

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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ACTS AND RESOLVES

PASSED BY THE

THIRTY-NINTH LEGISLATURE

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE.

1860.

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PRIVATE AND SPECIAL LAWS

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CHAP. 400.

Remaining
stock to be
permanent
capital.

stock; and the capital stock remaining after the reduction shall continue to be the permanent capital thereof; *provided however*, that said corporation shall be held to pay into the treasury of the state, the tax now required by law to be paid upon the existing capital of said bank until the same shall be actually reduced. And the president and directors of said bank shall appropriate to the payment of the stock to be reduced, such paper past due and doubtful, as may remain, if any, after deducting the loss now existing in the capital stock of said bank from the amount of said reduction.

Dividends.

SECT. 3. No dividend of the capital stock of said bank shall be made until the condition, and situation of the funds and property of said bank shall have been examined by the bank commissioners, at the expense of the bank, and if said commissioners after such examination shall be satisfied that the funds and property of said bank are amply sufficient to pay all the bills, deposits, and other demands and liabilities existing against the same, they shall report the same in writing to be filed in the office of secretary of state.

[Approved February 28, 1860.]

Chapter 400.

An act to make valid the doings of the town of Roxbury.

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

Roxbury, cer-
tain doings
made valid in.

SECT. 1. The doings of the town of Roxbury, at a meeting holden on the fifth day of November, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and fifty-nine, in relation to the election of a town clerk, constable and collector are hereby confirmed and made valid.

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

[Approved February 29, 1860.]

Chapter 401.

An act additional to an act entitled an act to establish the Sagadahoc Ferry Company.

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

Company to
furnish boats
to be attached
to steam ferry
boats.

SECT. 1. Said company shall have attached to each of the steam ferry boats employed by them for the purposes mentioned in said act, two good and suitable boats; each of a capacity to safely hold

and convey from twelve to fourteen grown persons ; said last named boats shall at all times be kept in good repair ; and supplied with oars and other proper appendages ; and shall be so connected with the ferry boats to which they are attached that they can easily and conveniently be separated from said ferry boats in case of accident and be made available for the safety of passengers.

SECT. 2. Said company shall forfeit and pay five dollars for each and every time they shall carry any passenger or passengers on their said ferry boats without being provided with additional boats as provided in the preceding section ; and shall further be liable to pay any damage suffered by any person or persons in consequence of such neglect ; payment to be enforced as provided in section four of said act.

Penalty for neglect.

—how enforced.

SECT. 3. This act shall take effect thirty days after its approval by the governor.

[Approved February 29, 1860.]

Chapter 402.

An act to incorporate the East Washington Agricultural Society.

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

SECT. 1. Joseph Granger, Daniel K. Chase, George Downes, Giles M. Wentworth, Winthrop Young, Charles C. Porter, Gilman D. King, Gilbert H. Foster, Calvin V. Horton, Samuel T. King, Daniel Hill, Stephen B. Berry, James A. Pike, William T. King, Seth Townsend, George Washburn, Phineas H. Glover, Edward A. Barnard, Daniel Bohannon, Moses Jewett, William P. Trott, James Sargent, Isaac Bearce, B. W. Tyler, William Spring, Harris W. Anderson, John D. Lawlor, Putnam Rolfe, Dan Pineo, Asaph Sawyer, Samuel Collins, together with such other persons as may join them, are hereby constituted an agricultural society, to be known by the name of the East Washington Agricultural Society.

Corporators.

Corporate name.

SECT. 2. Said society is hereby established within the city of Calais, the towns of Baring, Meddybemps, Cooper, Baileyville, Princeton, Alexander, Crawford, Topsfield, Robbinston, and all plantations in said county lying northerly of the towns of Cooper and Meddybemps, and may take and hold property, real or personal, to an amount the annual income of which shall not exceed one thousand dollars, to be applied to the advancement of agricultural and mechanic arts.

Location.

May hold real and personal estate, income not to exceed \$1,000.

SECT. 3. Said society shall have all the powers and privileges and be subject to all the liabilities and restrictions usually granted to and imposed upon similar societies.

Powers, privileges, &c.