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## ACTS AND RESOLVES

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## PRIVATE AND SPECIAL LAWS

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Chapter 18.

An act to set off certain territory from the town of Waltham and annex the same to the town of Eastbrook.

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

SECT. 1. The house lot with the buildings thereon, owned by Charles D. Wilbur and George N. Wilbur, now situated in the town of Waltham in the county of Hancock, is hereby set off from the town of Waltham and is annexed to the town of Eastbrook, so that the same shall hereafter form a part of said town of Eastbrook.

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

Approved January 27, 1872.

Chapter 19.

An act concerning the Trustees of African Methodist Episcopal Churches.

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

SECT. 1. The provisions of the nineteenth, twentieth and twenty-first sections of chapter twelve of the revised statutes of eighteen hundred and seventy-one, are hereby extended to Trustees of Societies of African Methodist Episcopal Churches, appointed according to the discipline and usages of said church; and trustees of any such societies and their successors, shall be a body corporate, with powers and privileges, and subject to all duties and liabilities, in such chapters provided.

SECT. 2. All grants and donations to such trustees, and all property, real and personal, held by them, shall vest in and be held by them, and their successors, as a body corporate, for the uses and purposes for which the same were granted or are held.

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

Approved January 29, 1872.

### Chapter 20.

An act to incorporate the Farwell Mills in Lisbon.

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

SECT. 1. N. W. Farwell, John W. Farwell, E. M. Shaw and Nelson Dingley, Jr., their associates, successors and assigns, are

Certain powers extended to African M. E.

Church.

Made a body corporate. Powers and duties.

All property shall vest in trustees.

Corporators.

### constituted and made a body politic and corporate by the name of the Farwell Mills, with all the powers and privileges, and subject Name. to all the duties and liabilities provided by the laws of this state concerning manufacturing corporations; and said corporation is hereby authorized to carry on the manufacture of cotton and wool Purposes and in the town of Lisbon, and to build and erect such buildings, machinery, dams and conveniences as their business may require; and for such purposes may purchase and hold real and personal May purchase estate not exceeding five hundred thousand dollars in value, personal estate divided into shares of one hundred dollars each; and make all necessary rules and regulations for the prosecution of their business consistent with the laws of the state.

SECT. 2. N. W. Farwell is hereby authorized to call the first meeting of the corporators, by giving to each of the others a written notice of the same seven days before the meeting.

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

#### Approved January 29, 1872.

### Chapter 21.

An act to legalize the proceedings of the stockholders of the Portland and Rochester Railroad Company.

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

SECT, 1. The votes and proceedings of the stockholders of the Portland and Rochester Railroad Company, at their special meeting which was held on the thirteenth day of December, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-one. relating to the subscription by the company to the stock of the Nashua and Rochester Railroad Company, is hereby confirmed and made valid.

SECT. 2. The board of directors are hereby authorized to elect two additional directors from the stockholders, who shall serve until the next annual meeting of the company, which will be held on the first Wednesday of October, eighteen hundred and seventytwo.

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

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