold real estate, wharves, vessels, implements and machinery, necessary to carry on a general milling business; may erect and maintain such buildings as may be found advisable; may build rail tracks, sideways, and other fixtures for the accommodation of their works over lands belonging to the corporation, or lands upon which they can obtain leave to build the same.

May erect buildings, &c.

Stock, how divided.

SECT. 3. The whole property of said corporation shall be divided into not less than two hundred nor more than two thousand shares, of one hundred dollars each.

First meeting.

SECT. 4. The first meeting of said corporation may be called by any five of the persons named in said act, by publishing a notice two weeks successively, of the time and place of meeting, and object thereof, in any one of the newspapers published in Portland. The office for the transacting the business of said corporation shall be located in the city of Portland.

Office of company, where located.

SECT. 5. This act shall take effect from and after the approval by the governor.

[Approved March 22, 1854.]

**Chapter 243.**

An act to increase the capital stock of the Traders' Bank.

Capital stock increased \$50,000.

The president, directors, and company of the Traders' Bank, at Bangor, are hereby authorized to increase the capital stock of said bank, by adding thereto the sum of fifty thousand dollars, to be paid into said bank in gold or silver, on or before

the first day of October next, and to be divided into shares of one hundred dollars each; and loans may be made by said bank on said additional capital, whenever the directors or a majority of them, with the cashier of said bank, shall have signed and verified by oath, and filed in the office of the secretary of state, a certificate that said additional capital has been actually paid in.

[Approved March 22, 1854.]

CHAP. 244.

Shares.

Loans, when made.

### Chapter 244.

An act to increase the capital stock of the Eastern Bank.

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

The president, directors, and company of the Eastern Bank, at Bangor, are hereby authorized to increase the capital stock of said bank, by adding thereto the sum of fifty thousand dollars, to be paid into said bank, in gold or silver, on or before the first day of October next, and to be divided into shares of one hundred dollars each; and loans may be made by said bank on said additional capital, whenever the directors, or a majority of them, with the cashier of said bank, shall have signed, and verified by oath, and filed in the office of the secretary of state, a certificate that said additional capital has been actually paid in.

Capital stock increased \$50,000.

Shares.

Loans, when made.

[Approved March 22, 1854.]

### Chapter 245.

An act to incorporate the Portland Mutual Loan and Savings Association.

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

SECT. 1. Nathaniel F. Deering, Edward P. Gerrish, Nathaniel Ellsworth, John Purington, Joseph H. White, Charles Davis, Benjamin Kingsbury, junior, Thomas H. Talbot, Charles R. Coffin, Harris C. Barnes, John H. Williams and Edward Shaw, their associates and successors, are hereby constituted a body politic and corporate by the name of the Portland Mutual Loan and Savings Association, for the purpose of accumulating a fund to be advanced to its members for the purpose of purchasing and improving real estate, and removing incumbrances

Corporators.

Corporate name.

Purposes of corporation.