

# 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,

1854.

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PRIVATE AND SPECIAL LAWS

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE.

1854.

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**Chapter 303.**

CHAP. 303.

An act to authorize Leander Morton to construct a wharf in tide waters in the town of Bristol.

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

Leander Morton is hereby authorized to construct and maintain a wharf in the harbor of Round Pond in the town of Bristol, for the purpose of a steamboat landing and for other purposes, on his own land, and to extend the same from low water, two hundred and twenty-five feet, thirty feet wide, and at the termination, to build and extend a wing fifty feet long and thirty feet wide, so as to have a front, at which steamboats may lie, at least eighty feet long.

Wharf, construction of, &c., authorized.

—dimensions of.

[Approved April 6, 1854.]

**Chapter 304.**

An act to increase the capital stock of the Lewiston Bagging Company.

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

The Lewiston Bagging Company is hereby authorized to increase the capital stock of said corporation by adding thereto the sum of one hundred and fifty thousand dollars, the said additional capital stock to be subject to all the provisions of the charter incorporating said company.

Capital stock increased \$150,000.

[Approved April 6, 1854.]

**Chapter 305.**

An act to incorporate the Arkwright 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. Ward, their associates and successors, are hereby incorporated and made a body politic by the name of the Arkwright Company, for the purpose of manufacturing cotton, wool and linen at Lewiston.

Corporators.

Corporate name.

SECT. 2. Said corporation may hold real and personal estate to the amount of five hundred thousand dollars in value, and

Capital.

Rights, &c.

**CHAP. 306.** shall have all the privileges and be subject to all the duties and liabilities of corporations as defined by the laws of this state.

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

[Approved April 6, 1854.]

### Chapter 306.

An act to prevent the destruction of pickerel in Taylor pond.

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

Pickerel,  
destruction of  
prohibited.

**SECT. 1.** If any person shall at any time within three years take from or destroy any pickerel in Taylor pond or brook in the town of Auburn, or any stream emptying into the same, he shall forfeit and pay a fine of one dollar for each and every pickerel so taken or destroyed. Said fine to be recovered by an action of debt for the use of any person who may sue for the same.

Penalty for  
violation.

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

[Approved April 6, 1854.]

### Chapter 307.

An act to amend "An act authorizing John O'Donald to build and maintain a fish weir in tide waters," approved March twenty-eighth, eighteen hundred fifty-three.

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

**SECT. 1.** The first section of said act is hereby amended by striking out so much thereof as is contained between the word from in the seventh line and the word thence in the eleventh line, and inserting the following: A. Yearsley's northeast corner, John O'Donald's northwest corner, on E. Lawrence's south line, at the head of Resolution dock, so called, on a plan and survey of Seward neck by Solomon Cushing, May fourth, seventeen hundred ninety-five, south twenty-five degrees east, so that the same when amended shall read as follows: