

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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ACTS AND RESOLVES

PASSED BY THE

FORTY-FOURTH LEGISLATURE

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE.

1865.

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PRIVATE AND SPECIAL LAWS

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE.

1865.

CHAP. 474.

Chapter 474.

An act to change the names of certain persons.

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

Names
changed.

SECT. 1. That Devereaux N. Stewart of Wesley, shall be allowed to take the name of Devereaux N. Fenalson; William Frost of Norway, to take the name of William Dayton Frost; Augustus W. Bump of New Vineyard, to take the name of Augustus Washington Morrill; Solomon Williams of China, to take the name of Solomon Smith Williams; Patrick Martin of Jefferson, to take the name of Walter Martin; Patrick A. Campbell of Frankfort, to take the name of Alexander P. Campbell; Josiah Merrill junior of Freeport, to take the name of Josiah W. Merrill; John Samuel Libby of Harmony, to take the name of John Rhoads Farrar; R. Rophenie Gardiner of Augusta, to take the name of R. Rophenie Stevens; Sarah E. Fogg of Montville, to take the name of Amelia Randall; Dulcine M. McDuffie of Monmouth, to take the name of Dulcine M. Sinclair; Mary E. Merry of Madison, to take the name of Mary E. Dennis; George Albert Viles of New Portland, to take the name of George Albert Stevens; Edwin Smith of Newburg, to take the name of Henry Edwin Smith.

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

Approved February 11, 1865.

Chapter 475.

An act to incorporate the English Spinning Roller Company.

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

Corporators.

SECT. 1. James G. Garland, Luther Bryant, Francis A. Small, James R. Clark, George H. Adams and Charles A. Shaw, with their associates, successors and assigns, are hereby made and constituted a body politic and corporate, by the name of the English Spinning Roller Company, with power by that name to sue and be sued, and to have all the powers, privileges and immunities, and be subject to all the duties and liabilities contained in the laws of the state, relating to manufacturing corporations.

Corporate
name.

May sue and
be sued.
Powers,
privileges, &c.

Rights.

SECT. 2. Said corporation is authorized to manufacture spinning rollers in the city of Biddeford, in said state, and sell the same there or elsewhere; to build and erect such buildings and machinery, and hold, manage and dispose of such real and personal estate, as may be necessary or deemed proper in the transaction

of its business, and may make such by-laws, rules and regulations as may be necessary for its government and management.

CHAP. 476.

SECT. 3. Said corporation shall have a capital stock of sixteen thousand dollars, with the privilege of increasing the same to a sum not exceeding fifty thousand dollars, divided into shares of one hundred dollars each.

Capital stock,
\$16,000.

SECT. 4. James G. Garland or Charles A. Shaw, named herein, are authorized to call the first meeting of said corporation, by giving the other parties herein named, six days notice thereof, in writing, or publishing a notice thereof, for one week, in any paper printed and published in said Biddeford.

First meeting,
how called.

SECT. 5. This act shall take effect from and after its approval by the governor.

Approved February 11, 1865.

Chapter 476.

An act to change the name of James W. Leavitt and to confer upon him the rights of inheritance.

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

SECT. 1. James W. Leavitt of Brunswick, an adopted son of George W. Grows and his wife Sarah S. Grows of said Brunswick, shall be allowed to take the name of James Waldron Grows, and shall sustain the same relation to the said George W. Grows and Sarah S. Grows, and to their estates, at all times, as if he had been their son, born in lawful wedlock.

Names
changed.

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

Approved February 11, 1865.

Chapter 477.

An act to incorporate the Williams Fraternity.

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

SECT. 1. Samuel Cony, James G. Blaine, Sylvanus Caldwell, Charles H. Mulliken, Charles H. True, John L. Stevens, Samuel Titcomb, Gardiner C. Vose and Joseph H. Manley, their associates and successors, are hereby made a body corporate and politic, by the name of the Williams Fraternity, for the purpose of main-

Corporators.

Corporate
name.