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ACTS AND RESOLVES

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PRIVATE AND SPECIAL LAWS

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Chapter 297.

CHAP. 297.

An act to incorporate the Maine State Pomological Society.

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

SECT. 1. Z. A. Gilbert, George W. Woodman, A. L. Simpson, George B. Sawyer, J. C. Weston, Charles Pope, Samuel Rolfe, James A. Varney, Albert Noyes, Rufus Prince, J. C. Madigan, S. F. Perley, Hannibal Belcher, J. B. Phillips, Joseph Taylor, Harvey Counce, John Currier, William Swett, Henry McLaughlin, Calvin Chamberlain, Washington Gilbert, George O. Weston, Hiram Chase, J. C. Talbot, and S. L. Goodale, their associates and successors, are hereby constituted a corporation for the promotion of fruit culture, by the name of the Maine State Pomological Society.

Corporators.

Corporate name.

SECT. 2. Said society shall have all the rights, privileges and powers conferred by the laws of this state upon county and local agricultural societies, and shall be subject to all liabilities imposed by existing laws upon such societies, so far as the same are applicable to the objects of this society ; but the bounty to be paid by the state to said society shall not exceed the sum of five hundred dollars in one year.

Rights, powers and liabilities.

Bounty.

SECT. 3. Said society shall have power to elect such officers, and adopt such by-laws and regulations, not inconsistent with the laws of this state, as may be necessary to carry into effect the objects of the society.

Officers and by-laws.

SECT. 4. The first meeting of said society may be called by A. L. Simpson, J. C. Weston, and Geo. B. Sawyer, by a notice signed by them, stating the time and place of said meeting, to be published two weeks successively in the Maine Farmer, the last publication to be seven days at least before the time of said meeting.

First meeting, how called.

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

Approved February 17, 1873.

Chapter 298.

An act to incorporate the Topsham Granite and Manufacturing Company.

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

SECT. 1. Thomas J. Southard, William Small, junior, Nathaniel M. Whitmore, Robert Skofield, Jesse Davis, H. C. White and Alfred Littlefield, their associates, successors and assigns, are

Corporators.

CHAP. 299. hereby created a corporate body, by the name of the Topsham Granite and Manufacturing Company, for the purpose of quarrying granite and building a dam across the Androscoggin river, and erecting mills and factories in said Topsham, for the purpose of manufacturing cotton, wool, wood and machinery of all kinds, and doing such other business as may be necessarily connected therewith, with all the powers and privileges, and subject to all the duties and liabilities and requirements imposed by the laws of this state upon similar corporations.

Corporate name. **Purpose.** **Powers, privileges and liabilities.** **May hold real and personal estate.** **First meeting, how called.**

SECT. 2. Said corporation may purchase and hold real and personal estate to an amount not exceeding five hundred thousand dollars, with full power to manage and dispose of the same.

SECT. 3. Any person named in this act may call the first meeting of said corporation for the purpose of its organization, by giving to each of the persons named in this act a notice in writing of the time, place and purpose of said meeting, at least seven days prior thereto, or by publishing such notice in some newspaper printed in the county of Sagadahoc, two weeks successively prior to such meeting.

SECT. 4. This act shall take effect when approved.

Approved February 17, 1873.

Chapter 299.

An act to incorporate the Hancock County Savings Bank.

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

SECT. 1. George Parcher, John D. Hopkins, C. G. Peck, James F. Davis, J. R. Jordan, John West, Arno Wiswell, Charles C. Burrill, Erastus Redman, Rodney Forsaith, Myrick Avery, Charles D. McDonald, A. T. Jellison, their associates and successors, are hereby constituted a body politic and corporate, by the name of the Hancock County Savings Bank, with all the rights and privileges, and subject to all the liabilities and duties incident to similar institutions by the laws of this state, with full power by that name to prosecute and defend suits at law and in equity, to have and to use a common seal, to elect such officers as are required by the laws of this state, and others that may be necessary for the transaction of business, to receive deposits and to use and invest the same as they shall deem for the best interests and benefit of depositors, to make, establish and enforce by-laws for the management of the concerns of the corporation, not repugnant to the laws of this state. Said bank shall be established at Ellsworth.

Corporators. **Corporate name.** **Rights, privileges and liabilities.** **Seal.** **Deposits.** **By-laws.** **Location.**