

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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# ACTS AND RESOLVES

PASSED BY THE

## FORTY-SIXTH LEGISLATURE

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE.

1867.

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PRIVATE AND SPECIAL LAWS

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE.

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**Chapter 327.****CHAP. 327.**

An act to incorporate the Saco and Biddeford Ship Building Company.

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

SECT. 1. R. F. C. Hartley, Moses Lowell, Marshall Pierce, Henry J. Pierce, John Gaines, Cornelius Sweetser, Hugh Wallace, Charles Hill, Jesse Gould, B. E. Cutler, Abraham Cutler, E. H. Banks, Simon Newcomb, William Hill, Thomas H. Cole, Thomas Haley, Charles C. Sawyer, John M. Goodwin, and their associates, successors and assigns, are hereby created a body corporate, by the name of the Saco and Biddeford Ship Building Company, for the purpose of building and constructing and sailing ships and all kinds of vessels for the purpose of navigation.

Corporators.

Name and purpose.

SECT. 2. The capital stock of said corporation shall be two hundred thousand dollars, divided into shares of one hundred dollars each; and said corporation is authorized to purchase, hold, improve, lease or sell real and personal estate, not exceeding in value at any one time the sum of two hundred thousand dollars, and shall have all the powers and privileges and be subject to all the duties and liabilities of similar corporations as defined by the laws of this state.

Capital, powers, duties, &c.

SECT. 3. Either of the persons herein named as corporators may call the first meeting of the corporation by giving seven days' personal notice thereof to the other corporators.

Organization.

Approved February 21, 1867.

**Chapter 328.**

An act to make valid the doings of the municipal officers and superintending school committee of the town of Cornish, and to establish the limits of school districts therein.

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

SECT. 1. The doings of the municipal officers and superintending school committee of the town of Cornish, in assigning and defining the limits of school districts therein, as instructed by said town at its annual meeting, held on the fifth day of March, in the year of our Lord eighteen hundred and sixty-six, are hereby made valid, to all intents and purposes, the same as if said limits had been lawfully determined and established by the town; and the limits of said school districts, so defined, shall remain, and are hereby established as the limits of school districts in said town, until altered or discontinued as provided by law.

Doings of officers under instruction at certain town meeting, made valid.

Limit of districts established.

CHAP. 329.     SECT. 2. This act shall take effect when approved by the governor.

Approved February 21, 1867.

### Chapter 329.

An act to authorize the selectmen of the town of Harpswell, or the county commissioners of the county of Cumberland, to lay out a highway over tide water.

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

Location and conditions as to bridge.

The selectmen of the town of Harpswell, or the county commissioners of the county of Cumberland, are hereby authorized to lay out a highway over and from Dingley's Island, in New Meadows river, to Harpswell Island, over tide waters called the Narrows, and that it shall be lawful to erect and maintain a bridge over said tide water; the same to be so constructed as to admit of passage of boats.

Approved February 21, 1867.

### Chapter 330.

An act to incorporate the Skowhegan Gas Company.

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

Corporators.

SECT. 1. S. B. Brewster, John Vosmus, W. H. Fuller, Isaac Dyer, William Philbrick, Chandler Tuttle, and their associates, successors and assigns, are hereby constituted and made a body corporate, by the name of the Skowhegan Gas Company, with a capital of thirty thousand dollars, with liberty to increase it to fifty thousand dollars when a majority of the stockholders shall so vote, and they are hereby authorized to purchase and hold real and personal estate to the amount of their capital stock, for the manufacture of gas in the village of Skowhegan, county of Somerset, and shall have all the powers and privileges, and be subject to all the duties and requirements expressed in the laws of this state relating to manufacturing corporations.

Capital.

Purpose, powers and duties.

Organization.

SECT. 2. Any three persons named in the first section of this act may call the first meeting of this corporation, by giving notice of the time and place thereof in the Republican Clarion ten days at least before the meeting.

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

Approved February 21, 1867.