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ACTS AND RESOLVES

PASSED BY THE

THIRTY-NINTH LEGISLATURE

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE.

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PRIVATE AND SPECIAL LAWS

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE.

1860.

Chapter 441.

CHAP. 441.

An act to repeal the charter of the South Kennebec Agricultural Society.

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

SECT. 1. An act approved March twenty-nine, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and fifty-three, entitled an act to incorporate the South Kennebec Agricultural Society be and the same is hereby repealed.

Act of incorporation repealed.

SECT. 2. The trustees of said South Kennebec Agricultural Society elected in the year eighteen hundred and fifty-nine are hereby authorized to collect and receive all moneys, debts, dues, grants, bounties, and appropriations, to which said society may be entitled, from any person, corporation or source, and to pay over the same when collected to the treasurer of the Kennebec Union Agricultural and Horticultural Society; said moneys so received by said Kennebec Union Agricultural and Horticultural Society to be used and applied by said society to promote the agricultural and horticultural interests thereof in accordance with the laws of the state of Maine.

Trustees authorized to collect debts, &c.

—and pay same to the treasurer of the Kennebec Union Agricultural and Horticultural Society.

—how applied.

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

[Approved March 17, 1860.]

Chapter 442.

An act to incorporate the Kennebec Union Agricultural and Horticultural Society.

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

SECT. 1. William T. Johnson, Howard Pettingill, Daniel Lancaster, Calvin Spaulding, Michael Hildreth, George W. Wilcox, Oliver S. Edwards, Josiah True, Gilman Blin, William Curtis, James M. Carpenter, David F. Crowell, Benjamin W. Keene, George Brown and Sanford Stevens, their associates, successors and assigns, be and they are hereby created a corporation by the name of the Kennebec Union Agricultural and Horticultural Society, with power by that name to sue and be sued, use a common seal, make by-laws for the arrangement of their affairs not repugnant to the laws of this state, and to hold and exercise all the powers incident to similar societies.

Corporators.

Corporate name.

By-laws.
Powers, &c.

SECT. 2. Said society is hereby established within the towns of Augusta, Hallowell, Farmingdale, Gardiner, West Gardiner, Litchfield, Pittston, Chelsea, Dresden, Whitefield, Richmond and Windsor, and may take and hold property, real or personal, to an amount

Location.

May hold real and personal estate.

CHAP. 443. the annual income of which shall not exceed the sum of three thousand dollars, to be applied to the advancement of agriculture, horticulture, and the mechanic arts.

Obligations, &c. **SECT. 3.** Said society shall be under the same obligations, and be entitled to the same privileges and bounties as similar societies now are, under the laws of this state.

First meeting, how called. **SECT. 4.** Any two of the corporators are hereby empowered to call the first meeting of said corporation by giving such previous notice therefor as they may think proper, at which meeting any corporative business may be transacted.

SECT. 5. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its approval.

[Approved March 17, 1860.]

Chapter 443.

An act to incorporate the Townsend Marine Railway Company.

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

Corporators. **SECT. 1.** M. R. White, Allen Lewis, Daniel W. Sawyer, Arbor Marson, Paul Harris, William Harris, Jr., S. S. Wylie, J. B. Emerson, C. S. McCobb, C. B. Fisher, N. C. McFarland, Paul G. Pinkham, their associates, successors and assigns, are hereby created a body politic and corporate by the name of the Townsend Marine Railway Company, for the purpose of erecting, maintaining and keeping in repair a marine railway at Townsend harbor in the town of Boothbay, Lincoln county. Said corporation may purchase and hold real estate to the amount of fifteen thousand dollars, and may construct such wharves, piers and warehouses as may be deemed necessary for their incorporation.

Corporate name.

May hold real estate to the amount of \$15,000.

Shares.

SECT. 2. The capital stock shall be divided into shares of not less than fifty dollars each, and said shares to be held and considered as personal estate ; and certificate of stock shall be issued and numbered, signed by the president and clerk, and at all legal meetings of said company, each stockholder of said company shall be entitled to one vote for every share held by him.

Authorized to build a railway.

SECT. 3. Said company may complete and maintain a railway on land owned by said company, and extend the same below low water mark, to a point suitable for taking a vessel on, of one thousand tons, but not so as to impair the rights of any adjoining proprietor.

First meeting, how called.

SECT. 4. Any three persons of the corporation may call the first meeting of the corporation by posting up notices in three or more public places in said town, six days at least prior to said meeting, stating the time, place and objects thereof.

[Approved March 17, 1860.]