

### ACTS AND RESOLVES

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## FORTIETH LEGISLATURE

OF THE

### STATE OF MAINE.

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## PRIVATE AND SPECIAL LAWS

OF THE

# STATE OF MAINE.

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#### Chapter 8.

An act to incorporate the Manufacturers' and Mechanics' Library Association of Lewiston.

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

SECT. 1. David M. Ayer, Josiah G. Coburn, Rhodes A. Bud- Corporators. long, Marshall French, Benjamin I. Leeds and Amos D. Lockwood, their associates and successors, be and they hereby are constituted and incorporated a body politic and corporate forever, by the name Corporate of the Manufacturers' and Mechanics' Library Association of Lew- name. iston, and by that name shall have power to prosecute and defend Powers, &c. suits at law, to have and use a common seal, to take and hold for the objects of their association, any estate real and personal to an amount not exceeding thirty thousand dollars, and the same to use and dispose of at their pleasure, to make and execute any by-laws By-laws. for the convenient management of their affairs, not repugnant to the laws of the state, and generally to have and enjoy all the powers and privileges incident to corporations instituted for literary privileges, &c. and scientific purposes.

Sect. 2. The first meeting of said corporation may be called by any two of the persons named in this act by giving reasonable notice of the time and place appointed for such meeting in any public newspaper printed in Lewiston.

SECT. 3. The power granted by this act may be enlarged, restrained or annulled at the pleasure of the legislature.

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

[Approved January 28, 1861.]

Chapter 9.

An act to incorporate the Trustces of Paris Hill Academy.

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

SECT. 1. Alvah Black, Moses Hammond, Hiram Hubbard, J. K. Corporators. Hammond R. K. Goodenow, Alfred Andrews, B. F. Bates, Stephen D. Hutchinson, James T. Clark, William A. Pidgin and J. C. Marble, their associates, successors and assigns, are hereby constituted a corporation by the name of the Trustees of Paris Hill Academy, and by this name may sue and be sued, make such by-laws as they may deem expedient for the management of their affairs, not repugnant to the laws of the state, fill all vacancies occurring in their May hold real number, take and hold any estate, real or personal, that they may estate.

Corporate nanie. By-laws.

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May hold real and personal estate.

First meeting, how called.

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now possess or may hereafter receive by donations or otherwise, the income of which shall be faithfully applied, annually, to promote the cause of education; and the trustees aforesaid are invested with all the powers and privileges of similar corporations.

Powers, privileges, &c. First meeting, how called.

SECT. 2. Any two of said corporators are hereby authorized to call the first meeting of the corporation, by posting up in two or more public places in the town of Paris, notices thereof, seven days at least before the time appointed for said meeting.

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

[Approved January 30, 1861.]

Chapter 10.

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. Phebe Webster of Livermore, shall be allowed to take the name of Eldora Ladd; Eben Hall of Naples, shall be allowed to take the name of Eben P. Hall; George Alden Lander of Fairfield, an adopted son of Percival L. Wheeler, shall be allowed to take the name of George Laforest Wheeler; James Howard Prentice of Augusta, shall be allowed to take the name of James Howard; Andrew Sidlinger of Union, shall be allowed to take the name of Andrew Wilmot; Daniel B. Carter of Bluehill, shall be allowed to take the name of Daniel B. Hamilton; Albion W. Faunce of Minot, shall be allowed to take the name of Franklin W. Faunce.

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

[Approved February 1, 1861.]

#### Chapter 11.

An act to increase the capital stock of the International Bank.

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

SECT. 1. The president, directors and company of the International Bank, are hereby allowed to increase the capital stock of said bank two hundred and fifty thousand dollars in addition to its present capital stock, to be divided into additional shares of one hundred dollars each.

Names changed.

Capital stock increased \$250,000.

Shares.