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ACTS AND RESOLVES

OF THE

FIFTY-SEVENTH LEGISLATURE

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE.

1878.

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PRIVATE AND SPECIAL LAWS

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE.

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**Chapter 83.****CHAP. 83.**

An act to incorporate the Kennebec Association for the protection of Fish and Game.

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

SECT. 1. George W. Martin, S. A. Russell, Erastus Haskell, A. M. True, J. L. Colcord, George O. Tobey, Nathan Quint, P. O. Vickery, W. B. Hunt, J. W. Clapp, L. J. Crooker, C. B. Morton, J. F. Pierce, C. W. Safford, Horace Cony, George E. Nason, G. A. Robertson, G. A. Cony, Daniel Whitehouse, G. P. Haskell, H. E. Smith and S. W. Huntington, of Augusta, S. B. Glazier, J. H. Lord, Harvey Getchell, W. B. Nichols, Henry N. Harding and Nathan L. Niles, of Hallowell, Henry Cheeseman, George F. Adams, Walter Davis and John A. Berry, of Gardiner, and Stephen W. Carr of Bowdoinham, their associates, successors and assigns, are hereby created a body politic and corporate, by the name of the Kennebec Association for the protection of Fish and Game, for the purpose of aiding in the enforcement of the laws of the state for the protection of fish and game, and promoting the study of natural history, with power, for such purpose, to take by purchase, bequest or otherwise, and to hold and convey, real and personal property to the amount of ten thousand dollars.

SECT. 2. Said corporation shall have power by that name to prosecute and defend suits at law and in equity, to enter and prosecute complaints against any person or persons for violating any law of the state for the protection of fish and game, and to recover and receive all penalties and forfeitures that would be recoverable by any person making such complaints ; to have and use a common seal, and adopt a code of by-laws, not inconsistent with the laws of the state, for the due and orderly management of its affairs, and for the raising of money from its members by assessments and fines, for the admission of new members, for the expulsion of any member for the breach of such by-laws, and for such other purposes as may seem necessary.

SECT. 3. The first meeting of said corporation may be called by any three of the corporators, by a notice specifying the time and place for such meeting, published in any paper

Corporators.

Corporate name.

Purpose.

Powers and privileges.

First meeting, how called.

CHAP. 84. in the city of Augusta, at least one week prior to the time fixed for the meeting.

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

Approved February 21, 1878.

### Chapter 84.

An act to regulate the disbursement of public funds by the Treasurer of Cumberland county.

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

Orders of county commissioners to be accompanied by vouchers.

SECT. 1. No money shall be paid out by the treasurer of Cumberland county on the order of the county commissioners, unless the original bill or bills are presented with the order, and said bill or bills, after being paid, shall be filed in the treasurer's office, and shall be open for public inspection.

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

Approved February 21, 1878.

### Chapter 85.

An act to provide schools for the training of Teachers in Madawaska Territory.

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

Trustees of normal schools authorized to establish training schools.

SECT. 1. The trustees of the normal schools are hereby authorized to establish and maintain, for a period not less than six months in each year, two schools in Madawaska territory, so called, for the purpose of training persons to teach in the common schools of said territory. The towns in which such schools may be located, shall furnish suitable buildings therefor, free of expense, and shall also furnish fuel for said schools. The choice of books and teachers for said schools, the course of study to be pursued therein, and the grade of scholarship for admission thereto, shall be under the control of said trustees.