

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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ACTS AND RESOLVES

115-

OF THE

FORTY-NINTH LEGISLATURE

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE.

1870.

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1870.

PRIVATE AND SPECIAL LAWS

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE.

1870.

CHAP. 464.

First meeting,
how called.

SECT. 9. The first meeting of said corporation may be called by a notice signed by any two of the corporators, published five days successively before the day fixed for such meeting, in any newspaper published in Augusta.

SECT. 10. This act shall be taken and deemed to be a public act and shall be in force from and after its approval by the governor.

Approved March 12, 1870.

Chapter 464.

An act to incorporate the Lewiston General Hospital.

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

Corporators.

SECT. 1. A. D. Lockwood, Samuel Pickard, J. M. Frye, William Kilborn, A. Garcelon, H. L. K. Wiggin, Daniel Holland, T. F. Packard, N. W. Farwell, N. Dingley junior, S. Oakes, William P. Frye, their associates and successors, are hereby incorporated and made a body politic by the name of the Lewiston General Hospital, and by that name may sue and be sued, and may have a common seal, and shall have all the immunities and privileges and be subject to all the liabilities of like corporations.

Name.

May purchase
and hold lands
and tenements,
and dispose of
same.

Grants, devises
and subscrip-
tions, to be used
for erection, sup-
port and main-
tenance of a gen-
eral hospital to
be located in
Lewiston.

SECT. 2. Said corporation may purchase, hold and possess lands and tenements in fee simple or otherwise, and dispose of and sell the same, and may receive of and from all persons disposed to aid its benevolent purpose any grants and devises of real estate and donations, subscriptions and bequests of money or other property, to be used for the erection, support and maintenance of a general hospital to be located in the city of Lewiston. Said hospital shall be open to all sick persons who may desire to avail themselves of its privileges.

Direction and
management of
hospital shall be
by trustees.

SECT. 3. The said hospital shall be under the direction and management of seven trustees who shall be chosen annually, and shall remain in office until others are chosen and qualified in their stead. The said trustees shall be chosen by said corporation, and all vacancies occurring in the said board of trustees shall be filled by said corporation.

Trustees, choice
of.

Vacancies.

By-laws.

SECT. 4. The said corporation shall have power to make and establish such by-laws and regulations as may be necessary for the choice of all proper officers, to prescribe their duties and powers, and to provide generally for the internal government and economy of the hospital, such by-laws and regulations not being repugnant to the constitution and laws of this state.

SECT. 5. The said city of Lewiston shall have power to loan, **CHAP. 465.**
by a two-thirds vote at any legal meeting, such sums of money as
may be necessary to erect suitable buildings and supply the neces-
sary furniture and other requirements to put the said hospital in
good running order, also to meet its annual expenses.

Loan, city of Lewiston authorized to grant, by a two-thirds vote.

SECT. 6. The mayor, aldermen and common council, for the
time being, shall be a board of visitors of said hospital, with au-
thority to visit the same annually and as much oftener as they
think proper, to inspect the establishment and its condition, man-
agement, by-laws and regulations; also to see that the design of
the institution is carried into effect.

Mayor, aldermen and common council, shall constitute a board of visitors.

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

Approved March 12, 1870.

Chapter 465.

An act to authorize the city of Bangor to lay out and extend Hancock street in said city to Kenduskeag stream.

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

SECT. 1. The city of Bangor is hereby authorized and em-
powered to lay out, establish, make and maintain a street or pub-
lic way from the present westerly terminus of Hancock street to
low water mark in Kenduskeag stream, not exceeding in width
the present width of said Hancock street at its westerly terminus.

Hancock street, extension of, authorized.

SECT. 2. The city council of said city, before laying out and
establishing said street, shall give the same notice that is required
by law in laying out other streets in said city; and shall estimate
damages, if any, sustained by any person, by said laying out, and
apportion and assess benefits in conformity with the city charter
and acts additional thereto, and with the provisions of chapter
eighteen of the revised statutes, and acts additional thereto.

Notice to be given by city council before laying out street.

Damages, how apportioned and assessed.

SECT. 3. This act shall take effect when approved.

Approved March 14, 1870.

Chapter 466.

An act authorizing John C. Harriman, Alfred Lennox, and others to erect and maintain a fish weir in Sheepscot river.

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

SECT. 1. John C. Harriman, Alfred Lennox, Nathaniel Lincoln,
James Taylor, Dwight F. Tinkham, George B. Sawyer, Joseph J.