

ACTS AND RESOLVES

PASSED BY THE

EXTRA SESSION OF THE THIRTY-SECOND LEGISLATURE, 1853,

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AND THE

THIRTY-THIRD LEGISLATURE

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE,

1854.

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SECT. 4. Said company may authorize any of their members CHAP. 297. or any other persons to take said oysters at such times and places, and in such quantities, and under such regulations, as said company shall think proper and shall express in their permits.

SECT. 5. All such parts of the sixty-first chapter of the revised statutes of this state as relate to the subject of ovsters and their preservation, shall not be construed to apply to any of the waters within the limits named in the second section of this act.

SECT. 6. Any two persons named in the first section of this First meeting, act may call the first meeting of said company, by causing a notice of the time and place thereof to be published in some newspaper printed at Thomaston or Rockland, in said county, and also to be posted up at the toll house of the Warren bridge, in Warren, at least seven days previous to said meeting.

SECT. 7. Said company are hereby required to commence Act to be void planting and propagating oysters within two years from and after the passage of this act, otherwise it shall become inopera-It shall not be necessary for said owners or occupants tive. to mark and stake out the ground upon which said ovsters shall have been laid or planted.

This act shall take effect from and after its ap-SECT. 8. proval by the governor.

[Approved April 5, 1854.]

Chapter 297.

An act to incorporate the Franklin Company.

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

SECT. 1. Benjamin E. Bates, A. H. Kelsey and George L. Corporators, Ward, their associates and successors, are hereby incorporated and made a body politic by the name of the Franklin Company, Corporate name, for the purpose of manufacturing cotton and wool at Lewiston.

Said corporation may hold real and personal Capital. SECT. 2. estate to the amount of one million dollars in value, and shall Powers, &c. have all the privileges and be subject to all the duties and liabilities of corporations as defined by the laws of this state.

SECT. 3. The first meeting of the corporation may be called First meeting, by any two of the corporators in such manner as they may think proper.

[Approved April 5, 1854.]

The taking of oysters regulated.

Certain statutes not applicable.

under certain conditions.

Owners or occupants not obliged to stake out the ground occupied