

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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ACTS AND RESOLVES

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OF THE

FORTY-NINTH LEGISLATURE

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE.

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PRIVATE AND SPECIAL LAWS

OF THE

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**CHAP. 290.**

Corporate name.

May hold real and personal estate.

Purpose.

Erection of dams, mills, &amp;c., authorized.

First meeting, how called.

created a corporation by the name of the Stetson Manufacturing Company, and are authorized to take and hold real and personal estate to the amount of one hundred thousand dollars, for the purpose of manufacturing wool, cotton, flax, silk, lumber, iron, tin, steel, and other materials.

SECT. 2. Said company is authorized to erect dams, mills, or other structures, necessary for the purpose of manufacturing the articles aforesaid, at one or more places in the town of Stetson, in the county of Penobscot.

SECT. 3. The first meeting of said company may be called by either of the persons named in this act, by giving written notice to his associates, seven days at least before the time of meeting.

SECT. 4. This act shall take effect when approved.

Approved February 1, 1870.

**Chapter 290.**

An act additional to "an act to incorporate the Waterville Mutual Fire Insurance Company."

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

Certain policies may be canceled.

SECT. 1. The directors of the Waterville Mutual Fire Insurance Company are hereby authorized to cancel the outstanding policies in the farmers class of said company on the first day of March, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy; *provided* they first cause a notice thereof to be sent by mail to each policy holder in said class, not less than two weeks before said first day of March, eighteen hundred and seventy.

Proviso.

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

Approved February 1, 1870.

**Chapter 291.**

An act to authorize the extension of the railroad terminating at Farmington, known as the Androscoggin Railroad.

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

Extension of Androscoggin Railroad Co. authorized.

SECT. 1. The Androscoggin Railroad Company as now constituted by the stockholders in the extension part of said railroad, authorized by an act entitled "an act to authorize the extension of the Androscoggin Railroad," approved February fifteen, eigh-

teen hundred and sixty, is hereby authorized to extend the railroad now operated by said company, from any point on said railroad in the town of Farmington, to any other point within the said town of Farmington, and to locate, construct, maintain and use the same.

SECT. 2. Said Androscoggin Railroad Company shall have the same rights, privileges, powers and immunities, and be subject to all the duties and liabilities respecting the location, construction, maintenance, use and management of said portion of railroad, hereby authorized to be extended, that they had and have respecting their existing road.

Rights, privileges, duties and liabilities.

SECT. 3. It is hereby further enacted that no mortgages, debts, liens or claims now existing or in force upon said Androscoggin Railroad, or upon the said extension thereof, its right of way, franchise, or rolling stock, shall attach to or have any force, hold, claim, or lien of any nature whatsoever, upon this extension granted to said railroad in the town of Farmington. But this extension of said railroad shall be held separate from the railroad now established and in operation, and for security to any corporation or persons who may furnish to said company the means necessary for building and completing the same. And the president and directors of said Androscoggin Railroad Company shall have the power to mortgage or transfer this extension of said railroad in the town of Farmington, with its franchise, right of way, and all the property belonging thereto, with its earnings, for the purpose only of procuring means to build, finish and equip said extension, and to secure the debts contracted therefor, any mortgage, lien, claim or law to the contrary notwithstanding.

Existing mortgages, &c., not attach to extension.

Extension to be held separate.

May mortgage and transfer the railroad for a certain purpose.

SECT. 4. This act shall take effect when approved.

Approved February 1, 1870.

### Chapter 292.

An act to authorize the Farmington Village Corporation to raise money to aid in the extension of the railroad terminating at Farmington, known as the Androscoggin Railroad, and to contract for said extension.

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

SECT. 1. The Farmington Village Corporation may at any legal meeting, duly notified and called for that purpose, raise by tax or loan, such sums of money as said corporation shall deem expedient, not exceeding thirty-five thousand dollars, and may appropriate the same in such manner and on such terms as said corporation shall determine, to aid in the extension of the railroad now oper-

Loan, and limit of same.