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ASSOCIATION FOR PROTECTION OF FISH, -- CAMP-MEETING ASSOCIATION.

Chapter 27.

An act to incorporate the Maine State Association for Protection of Fish.

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

Corporators.

Corporate name.

Purpose of.

SECT. 1. John H. Kimball, William S. Badger, Artemas Libbey, Samuel D. Leavitt, Elias M. Stilwell, Henry O. Stanley, William G. Davis, Charles G. Atkins, Edwin Reed, Seth D. Wakefield, Manasseh Smith, James M. Kimball, Warren Johnson, Thomas Lambard, Jonas Hamilton, George M. Patten, Joseph W. Clapp, Samuel E. Smith, their associates and successors, are hereby incorporated under the name of the Maine State Association for Protection of Fish, for the purpose of securing and enforcing proper restrictions upon the taking and killing of fish and shellfish, the promotion of fish culture, and the introduction of new species and varieties of fish, and to disseminate information relating thereto.

By-laws.

Donations, assessments, &c.

May purchase and hold real estate.

Officers.

May cease to be a member.

First meeting, how called. SECT. 2. The said corporation shall have power to make bylaws for the regulation and management of its concerns, not inconsistent with the laws of this state, to receive donations, bequests, and devises, for promoting the objects of the association, to lay and collect assessments upon the members, not excéeding five dollars per annum, to enforce the payment of such assessments by action for the same, to purchase and hold real estate to the amount of fifty thousand dollars, and personal estate to the amount of twenty-five thousand dollars, to elect all necessary officers for the transaction of business and the management of its affairs, and to commence and defend suits.

SECT. 3. Any member of said corporation may cease to be a member thereof, by giving written notice to that effect to the president, treasurer or secretary, and paying the amount due from him to the association.

SECT. 4. The first meeting of the members of said corporation may be called by any three of the persons named in the first section of this act, by giving one or more weeks' notice in any newspaper published in Augusta.

Approved February 4, 1875.

Chapter 28.

An act to incorporate the East Machias Camp-Meeting Association.

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

SECT. 1. James L. Tuell, Samuel Longfellow, Seth B. French, Nelson Hall, Benjamin A. Strout, and Luther Hanscom, their associates

Corporators.

CALAIS TROTTING PARK ASSOCIATION.

and successors, are hereby constituted a body corporate by the name of the East Machias Camp-Meeting Association, with Corporate name. full power by that name to sue and be sued, to plead and be impleaded, to take and hold by gift or purchase, property, real and personal, to an amount not exceeding eight thousand dollars, for the purpose of providing and maintaining a suitable place in said Location. East Machias for holding camp-meetings, to establish such by-laws By-laws. and regulations as are necessary for the proper management of their affairs, not inconsistent with the laws of this state.

SECT. 2. The first meeting of said corporation may be called First meeting, by one or more of the persons named in this act, by publishing notice of the time and place of meeting for two weeks successively, in some newspaper published in the county of Washington, at least one week prior to the time of said meeting.

Approved February 4, 1875.

Chapter 29.

An act to incorporate the Calais Trotting Park Association.

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

SECT. 1. E. C. Gates, W. B. King, J. S. Murchie, Joseph E. Corporators. Eaton, T. W. Horton, Joseph N. Porter, W. T. King, Samuel Rideout, John G. Murchie and Henry H. King, their associates, successors and assigns, are hereby created a body corporate by the name of the Calais Trotting Park Association, with all the Corporate name. rights and privileges granted by the laws of the state to corporations, and subject to all the laws applicable thereto.

SECT. 2. The capital stock of this association shall be twenty Capital stock and thousand dollars, to be divided into shares of the par value of twenty-five dollars each.

SECT. 3. Said association shall have the power to purchase, May purchase hold, own and transfer, within the city of Calais, in said county of estate. Washington, real estate for the purpose of organizing, holding and maintaining agricultural fairs, stock exhibitions, and sufficient to construct and prepare a trotting park with a mile or half mile track, within the limits thereof, with such structures, fixtures and appurtenances as may be necessary for the proper use and enjoyment of the same.

SECT. 4. Said corporation may make and adopt from time to By-laws. time such rules, regulations and by-laws as they may deem proper

Rights and privileges.

shares,

CHAP. 29.

May hold real and personal estate.

how called.