

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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ACTS AND RESOLVES

PASSED BY THE

THIRTY-EIGHTH LEGISLATURE

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE.

1859.

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PRIVATE AND SPECIAL LAWS

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE.

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oath, and filed in the office of the secretary of state, a certificate that said additional capital has been actually paid into said bank.

SECT. 2. This act shall take effect when approved by the governor.

[Approved March 24, 1859.]

CHAP. 324.

Certificate to be filed with secretary of state.

Chapter 324.

An act to incorporate the Trustees of the Bryant's Pond High School.

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

SECT. 1. William B. Lapham, George Cushman, James H. Farnum, Herrick C. Davis, Joel Perham, junior, Orsamus Nute and Thomas N. Ricker, their associates, successors and assigns are hereby constituted a corporation by the name of the Trustees of the Bryant's Pond High School, and by this name may sue and be sued, have a common seal, make such by-laws not repugnant to the constitution and laws of this state as they may deem expedient for the management of their affairs; fill all vacancies which may occur in their number and purchase and hold any real or personal estate which they may receive by donation or otherwise to an amount not exceeding five thousand dollars, the income of which shall be faithfully applied to the cause of education; and the trustees aforesaid are entrusted with all the powers and privileges incident to similar corporations.

Corporators.

Corporate name.

By-laws.

May hold real and personal estate.

— not exceeding \$5,000.

— how applied. Powers, privileges, &c.

SECT. 2. Any two of the above named corporators may call the first meeting of said corporation by posting up notices therefor, in two or more public places in the village at Bryant's pond, seven days at least before said meeting.

First meeting, how called.

SECT. 3. This act shall be in force from and after its approval by the governor.

[Approved March 26, 1859.]

Chapter 325.

An act to incorporate the Poland Mutual Fire Insurance Company.

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

SECT. 1. C. F. Jordan, Thomas Cousens, John M. Allen, Benjamin Waterhouse, Luther Perkins, Thomas Lane, William Rowe, John

Corporators.

CHAP. 326.Corporate
name.

Stinchfield, N. M. Faunce, Frank Storrer, Thomas L. Megquier, John Megquier, Samuel Cousens, D. P. Atwood, E. G. Martin, Otis Stanton, Sprague Keene, Leonard C. Herrick, Joseph McDonald and all others who may hereafter become members of said company, in manner herein prescribed, are hereby incorporated and made a body politic, by the name of the Poland Mutual Fire Insurance Company, for the purposes of insuring in the town of Poland only, their respective dwelling-houses, stores, shops, barns and other buildings, household furniture, merchandize and other property the contents of any building in said town, against loss or damage by fire, whether the same happen by accident, lightning or by any other means, except that of design in the insured; and may purchase and hold such real and personal estate as may be necessary to effect the object of this association, and may sell and convey the same at pleasure.

May hold real
and personal
estate.

By-laws.

SECT. 2. They may make, establish and put in execution such by-laws, not contrary to the laws of the state, as may seem necessary or convenient for the regulation and management of their affairs, and do and execute all such acts as may be necessary to carry into effect the purposes intended by this act.

First meeting,
how called.

SECT. 3. The first meeting may be called by any three persons named in this act, by posting up in four public and conspicuous places in said town of Poland, notice of the time, place and business to be acted upon, at least ten days before such meeting; at which time and place the members present may elect all needful officers, fix their compensation, and manage their affairs in any manner not repugnant to the laws of the state.

Officers, elec-
tion of, &c.

SECT. 4. This act shall take effect when approved by the governor.

[Approved March 29, 1859.]

Chapter 326.

An act to reduce the capital stock, and to amend the charter of the Northern Bank.

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

Capital stock
reduced, \$25,-
000.

SECT. 1. The president, directors and company of the Northern Bank at Hallowell, are hereby authorized to reduce the capital stock of said bank, twenty-five thousand dollars on or before the first day of May next; *provided*, that at a legal meeting of the stockholders of said bank, held for that purpose, they shall vote for said reduction.

Proviso.