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ACTS AND RESOLVES

OF THE

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OF THE

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PRIVATE AND SPECIAL LAWS

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STATE OF MAINE.

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Chapter 605.

CHAP. 605.

An act to incorporate the Houlton Dairying Company.

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

- SECT. 1. Amos P. Cook, Volney Chalmers, James A. Ebbett, Lewis B. Johnson, Charles E. Gilman, C. D. Merritt, George Drake, George McGinley, Lysander Putnam, William P. Kinney and Andrew Porter, their associates, successors and assigns, are hereby created a body politic and corporate by the name of the Houlton Dairying Company, with all the powers and privileges and subject to all the duties and liabilities provided by the laws of this state concerning manufacturing corporations.
- SECT. 2. Said corporation is authorized to manufacture cheese, and to transact any other business usually carried on by cheese factories or corporations for the purposes of associated dairying. The capital stock of said corporation shall not exceed the sum of ten thousand dollars, to be divided into such number of shares as the company may determine ; and said corporation may hold real and personal estate to the amount of said capital stock, with full power to manage and dispose of the same.
- SECT. 3. The first meeting of said corporation shall be held in the town of Houlton, and shall be called by a notice thereof seven days prior to said meeting, signed by one of the persons named in the first section of this act, a copy of which shall be given to each of the other corporators.
- SECT. 4. This act shall take effect when approved.

Corporators.
Corporate name.
Powers, privileges and liabilities.
Authorized to manufacture cheese.
Capital stock.
Shares.
May hold real and personal estate.
First meeting, how called.

Approved March 3, 1874.

Chapter 606.

An act to annex the town of Barnard to the town of Sebec.

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

- SECT. 1. The town of Barnard is hereby annexed to and made a part of the town of Sebec.
- SECT. 2. This act shall take effect and be in force if the same shall be accepted by a majority of the inhabitants of said towns of Sebec and Barnard, qualified to vote in town affairs, at a town meeting to be called and held in each of said towns, by giving the legal notice for the same ; said meeting to be called by the selectmen in the month of June, eighteen hundred and seventy-four. At such meetings the inhabitants aforesaid shall vote by written

Barnard annexed to Sebec.
Act, when to take effect.
Vote, how taken.

CHAP. 607. or printed ballot, those in favor of accepting this act having on their ballots the word 'yes,' and those opposed having on their ballots the word 'no,' and if a majority of all the ballots received in said towns are in favor of accepting the same it shall then become a law and take effect.

Act, when to be
in full force.

SECT. 3. This act shall take effect when approved by the governor, so far as to authorize its submission to the legal voters of the towns of Sebec and Barnard in the manner herein prescribed, and when accepted by said voters shall be in full force and effect.

Approved March 3, 1874.

Chapter 607.

An act to incorporate the Rumford Falls and Buckfield Railroad Company.

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

Corporators.

SECT. 1. By reason of manifest abuses of the rights, privileges and duties of the Portland and Oxford Central Railroad Company, conferred and enjoined upon it by its charter, and by reason of its neglect to operate its road or keep the same in good repair for several months past, therefore, public convenience and necessity requiring it, John B. Brown, Horatio N. Jose, Ralph C. Jewett, Hiram Hines, Nathan Morrill, Otis Hayford, John P. Swasey, George D. Bisbee, James Irish, E. G. Harlow, William P. Frye, Adna C. Dennison, Hiram Cox, Sewall Goff, Frank Dingley, William Rounds, John R. Pulsifer, William W. Bolster, A. T. Dennison, Daniel Holland, N. W. Farwell, Anson P. Morrill, Nahum Moor, S. C. Andrews, J. H. Decoster, William H. Atwood, Sharon Robinson, junior, Wallace Ryerson, Henry O. Stanley, Merrit Parsons, Benjamin Lovejoy, Andrew J. Churchill, David F. Brown, A. C. Small, E. S. Wyman, Timothy Walker, Jonathan K. Martin, A. J. Knight, their associates, successors and assigns, are hereby

Corporate name.

Rights, powers
and privileges.

Authorized to
locate and com-
plete railroad, &c.

made a body politic and corporate by the name of the Rumford Falls and Buckfield Railroad Company, and by that name may sue and be sued, plead and be impleaded, and shall have and enjoy all proper remedies at law and in equity to secure and protect them in the exercise and use of the rights and privileges, and the performance of the duties hereinafter granted and enjoined, and the said corporation is hereby authorized and empowered to locate, construct and finally complete, alter and keep in repair a railroad with one or more sets of rails or tracks, with all suitable bridges, tunnels, viaducts, turnouts, culverts, drains and all other necessary appendages, from some point in the city of Auburn,