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ACTS AND RESOLVES

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OF THE

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and as soon as practicable to distribute and pay out the same to the stockholders in proportion to their respective interests. CHAP. 438.

[Approved March 17, 1860.]

Chapter 438.

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. James Howard Patterson of Augusta, shall be allowed to take the name of James Howard Prentice; Thomas Low, Jr., of Kennebunk, shall be allowed to take the name of Thomas Clark Low; Joseph W. Hersom, an adopted son of Jonas B. Lancaster of Corinna, shall be allowed to take the name of Joseph H. Lancaster; Sarah H. D. Judkins of Brooks, shall be allowed to take the name of Sarah Hoyt Danforth; Reuben Treworgy of Ellsworth, shall be allowed to take the name of Reuben Sherman, and Harriet N., wife of the said Reuben, together with their children, Alice, Ella Maria, Franklin, Charles L. and Emily Elida, shall be allowed to drop their name of Treworgy, and instead thereof to take the name of Sherman; Job Springer Cleveland, shall be allowed to take the name of Whitman Springer Cleveland.

Names
changed.

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

[Approved March 17, 1860.]

Chapter 439.

An act to incorporate the Limerick Mutual Fire Insurance Company.

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

SECT. 1. J. S. Mason, L. S. Moore, Abner Burbank, Winborn Adams, Augustus A. Libbey, Robert Cole, their associates, successors and assigns, are hereby created a body corporate by the name of the Limerick 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, &c.

SECT. 2. All property, 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

Property
insured,
classified.

Premium notes
holden to pay
only the losses
in their

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respective classes, &c.
Books of accounts to be opened with each class.

General expenses, how apportioned.

Policies, when to issue.

First meeting.

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.

SECT. 3. No policy shall be issued by said company until application for insurance shall be made to the amount of fifty thousand dollars and the first meeting may be called by any two whose names are mentioned in this act by giving proper notice thereof as usual.

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

[Approved March 17, 1860.]

Chapter 440.

An act to incorporate the town of Danforth.

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

Danforth, town of, to incorporate.

SECT. 1. The half township of land situate in the county of Washington in the fourth range of townships north of Bingham's Penobscot Purchase, and known as the Danforth tract, and all that part of township number eight in said fourth range of townships and adjoining said Danforth tract, which lies easterly of Hot Brook and Hot Brook Lakes, so called in said township number eight, with the inhabitants thereon are hereby incorporated into a town by the name of Danforth; and the inhabitants of said town are hereby vested with all the powers, privileges, and immunities, and subject to the same liabilities as other incorporated towns in this state.

Powers, privileges, &c.

First meeting, how called.

SECT. 2. Any justice of the peace within said county of Washington, is hereby empowered to issue a warrant to any inhabitant of the new town hereby created, directing him to call the first meeting of the inhabitants thereof, at such time and place in said town as shall be appointed in said warrant for the choice of such officers as towns are by law empowered and required to choose at their annual meetings.

Officers.

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

[Approved March 17, 1860.]