

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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ACTS AND RESOLVES

OF THE

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OF THE

STATE OF MAINE.

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PRIVATE AND SPECIAL LAWS

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE.

1872.

Chapter 96.

CHAP. 96.

An act to incorporate the Deering Gas Light Company.

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

SECT. 1. Joseph S. Ricker, Horatio Q. Wheeler, James N. Winslow, William E. Gould, John B. Coyle, John B. Brown and Samuel Jordan, their associates and successors, are hereby constituted a body politic and corporate by the name of the Deering Gas Light Company, and by that name shall have and enjoy all the necessary powers and privileges to effect the objects of their association.

Corporators.

Corporate name

SECT. 2. The capital stock of said company shall be not less than twenty-five thousand dollars nor more than two hundred and fifty thousand dollars, and shall be divided into shares of one hundred dollars each.

Capital stock.

Shares.

SECT. 3. The object of the company shall be to manufacture and distribute gas for the purpose of lighting the town of Deering. The company are hereby authorized to lay down in and through the streets and roads of said town, and to take up, replace and repair all such pipes and fixtures as may be necessary for the objects of their incorporation, under such regulations as the town authorities may see fit to prescribe.

Object of company.

Authorized to lay pipes.

SECT. 4. The town of Deering is hereby authorized to contract with said company for lighting the roads and the public buildings of said town, and the necessary moneys to be expended therefor shall be assessed and collected in the same manner as taxes for other purposes.

Town of Deering authorized to contract with company for lighting streets.

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

Approved February 16, 1872.

Chapter 97.

An act to incorporate the Oriental Powder Mills.

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

SECT. 1. Joseph H. Newhall, Joshua M. C. Armsby, George M. Rice, Harrison Bliss, John W. Candler and Charles O. Foster, their associates, successors and assigns, are hereby created and constituted a body corporate and politic by the name of the Oriental Powder Mills, with all the powers and privileges and subject to all the duties and liabilities of manufacturing corporations.

Corporators.

Corporate name.

CHAP. 98.

Authorized to
manufacture
powder, &c.

Location.

Authorized to
manufacture
goods, &c.

May construct
dams, canals, &c.

Proviso.

Capital stock.

Shares.

First meeting,
how called, and
purpose of.

SECT. 2. Said corporation is authorized to manufacture powder, dye stuffs and chemicals at Gambo falls, on the Presumpscot river, in the towns of Windham and Gorham, in the county of Cumberland, and to manufacture goods, wares and fabrics of wood, metal, glass, leather, paper, wool, cotton, silk or other material on any of the falls on said Presumpscot river, in said county of Cumberland, of which it is or may become the owner or lessee, and for the purposes aforesaid may construct, repair and maintain upon their own lands suitable dams, canals, water-courses, machine shops, buildings and machinery, and may purchase and hold such real estate and personal property as may be necessary to effect the objects of their incorporation; *provided* that it shall not hold real estate exceeding in value the amount of its capital stock.

SECT. 3. The capital stock of said corporation shall not be less than two hundred thousand dollars nor more than one million dollars, divided into shares of not less than one hundred dollars nor more than one thousand dollars.

SECT. 4. Any one of the persons named in this act is authorized to call the first meeting of said corporation for the purpose of organizing said company, by giving written notice to each of the others, setting forth the time and place and purpose of said meeting five days before said meeting.

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

Approved February 16, 1872.

Chapter 98.

An act to authorize M. H. St. John and others to maintain and extend their wharf into tide water of Wheeler's bay in the town of St. George.

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

Authorized to
maintain wharf
and extend same.

SECT. 1. M. H. St. John, George Marks and Alvin Fogg, their heirs and assigns, are hereby authorized and empowered to maintain their wharf already built on their land on the northeast side of Clark's island, and extend the same one hundred feet into tide water of Wheeler's bay, in the town of St. George, county of Knox.

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

Approved February 16, 1872.