

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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ACTS AND RESOLVES

OF THE

FORTY-EIGHTH LEGISLATURE

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE.

1869.

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PRIVATE AND SPECIAL LAWS

OF THE

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politic and corporate, by the name of the Polymnian Society, 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, by gift, grant, bequest or otherwise, any estate, real or personal, the annual income of which shall not exceed ten thousand dollars; and are hereby invested with all the powers and privileges incident to similar corporations.

CHAP. 135.

Corporate name.
Power.

Real and personal estate.

Powers and privileges.

SECT. 2. All property and estate, real or personal, which may at any time, by donation or otherwise, come into possession of said Polymnian Society, shall be sacredly applied to the purposes of literary education, in connection with Bates College, located in Lewiston, county of Androscoggin.

Property, how applied.

SECT. 3. The members of said Polymnian Society 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 deem expedient for the management of their affairs.

Rules, regulations and by-laws.

SECT. 4. The trustees of Bates College may at any time alter or annul any rule, regulation, by-law, vote, resolve or act of the members of said Polymnian Society, which they, the said trustees, may deem prejudicial or injurious to the best interests of Bates College.

May be altered or annulled.

SECT. 5. All persons who have been members of the classes of eighteen hundred and sixty-seven, eighteen hundred and sixty-eight, eighteen hundred and sixty-nine and eighteen hundred and seventy, of said college, and connected with the Philomathean Society, incorporated by an act approved February twenty-fourth, eighteen hundred and sixty, shall be members of the said Polymnian Society.

Members.

SECT. 6. Any two of the corporators named in this act, shall have power to call the first meeting of this corporation by sending a written notice to the other corporators, of the time and place, at least seven days before the time for holding said meeting.

First meeting, how called.

SECT. 7. This act shall take effect when approved.

Approved February 19, 1869.

Chapter 135.

An act to incorporate the Eurosophian Society.

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

SECT. 1. L. C. Graves, C. A. Mooers, A. Small, A. G. Chick, I. Goddard, F. H. Morrell, L. M. Webb, J. T. Abbott, G. W.

Corporators

- CHAP. 135.** Flint, J. N. Ham, C. H. Hersey, L. H. Hutchinson, F. W. Baldwin, C. A. Bickford, H. Blake, F. H. Cole, A. M. Garcelon, C. L. Hunt, J. A. Jones, C. H. Kimball, A. G. Moulton, E. F. Nason, F. H. Peckham, T. G. Wilder, I. P. Quimby, their associates and successors, are hereby constituted a body politic and corporate by the name of the Eurosophian Society; 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, by gift, grant, bequest or otherwise, any estate, real or personal, the annual income of which shall not exceed five thousand dollars; and are hereby invested with all the powers and privileges incident to similar corporations.
- Corporate name.**
- Power.**
- Estate.**
- Powers and privileges.**
- Property, how applied.** **SECT. 2.** All property and estate, real and personal, which may at any time, by donation or otherwise, come into possession of said Eurosophian Society, shall be faithfully applied to the promotion of the cause of education in organizing and maintaining a literary society in connection with Bates College.
- Rules, regulations and by-laws.** **SECT. 3.** The members of said Eurosophian Society may adopt such rules, regulations and by-laws, not repugnant to the constitution and laws of this state, and may choose such officers as they may deem expedient for the management of their affairs and the prosperity of their society.
- May be altered or annuled.** **SECT. 4.** The trustees of Bates College may at any time alter or annul any rule, regulation, by-law, vote, resolve or act, of the members of said Eurosophian Society, which they, the said trustees, may deem prejudicial or injurious to the best interests of Bates College.
- Members.** **SECT. 5.** All persons who have been members of the classes of eighteen hundred and sixty-seven, sixty-eight, sixty-nine, seventy, seventy-one, of said college, and connected with the literary fraternity, shall be members of the Eurosophian Society.
- First meeting, how called.** **SECT. 6.** Any two of the corporators named in this act shall have power to call the first meeting of this corporation, by sending a written notice to the other corporators of the time and place, at least seven days before the time for holding said meeting.
- SECT. 7.** This act shall take effect when approved.

Approved February 19, 1869.