

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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PRIVATE AND SPECIAL LAWS

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE.

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be allowed to take the name of John O'Brien Stetson; Ann M. Nute of Acton, shall be allowed to take the name of Ann M. Hussey; Smith C. Pung of Ellsworth, shall be allowed to take the name of Smith C. Beverly; Eliza S. Snell of Turner, shall be allowed to take the name of Eliza S. Littlefield; Arathusa J. Brown, an adopted daughter of Noah Barker of Corinth, shall be allowed to take the name of Nellie A. Barker; Maria Louisa Small of Portland, shall be allowed to take the name of Louise Adelaide Small; Mary Ellen Robins of Augusta, an adopted daughter of William S. Leeman of Augusta, shall be allowed to take the name of Mary Ellen Leeman; John Augustus Pratt of Harmony, shall be allowed to take the name of John Pratt Herrick.

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

Approved March 4, 1863.

Chapter 242.

An act to amend "an act to incorporate the Greenwood Cemetery Company," approved April seventeen, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and fifty-seven, and giving further power to said company.

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

SECT. 1. The first section of "an act to incorporate the Greenwood Cemetery Company," approved April seventeen, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and fifty-seven, is hereby amended by striking out in the fifth line the word "Greenwood" and inserting instead thereof the word Riverside, so that the corporation shall hereafter be known as the Riverside Cemetery Company.

Name changed.

SECT. 2. The secretary of said corporation shall keep books of record, open at all times to the inspection of the public, in which he shall record all deeds of cemetery lots wherein said company is grantor, and all conveyances of the same between subsequent grantees, and such records shall have and be of the same force and effect as they would if made in the books of record of the registry of deeds in and for said county of Androscoggin.

Records in relation to.

SECT. 3. The secretary of the corporation is authorized to give certified copies of all deeds recorded as aforesaid, and the same may be used in evidence in the same manner as copies certified by the register of deeds.

Deeds, copies of.

SECT. 4. The records of conveyances heretofore made by the secretary of said corporation are hereby made valid, and the provisions of section three of this act shall extend and apply to them.

Certain records made valid.

CHAP. 243. **SECT. 5.** This act shall take effect on its approval by the governor.

Approved March 4, 1863.

Chapter 243.

An act to legalize the doings of the Bowdoinham Ridge Meeting-house Society, and to extend the time for collecting the assessment on said society.

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

Certain doings made valid.

SECT. 1. The doings of the Bowdoinham Ridge Meeting-house Society, at a meeting held on the third day of May, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and fifty-nine, are hereby made valid, notwithstanding any inaccuracy in the mode of calling said meeting; and all subsequent action based upon the doings of said meeting shall be held legal and valid.

Taxes, time allowed for the collection of, &c.

SECT. 2. The said society are hereby allowed the time of two years from the approval of this act, in which to complete the collection of an assessment made upon the pew holders in their house of worship on the eleventh day of June, in the year of our Lord eighteen hundred and fifty-nine.

SECT. 3. This act shall take effect and be in force when approved by the governor.

Approved March 4, 1863.

Chapter 244.

An act to incorporate the Dedham Manufacturing Company.

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

Corporators.

SECT. 1. John L. Parker, John E. Pearl, Daniel B. Hinckley, Thomas N. Egery, Joseph S. Wheelwright, Jonathan G. Clark, John A. Peters, Winslow P. Spofford, their associates, successors and assigns, are hereby incorporated into a company by the name of the Dedham Manufacturing Company, with all the powers, privileges and immunities, and subject to all the duties and liabilities provided in the laws of this state concerning manufacturing corporations; and are authorized to purchase, hold, improve, lease or sell real and personal estate not exceeding at any one time in value the sum of two hundred thousand dollars, and divide the same into shares as they may deem convenient.

Corporate name. Powers, privileges, &c.

May hold real and personal estate, &c.