

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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ACTS AND RESOLVES

PASSED BY THE

FORTY-SIXTH LEGISLATURE

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE.

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PRIVATE AND SPECIAL LAWS

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE.

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Chapter 247.

CHAP. 247.

An act to incorporate the Webster Trotting Park Association.

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

SECT. 1. Ebenezer Webster, William Marden, Peleg T. Whitney, Charles M. Gould, James Webster, Preston Fisher, Samuel White, William H. White, John Libbey, William C. Taylor, Amos M. Phillips, Spencer and Wilson, Benjamin M. Weeks, Sewall Chapman, John W. Mayo, William Lunt and Jones S. Kelley of Orono, their associates, successors and assigns, are hereby created a body politic and corporate by the name of the Webster Trotting Park Association, with power to construct, maintain and use a trotting park in the town of Orono, and by that name shall have power to prosecute and defend suits at law, to have a common seal, and to change the same at pleasure, and to take, hold and convey, for the objects of their association, any estate, real or personal, the annual income of which shall not exceed five thousand dollars; and they are hereby invested with all the powers and privileges incident to similar corporations.

Corporators.

Purpose and powers.

Capital.

SECT. 2. Said association may adopt, from time to time, such rules, regulations and by-laws, not repugnant to the constitution and laws of this state, and may choose such officers, as they shall deem expedient for the proper management of their affairs.

Government.

SECT. 3. The stock of this corporation shall be divided into forty shares, at a par value of fifty dollars each.

Shares.

SECT. 4. Stockholders shall have one vote for each share owned and held, on which all assessments have been paid.

Representation.

SECT. 5. The first meeting of said association shall be called by C. M. Gould, or either of the persons named in the first section, by sending a written notice to the other corporators of the time and place of such meeting, at least seven days before such time arrives.

Organization.

SECT. 6. This act shall take effect when approved by the governor.

Approved February 8, 1867.

Chapter 248.

An act to make valid the doings of Pearl Street Universalist Society of Portland.

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

SECT. 1. The doings of Pearl Street Universalist Society of Portland, at their meeting held on the sixteenth day of November,

Doings of society at

CHAP. 249.

meeting in
1866, made
valid.

Authority of
committees
there appointed
legalized and
continued.
Proceeds of
sale, how
distributed.

eighteen hundred and sixty-six, are hereby made valid, so far as they may be affected by any defect in the manner of notifying the meeting.

SECT. 2. The committees appointed at said meeting to sell and convey the real estate of said society are hereby authorized to sell and convey the same, in behalf of said society, discharged of the trust subject to which it is held; but said society shall distribute the proceeds of such sale according to the terms of the deed by which said society holds said real estate.

SECT. 3. This act shall take effect when approved by the governor.

Approved February 8, 1867.

Chapter 249.

An act to make valid certain doings of the city government of the city of Bath in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and sixty-six.

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

Doings of
council in
raising, and
mayor in
drawing certain
sum for relief
of sufferers by
Portland fire,
made valid.
Taxes assessed
for same,
legalized.

The doings of the city council of the city of Bath, in regard to raising by loan on the credit of the city the sum of six thousand dollars, appropriating the same to the relief of the sufferers by the late fire in Portland, and authorizing the mayor to draw his order on the treasurer for, and remit the same to the mayor of Portland; and also the action of the mayor in drawing and transmitting said sum of six thousand dollars to the mayor of Portland; and all taxes assessed or hereafter assessed to raise money for the above named purpose, or to meet any pecuniary liability arising out of any of the aforesaid doings, are hereby made valid in as full and ample manner as though all the proceedings had been previously authorized by law.

Approved February 9, 1867.

Chapter 250.

An act to make valid the doings of the town of Kenduskeag in voting to exempt certain property in said town from taxation for the term of three years.

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

Doings of town
in exemption of
hotel property
from taxation
made valid.

SECT. 1. That the doings of the town of Kenduskeag are hereby confirmed and made valid, in passing a vote at a legal meeting of the inhabitants of said town, held on the nineteenth day of March, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-six, exempting from taxation