

# 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.

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**Chapter 39.**

An act to incorporate the Biddeford Steam Mill Company.

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

SECT. 1. That Charles C. Sawyer, John Quinby, Thomas Quinby, William Perkins, George H. Adams, their associates and successors, be, and they hereby are, constituted and made a body politic and corporate, by the name of the Biddeford Steam Mill Company, with all the powers and privileges, and subject to all the duties and liabilities, provided in the several laws of this state regulating manufacturing corporations; and are 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 and owners of real estate may lawfully do.

Corporators.  
  
Corporate name.  
Powers, privileges, &c.  
May hold real and personal estate not exceeding in value \$50,000.

SECT. 2. Said company are authorized to carry on in the city of Biddeford, the manufacture of lumber, iron, and other metals, paper, and also to do the various kinds of grinding usually done in a grist mill; and may erect and construct, upon their own lands, the necessary works, mills, and machinery, for that purpose; *provided*, that said works are so constructed as not to affect the rights of other individuals or corporations in said city of Biddeford.

Authorized to manufacture lumber, &c.  
  
Proviso.

SECT. 3. Any one of the above named corporators may call the first meeting of the same, by giving each of the others notice in writing at least seven days before such meeting.

First meeting, how called.

SECT. 4. This act shall take effect from and after its approval by the governor.

[Approved March 21, 1857.]

**Chapter 40.**

An act to incorporate the Southport Bridge Company.

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

SECT. 1. Cyrus McKown, Thomas Marr, junior, James Orne and William Pierce, their associates, successors and assigns, are hereby created a corporation by the name of the Southport Bridge Company, and by that name may sue and be sued, have and use a common seal, and at any meeting choose all officers necessary to manage their business, and make by-laws for regulating their affairs,

Corporators.  
  
Corporate name.  
Powers, privileges, &c.