

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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# ACTS AND RESOLVES

PASSED BY THE

## FORTY-SECOND LEGISLATURE

OF THE

## STATE OF MAINE.

1863.

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OF THE

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and estate thereof; and all conveyances of property or estate so made, or that may be made, shall be valid, and after the payment therefrom of all debts due from the same, the residue of the said corporate property, if any, shall be distributed pro rata among the stockholders thereof, according to their respective shares therein.

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

Approved February 21, 1863.

### Chapter 226.

An act to set off certain lands from the town of Frankfort and annex the same to the town of Monroe.

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

SECT. 1. The following described territory in the town of Frankfort, viz. : beginning in the east line of the town of Monroe, in the south-west corner of the town of Winterport, thence in a south-easterly direction by the line between the towns of Winterport and Frankfort to the northerly bank of the Marsh stream, so called, at high-water mark, thence south-westerly by said northerly bank of said stream at high-water mark to the westerly line of the road crossing said stream and leading to Monroe mills, thence southerly by the west line of said road to the south bank of said stream at high-water mark, thence south-westerly by the south bank of said stream at high-water mark, and by the south bank of the south branch of said stream at high-water mark to the east line of the town of Monroe, thence north by the east line of the town of Monroe, to the point began at, with the inhabitants residing thereon, be and is hereby set off from the town of Frankfort and annexed to the town of Monroe.

Frankfort,  
certain lands  
set off from  
and annexed  
to Monroe.

SECT. 2. Said territory and the inhabitants residing thereon, hereby set off from Frankfort and annexed to Monroe, shall pay their proportion of the present debt of said town of Frankfort, said debt not to exceed fourteen thousand dollars, said proportion to be determined by the last valuation of the polls and estates of said town, and also the sum of fifty dollars additional, said fifty dollars to pay possible expenses which may arise from the result of suits now pending. Said sums may be assessed by the assessors of said town of Frankfort, on said territory and inhabitants, according to the said last valuation, and to be collected by the collector of said town in the same manner as other town taxes.

Inhabitants set  
off to pay their  
proportion of  
debt, &c., of  
Frankfort.

—how assessed,  
&c.

SECT. 3. All paupers now chargeable to the town of Frankfort, on said territory, which is set off, and all paupers who shall become

Paupers, how  
supported.

**CHAP. 227.** chargeable on said territory in consequence of having derived a residence in said town of Frankfort, shall have their settlement in and be supported by said town of Monroe.

Inhabitants set  
off not liable  
for debts of  
Monroe.

SECT. 4. Said territory and inhabitants hereby set off from Frankfort and annexed to Monroe, shall never be liable to be assessed for any portion of the present debt of the town of Monroe.

Approved February 21, 1863.

### Chapter 227.

An act to incorporate the Franklin Land, Mill and Water Company.

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

Corporators.

Corporate  
name.

Rights,  
powers, &c.

By-laws.

May hold real  
and personal  
estates, &c.

Powers and  
privileges.

Capital stock  
\$50,000.  
Shares.

SECT. 1. Levi Bartlett, Ebenezer T. Farrington, John L. Lawrence, and their associates, successors and assigns, are hereby constituted a body politic and corporate by the name of the Franklin Land, Mill and Water Company, for the purpose of erecting and maintaining mills for the manufacture of lumber of every description, and to engage in such other branches of business as may be necessarily connected therewith, as well as for other manufacturing purposes at Franklin, and upon their own lands and water privileges on townships numbers nine and ten, middle division, Hancock county, and also for the purpose of making such improvements on Alder brook stream, Donnell's pond, Shillabah pond, Fox pond, and the several streams connecting said ponds, together with all their tributary waters on their lands as will facilitate and render more convenient the floating or driving of logs, masts, spars and other timber to the different mill sites thereon by removing obstructions, building dams, wing dams, gates, piers, booms, and so forth, by which name they may contract, sue and be sued, defend suits at law, have and use a common seal, and change the same at pleasure, make by-laws not repugnant to the laws of this state for the convenient management of their corporate affairs, and for the purposes of this act are authorized to have, hold and possess any lands, tenements and estates, real, personal and mixed to any amount not exceeding fifty thousand dollars ; and to sell and convey or otherwise dispose of the same ; and have and enjoy all the rights, powers and privileges necessary to carry into effect the objects of the corporation.

SECT. 2. The capital stock of said company shall not exceed fifty thousand dollars, to be divided into and held by shares of one hundred dollars each.