

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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ACTS AND RESOLVES

331

OF THE

FIFTY-SECOND LEGISLATURE

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE.

1873.

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PRIVATE AND SPECIAL LAWS

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE.

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Chapter 225.

CHAP. 225.

An act to incorporate the Lisbon Mutual Fire Insurance Company.

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

SECT. 1. John G. Tibbets, Jordan Rand, Charles B. Jordan, Jason Rand, Reuben D. Rand, James A. Harmon, William McLellan, William Tibbets, Jacob Whitney, their associates and successors, are hereby incorporated and made a body politic by the name of the Lisbon Mutual Fire Insurance Company, for the purpose of insuring their respective dwelling houses, barns and other outbuildings, household furniture and other property, the contents of any such buildings, against loss or damage by fire, and said company may purchase and hold such real and personal estate as may be necessary to effect the object of the association, and may sell and convey the same at pleasure. And said company may make, establish and put in execution such by-laws not contrary to the laws of the state as may seem necessary or convenient for the regulation and management of their affairs, and do and execute all such acts as may be necessary to carry into effect the purposes intended by this act.

Corporators.

Corporate name.

Purpose of.

May purchase and hold real and personal estate.

By-laws.

SECT. 2. The first meeting may be called by any three persons named in this act by posting up in three public and conspicuous places in said town of Lisbon notice of the time, place and business to be acted upon, at least ten days before such meeting, at which time the members present may elect all needful officers, fix their compensation and manage their own affairs in any way not inconsistent with the general laws of this state relating to such companies.

First meeting, how called.

Officers and compensation of.

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

Approved February 1, 1873.

Chapter 226.

An act authorizing Elizabeth Johnson to extend a wharf at Hampden into the tide waters of the Penobscot river.

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

SECT. 1. Elizabeth Johnson and her associates and assigns, are hereby authorized to extend a wharf from her shore in Hampden, into the tide waters of Penobscot river, in a manner not to injure the navigation of said river; *provided* that said wharf does not

Authorized to extend a wharf.

Proviso.

CHAP. 227. extend beyond the easterly side line of the Mitchell pier, so called, as now erected.

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

Approved February 1, 1873.

Chapter 227.

An act to empower Joseph Oakes to extend a wharf or wharves into tide waters of the Penobscot river at Brewer.

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

Authorized to
build a wharf.

SECT. 1. Joseph Oakes of Bangor, his heirs and assigns are hereby authorized and empowered to build, erect and maintain one or more wharves from his ship-yard and dock in Brewer, Maine, and extend the same into the tide waters of the Penobscot river not exceeding seventy feet below low water mark. Said wharf or wharves to be of such width and from such part or parts of said ship-yard and dock as he or they may elect.

Limit.

Authorized to
erect a boom.

SECT. 2. Said Oakes, his heirs and assigns, are also authorized and empowered to erect, hang and maintain a boom in front of his said ship-yard and dock at such distance therefrom as he or they may elect, but not to extend into said river more than seventy feet below low water mark, and to secure it by attaching it to wharves, buoys, rocks, anchors or other things.

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

Approved February 1, 1873.

Chapter 228.

An act to amend an act entitled "an act to incorporate the town of Ellsworth into a city," approved February the eighth, in the year one thousand eight hundred and sixty-nine.

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

City of Ellsworth,
to amend act to
incorporate.

SECT. 1. The twenty-ninth chapter of the special laws of Maine, of the year one thousand eight hundred and sixty-nine, "an act to incorporate the town of Ellsworth into a city," is hereby amended in the manner and particulars following, viz :

Section four of said act, by striking out the words "last Monday of March," and inserting in the place thereof the words 'first Monday of April,' so that said section as amended shall read as