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ACTS AND RESOLVES

PASSED BY THE

THIRTY-SEVENTH LEGISLATURE

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE,

1858.

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PRIVATE AND SPECIAL LAWS

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE.

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**Chapter 208.**

CHAP. 208.

An act to incorporate the Waterville Mutual Fire Insurance Company.

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

SECT. 1. Ephraim Maxham, William G. Otis, George Wentworth, Stephen Frye, George H. Esty, John W. Drummond, Isaiah Marston, Joshua Nye, Moses Hanscom, Charles H. Thayer, Charles R. McFadden, William Dyer, Ira H. Low and Levi T. Boothby, their associates and successors, are hereby created a body corporate by the name of the Waterville Mutual Fire Insurance Company, with all the powers and privileges and subject to all the duties and liabilities prescribed in the revised statutes relating to similar corporations.

Corporators.

Corporate name.  
Powers, privileges, &c.

SECT. 2. All property whether real or personal insured by said company may be divided by the directors into two separate and distinct classes, and each class shall be liable for its own losses. The premium notes of each class of risks shall be holden and assessed to pay the losses accruing in their respective classes, and not each for the other; and the policy of each member of the company shall designate in which class of risks he is included. The company shall open books of account with each class of risks, and all the business receipts, disbursements, losses, assessments and expenses, shall be put to the class to which they belong, and the general expenses of the company which do not strictly belong to one class more than to the other, shall be apportioned to each class in proportion to the amount insured in each.

Property insured, how classified.

Premium notes, how to be assessed upon.  
Policy to designate class of risk.  
Company, duties of.

SECT. 3. No policy shall be issued by said company until application for insurance shall be made by at least seventy-five persons.

Policies, issue of.

[Approved March 18, 1858.]

**Chapter 209.**

An act to change the names of certain persons.

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

SECT. 1. Laura F. Bragg, of Vassalborough, shall be allowed to take the name of Laura F. Brown; Eleanor B. Paine, of Hallowell, shall be allowed to take the name of Eleanor B. Buswell; Abbie C. Smith, of Exeter, shall be allowed to take the name of Abbie C. Oak;

Names changed.