

ACTS AND RESOLVES

PASSED BY THE

THIRTY-SEVENTH LEGISLATURE

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE,

1858.

Pablished by the Secretary of State, agreeably to Resolves of June 28, 1820, February 26, 1840, and March 16, 1842.

AUGUSTA: STEVENS & SAYWARD, PRINTERS TO THE STATE.

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SECT. 10. Any three or more of the persons named in this act CHAP. 178. shall have authority to call the first meeting of the corporation, by an advertisement in one or more of the newspapers printed in the city of Bangor, seven days at least before the time of holding such meeting, and specifying the time and place thereof; and at any such meeting or any adjournment thereof, any elections may be had, or any business done, which are herein authorized to be had and done at an annual meeting, although the same may not be specified in the notice for said meeting; and the officers chosen at said meeting shall continue in office until the annual meeting of said corporation next ensuing, and until others shall be chosen in their stead.

SECT. 11. The said corporation shall be and hereby is exempted from taxes on estate real or personal held by them as aforesaid; and the lots and all improvements and erections thereon, shall be exempt from attachment and execution against the respective owners thereof.

SECT. 12. This corporation shall have power to make all needful by-laws for the protection and regulation of their property and affairs, not inconsistent with the laws of the state.

[Approved March 4, 1858.]

Chapter 178.

An act to divide the Congregational Parish in the town of Sanford.

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

SECT. 1. The Congregational Parish in the town of Sanford in the county of York, is divided by the following line, viz: commencing at the Hay brook bridge on the road leading from Powers' tavern so called, to Alfred; thence running a westerly course to the house of Jonas Littlefield; thence running a westerly course to the house of John Lord; thence running a westerly course to the centre of the road at North Berwick line, near Joseph Staples' house, said Staples and Lord to belong to the north parish; that portion of said Congregational Parish situated north of the line aforesaid, shall be known by the name of the North Congregational Parish in the town of Sanford, with all the privileges, and liable to all the duties incident to parishes by the laws of this state; and that portion of said parish situated south of said line, shall be known by the name of the South Congregational Parish in the town of Sanford, with all the privileges, and liable to all the duties incident to parishes by the laws of this state.

First meeting, how called.

Elections, same as at annual meetings.

Taxes, corporation exempt from, Lots and im-

provements exempt from attachment and execution against owners. By-laws.

Authorized to divide the Congregational parish in Sanford.

-how divided.

North of line, name of. Privileges, &c.

South of line, name of. Privileges, &c.

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CHAP. 179. Ministerial fund. —how divided.

Authorized to invest funds by vote of parish. — how invested. — use of, how appropriated. Trustees.

Authorized to invest funds by vote of parish. --how invested. --use of, how appropriated. First meeting, how called.

SECT. 2. The ministerial fund belonging to said Congregational Parish, shall be equally divided between the north and south parishes as constituted by the preceding section; and that Timothy Shaw, John Powers, William Emery, Samuel Lord and Samuel B. Emery, are constituted a board of trustees of the ministerial funds belonging to said north parish; and said board of trustees shall have authority, when said parish shall so vote, to invest said funds in real estate, the use and benefit of which shall be exclusively appropriated to the support of a congregational minister in said parish; and Nathaniel Bennett, Horace Bennett, Theodore Tripp, Stephen H. Moulton and John Parsons, are constituted a board of trustees of the ministerial fund belonging to said south parish; and said board of trustees shall have authority, when said parish shall so vote, to invest said funds in real estate, the use and benefit of which shall be appropriated exclusively to the support of a congregational minister in said parish.

SECT. 3. William L. Emery, is hereby authorized to call the first meeting in said north parish, and Ebenezer L. Hobbs to call the first meeting in said south parish, by giving the notices required by law to be given for parish meetings.

SECT. 4. This act shall take effect from the time of its approval.

[Approved March 5, 1858.]

Chapter 179.

An act to authorize a change in the location of the Skowhegan Bank.

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

SECT. 1. The stockholders of the Skowhegan Bank at a legal meeting called for that purpose, are hereby authorized to change the location of said bank from the town of Bloomfield to the town of Skowhegan.

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

[Approved March 5, 1858.]

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