

### ACTS AND RESOLVES

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#### LINCOLN MASONIC FRATERNITY .-- FISH WEIRS.

#### Chapter 13.

An act to incorporate the Trustees of the Lincoln Masonic Fraternity.

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

SECT. 1. That Harrison Piper, Luna B. Batchelder, Charles L.

Corporators.

Corporate name.

Purpose of.

May hold funds to amount of \$25,000.

May manage and dispose of same.

Members.

Office, election and government.

First meeting, how called. Pickering, Timothy Heald, Meader B. Pinkham, William C. Clark and Orick H. Wakefield, their associates and successors, are hereby created a corporation by the name of the Trustees of the Lincoln Masonic Fraternity, for the purpose of holding in trust and managing any funds and property, real or personal, belonging to Horeb Lodge of Free and Accepted Masons, situated in Lincoln, Maine, with all the rights and subject to the liabilities prescribed for similar corporations by the general laws of the state.

SECT. 2. For the purpose aforesaid, said corporation may take by purchase, gift, devise, or otherwise, and hold any property or funds as aforesaid, to the amount of twenty-five thousand dollars, at cost, and the same to manage and control, sell and convey, lease, loan, and otherwise dispose of, in the same manner as owners have a right to manage and dispose of their own property, but in accordance with the provisions of any by-laws of said corporation then existing.

SECT. 3. Said corporation may by its by-laws determine the number of its members, their qualifications and tenure of office, time and manner of election, and all other things pertaining to their government and constitution and modes of proceeding, not inconsistent with the laws of the state, which by-laws, so made, shall for the time being have all the force and effect of law as if incorporated in their charter.

SECT. 4. The first meeting of said corporation may be called by any person named in this act by giving to each of the others in hand or by mail, a written notice of the time and place of meeting, at least seven days before said meeting.

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

Approved January 28, 1875.

#### Chapter 14.

An act authorizing Augustus C. Savage and others to construct weirs between Mount Desert and Bear Island.

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

SECT. 1. Augustus C. Savage, D. J. Manchester, A. J. Manchester, Thomas Savage and Thomas Manchester are hereby

Authorized to construct fish weirs.

#### WHARF AT SULLIVAN .- ELLIOTTSVILLE STAR SLATE CO.

authorized to construct and maintain fish weirs, in the tide waters between Mount Desert and Bear Island, so-called, for the term of ten years, providing they do not interfere with navigation.

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

Approved January 28, 1875.

#### Chapter 15.

An act authorizing George C. Lyman, Newton C. White and associates to build a wharf in tide waters at Sullivan.

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

SECT. 1. George C. Lyman, Newton C. White, their associates, Authorized to build a wharf. heirs and assigns, are hereby authorized and empowered to build and maintain a wharf in tide waters at Sullivan, near the old ferry way at Meeting House Point, so called, one hundred feet.

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

Approved January 28, 1875.

#### Chapter 16.

#### An aot to incorporate the Elliottsville Star Slate Company.

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

SECT. 1. Edson C. Buker, Rufus R. Drake, John B. Butter, Corporators. Levi L. Lucas, John L. Field, Napoleon B. Turner, their associates, successors and assigus, are hereby incorporated by the name of corporate name. the Elliottsville Star Slate Company, for the purpose of quarrying, Purposes of. manufacturing and marbleizing slate in the county of Piscataquis, to possess all the rights and privileges, and be subject to all the Rights, privileges and duties. duties, liabilities and requirements of similar corporations.

The capital stock of said corporation shall not exceed Capital stock and SECT. 2. three hundred thonsand dollars, divided into shares of twenty-five dollars each.

SECT. 3. Said corporation may purchase and hold personal and May purchase real estate to an amount not exceeding its capital stock, and have estate. full power to manage and dispose of the same.

SECT. 4. The officers of said corporation shall consist of a officers. president, clerk and treasurer, and not less than three directors, also such other officers and agents as shall be required by the bylaws of said company.

shares.

and hold real

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