

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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ACTS AND RESOLVES

OF THE

FORTY-SEVENTH LEGISLATURE

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE.

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PRIVATE AND SPECIAL LAWS

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE.

1868.

CHAP. 412.**Chapter 412.**

An act to incorporate the Eastern Steamboat Company.

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

Corporators.

SECT. 1. G. C. Moses, H. W. Swanton, J. B. Perkins, Oliver Moses, John S. Elliot, A. G. Page, and G. M. Patten, their associates, successors and assigns, are hereby constituted a body politic and corporate, by the name of the Eastern Steamboat Company, for the purpose of carrying on the business of navigation by vessels propelled by steam or otherwise, to and from any points on the Kennebec river, in this state, or to and from any other ports in the United States, with all the powers and privileges, and subject to all the duties and liabilities, provided by the general laws of this state.

Name and purpose.

Powers, duties, &c.

Capital.

Liability of stockholders.

Organization.

SECT. 2. The capital stock of said corporation shall not be less than fifty nor more than five hundred shares of one hundred dollars each, and any person subscribing shall be personally liable to pay the assessments thereon, not exceeding one hundred dollars per share.

SECT. 3. This act shall take effect when approved, and any person named in this act may call the first meeting of said corporation, for the purpose of organizing the same, by giving notice by publication in some newspaper printed in Bath, at least seven days before the time appointed for such meeting.

Approved January 25, 1868.

Chapter 413.

An act to incorporate the trustees of the Bethel Society of Portland.

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

Corporators.

SECT. 1. Eben Steele, John B. Brown, William W. Woodbury, Charles Staples, Luther Dana, Edwin A. Norton, Elisha Trowbridge, Washington Ryan, and Henry H. Burgess, their associates and successors, are hereby created a body corporate, by the name of the Trustees of the Bethel Society, located at Portland, in the county of Cumberland, and by that name may sue and be sued, enact any by-laws for the management of their affairs not repugnant to the laws of the state, choose such officers as they may deem expedient, receive by donation or otherwise any estate, real or personal, the united annual income of which shall not exceed the sum of ten thousand dollars, take and hold any property heretofore given, or that may hereafter be given to said Bethel Society, and to apply the avails of such property exclusively to maintaining

Location.

Powers.

Capital.

Purpose.

preaching, and a house for religious worship, with primary refer- CHAP. 414.
ence to the benefit of seamen.

SECT. 2. This act shall take effect when approved.

Approved January 25, 1868.

Chapter 414.

An act to incorporate the Presque Isle Trotting Park Association.

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

SECT. 1. David Richardson, George H. Freeman, John Allen, Corporators.
 Veranus Chandler, W. P. Bean, J. W. Haines, W. R. Pratt, S. D.
 Howland, G. B. Wellington, C. F. A. Johnson, E. E. Parkhurst,
 W. S. Gilman, D. B. Pike, John N. Truworthy, I. F. Dyer, Sum-
 ner Whitney, J. D. Pike, G. A. Hayden, Amasa Howe, J. Whit-
 ney, and A. E. Wight, of Presque Isle, in the county of Aroos-
 took, their associates, successors and assigns, are hereby created
 a body politic and corporate, by the name of the Presque Isle
 Trotting Park Association, with power to construct, maintain and
 use a trotting park in the town of Presque Isle, and by that name Location.
 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 two Capital.
 thousand dollars, and they are hereby invested with all the powers
 and privileges incident to similar corporations.

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

SECT. 3. The stock of this corporation shall be divided into Division of
stock and
representation
thereof.
 forty shares of twenty-five dollars each.

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

SECT. 5. The first meeting of said association shall be called by Organization.
 David Richardson, or either of the other persons named in the first
 section of this act, by sending a written notice to each of the
 other corporators of the time and place of such meeting, at least
 seven days before the time of such meeting.

SECT. 6. This act shall take effect when approved.

Approved January 25, 1868.