

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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ACTS AND RESOLVES

PASSED BY THE

THIRTY-SIXTH LEGISLATURE

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE,

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PRIVATE AND SPECIAL LAWS

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE.

1857.

CHAP. 32.

Chapter 32.

An act to set off a portion of plantation number ten, and annex the same to the town of Franklin.

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

Certain portion of Pl. No. 10 set off and annexed to the town of Franklin.

From and after the passage of this act, all that part of the farms, with the buildings thereon, of Jefferson H. Clark, Calvin Butler, and Rufus G. Scammons, situated in township number ten, county of Hancock, are hereby set off from said number ten, and annexed to the town of Franklin.

[Approved March 16, 1857.]

Chapter 33.

An act to incorporate the Buxton Manufacturing Company.

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

Corporators.

SECT. 1. John W. Hall, Joseph Kingsbury, John A. Fowle, Ansel Smith, Henry A. Hall and George C. Nichols, their associates, successors and assigns, are hereby created and constituted a body corporate and politic, by the name of the "Buxton Manufacturing Company," with all the powers and privileges, and subject to the duties and liabilities, contained in the laws of this state, relating to manufacturing corporations.

Corporate name.

Powers, privileges, &c.

Authorized to manufacture, &c.

May hold real and personal estate not exceeding in value \$40,000.

Shares.

First meeting, how called.

SECT. 2. Said corporation is authorized to manufacture, in the town of Buxton, in the county of York, woolen and cotton goods; and for said purposes to construct, repair and maintain, upon their own lands, suitable dams, canals, water-courses, buildings and machinery; and to purchase and hold real and personal estate, not exceeding the value of forty thousand dollars, at any one time; and to sell and dispose of their property, as other similar corporations are allowed to do, by the laws of this state.

SECT. 3. The capital stock of said corporation shall be divided into shares not exceeding one hundred dollars each.

SECT. 4. Any two persons named in this act may call the first meeting of this corporation, by causing a written notice of the time and place of meeting to be delivered to each person named in this act, and by causing a notice of the same to be posted up in some public and conspicuous place in West Buxton village, at least one week previous to the meeting.

SECT. 5. This act shall be in force from and after its approval by the governor. CHAP. 34.

[Approved March 16, 1857.]

Chapter 34.

An act concerning the jail in the county of Cumberland.

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

SECT. 1. The county house of correction, in Portland, in the county of Cumberland, during the erection of a new jail, or the repairing of the old one, and from the time the county commissioners shall so order, shall be used as and for the jail of the county of Cumberland; and all persons in the jail, at the time of such order, shall be removed by the sheriff to said house of correction, and be there detained according to the process by which they were committed; and all officers having authority to commit persons to jail, in said county of Cumberland, are required to commit such persons after the order of the commissioners, as aforesaid, to said house of correction, until the rebuilding or repairing of said jail is completed.

County house of correction to be used as jail, &c.

Sheriff to remove prisoners, &c.

SECT. 2. The master of said house of correction shall receive, and detain in the house of correction, all such persons committed as aforesaid, according to the terms of the warrant for their commitment; and shall also receive, for the use of the city of Portland, from any person liable for the support of any prisoner, or from the county treasurer, the same compensation as is now allowed the jailer, for supporting prisoners; and shall also receive, to his own use, the same fees as the jailer is now entitled to; and shall, for all legal purposes, be deemed and taken to be the jailer of said county, for the time being.

Master, duties of.

Compensation.

SECT. 3. If at any time, in the opinion of the master of said house of correction, it is unsafe to receive, or retain in such house of correction, any prisoner, as above committed, the master shall so certify on the warrant for the imprisonment of such prisoner, and it shall thereupon become the duty of the sheriff of the county of Cumberland to remove such prisoner to the jail at Auburn, in the county of Androscoggin; and the keeper of said jail shall receive and imprison in said jail such prisoner, for the term specified in said warrant; and the county of Cumberland shall pay to the county of Androscoggin all expenses which may accrue by reason of such commitment.

If unsafe, master to certify, &c.

Sheriff, duty of.

Jailer, duty of.

Expenses, how paid.