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ACTS AND RESOLVES

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thereafterwards annually, two directors shall be chosen for a term CHAP. 343. of three years. Any vacancy occurring shall be filled in such Annual election. manner as the by-laws shall prescribe, until the expiration of the filled. Vacancies, how term in which the vacancy occurred. At such time as the visitors visitors authormay determine, they shall be authorized to appoint in writing, directors. under their hands, three persons to be directors, to hold their offices respectively for terms of one, two and three years, corresponding to the terms of the directors chosen by the corporation, and at the expiration of such terms, and thereafterwards annually, one person to be a director for three years. The secretary of the corporation shall enter upon its records all appointments of direc- Appointments to tors made by the visitors, and the directors so appointed shall have like powers and perform like duties with the other directors. If the place of any one of them shall become vacant, the secretary shall immediately certify the same to the visitors, and they shall be authorized to appoint in writing, under their hands, a person to supply such vacancy, until the expiration of the term in which the vacancy occurred.

e recorded.

Secretary shall notify in case of vacancy; visitors may fill same.

SECT. 2. The third section of the act to incorporate the hospital Repealed. is hereby repealed.

This act shall take effect when approved.

Approved February 26, 1870.

Chapter 343.

An act to incorporate the Annebescook Steamboat Company.

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

Phillip C. Bradford, Henry Penniman, T. L. Page, J. Corporators. T. Putnam, Luther Whitman, and their associates, shareholders in an association known as the Winthrop Boat Company, and Name. their successors, are hereby incorporated and made a body politic under the name of the Annebescook Steamboat Company, for the purpose of running steamboats, barges and other boats upon the Purpose Annebescook lake in said Winthrop.

Said corporation may hold real and personal estate to Mayhold real and the amount of ten thousand dollars in value, and shall have all the privileges and be subject to all the duties and liabilities of corporations as defined by the laws of this state.

All the acts of the said Winthrop Boat Company in Organisation. organization are hereby made valid, and this act of incorporation may be accepted by a majority vote of the stock in said company.

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First meeting, * how called.

Sect. 4. Either of the persons named herein as corporators, may call the first meeting for organizing the company, by giving three days notice to the others.

Sect. 5. This act shall take effect when approved.

Approved February 26, 1870.

Chapter 344.

An act to authorize William Godfrey, Franklin Brown and Handy Hinkley, to construct a fish wier in the tide waters of Pigeon Hill bay, in the town of Steuben, also one in the tide waters of Dyer's bay in same town.

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

Authorized to construct fish weirs, Sect. 1. William Godfrey, Franklin Brown and Handy Hinkley, shall have the privilege, and are hereby authorized to erect and maintain a fish weir in the tide waters of Pigeon Hill bay, in frout of their own land in the town of Steuben; also one in the tide waters of Dyer's bay, in front of their own land, in the aforesaid town of Steuben; provided, that said weirs shall not obstruct navigation, and that suitable signals shall be placed upon them, said signals to be ten feet above water at high water.

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

Approved February 26, 1870.

Chapter 345.

An act to incorporate the Searsport Manufacturing Company.

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

Corporators.

Name.

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May hold real and personal estate.

Purpose.

Authorized to erect dams, mills,

Sect. 1. Robert Porter, William McGilvery, W. H. Mathews, Charles Gordon, D. S. Goodale, William Butman, Phineas Pendleton junior, J. A. Clement, their associates, successors and assigns, are hereby created a corporation by the name of the Searsport Manufacturing Company, with power by that name to sue and be sued, and to have all the powers, privileges and immunities, and be subject to all the duties and liabilities, contained in the laws of the state relating to manufacturing corporations, 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