## MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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### ACTS AND RESOLVES

PASSED BY THE

## THIRTY-SIXTH LEGISLATURE

OF THE

### STATE OF MAINE,

1857.

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## PRIVATE AND SPECIAL LAWS

OF THE

# STATE OF MAINE.

1857.

The justices of the peace, in the city of Biddeford, shall have jurisdiction and power over all actions, suits, matters Justices of the peace. jurisdiction and things pending before them, at the time of the passage of this of. act, or commenced previous to that time, and returnable before them, on a day subsequent thereto, and to the same extent as if this act had not passed; and in like manner shall have power and jurisdiction to issue any execution on any judgment recovered, or which shall be recovered, in any action or suit, in the same manner, and with the same effect, as if this act had not passed.

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

[Approved February 25, 1857.]

#### Chapter 7.

An act to incorporate the Royal River Manufacturing Company.

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

Harrison J. Libby, Francis O. Libby, Royal Leighton, Corporators. SECT. 1. Eleazer Burbank, Barnabas Freeman, Joseph Chandler, their associates, successors and assigns, are hereby constituted a body corporate, by the name of the Royal River Manufacturing Company, for Corporate name. the purpose of manufacturing cotton goods, in the town of Yarmouth, in the county of Cumberland, with all the powers and privileges, and subject to all the duties and liabilities, provided in the laws of this state, concerning such corporations, and authorized to purchase and hold real and personal estate, not exceeding in value at any one time the sum of fifty thousand dollars; and the same may improve, lease, sell and convey, as other proprietors of real and personal estate may lawfully do.

SECT. 2. Any two persons named in this act may call the first First meeting. meeting of said corporation, at such time and place as they may see fit, by giving two weeks notice in some paper published in Portland, for the purpose of organizing said corporation.

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

[Approved February 25, 1857.]

ceeding \$50,000.