

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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ACTS AND RESOLVES

OF THE

SIXTY-FIRST LEGISLATURE

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE.

1883.

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traveling in any said vehicles, but this exception shall not extend to persons taken in for the purpose of avoiding toll; and only one person as a driver to each team shall be allowed to pass free of toll; and said tolls may be commuted by this corporation, with any person or corporation, by taking of him or them a sum certain for a specified time instead thereof. Persons going or returning from military duty, or to or from any place of public worship on the sabbath, or to or from funerals, shall be allowed to pass free of toll.

SECT. 4. At the place of collecting tolls, said corporation shall constantly expose to view a board or sign, upon which shall be plainly printed the rates of toll aforesaid; and whenever the toll-gatherer shall be absent from the toll-house, the gates shall be left open and the bridge toll free; and the toll shall commence when the bridge is first opened to passengers.

Rules.

SECT. 5. If said corporation shall neglect or refuse, for the term of five years from the passage of this act, to build and complete said bridge, this act shall be null and void.

Act void if bridge is not completed within five years.

SECT. 6. Any three persons named in the first section may call the first meeting of the corporation, by posting notice of the time, place and purpose of meeting, in two public and conspicuous places in said Solon and Embden, fourteen days before the time of said meeting.

First meeting, how called.

SECT. 7. This act shall take effect when approved.

Approved February 21, 1883.

## Chapter 255.

An Act to incorporate the Buxton and Hollis Agricultural Society.

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

SECT. 1. That Storer S. Milliken, Aaron Clark, Joel M. Marshal, Henry K. Bradbury, Isaac N. Deering, Stephen L. Smith, Joseph M. Harper, James Knight, Seth Meserve, Ira T. Brackett, John F. McKenney, John Martin, Aaron B. Burnham, John W. Elden, Daniel Hill, Samuel A. Hill, John C. Mayo, John B. Bradbury, John G. Lock, Mark L. H. Owen, David Deering, Ezekiel Deering, Gilbert Hasty,

Corporators.

CHAP: 255 George H. Moore, Roscoe G. Stewart, Charles W. Smith, George Libby, William C. Palmer, James W. Meserve, Charles H. Hill, Samuel T. Eaton, Arthur Boothby, Samuel Hanson, their associates and successors be and hereby are created a body corporate by the name of the Buxton and Hollis Agricultural Society, with power to sue and be sued, to have and use a common seal, and to make by-laws and regulations for the management of their affairs not repugnant to the laws of the state.

**Corporate name.** **Limits.** SECT. 2. Said corporation is hereby established within the limits of the towns of Buxton, Hollis, Waterborough and Dayton, in the county of York, and other towns in the vicinity, and may take and hold property, real and personal, not exceeding ten thousand dollars, to be used at their discretion for improvement and encouragement of agriculture, horticulture, and the mechanic arts.

**Powers and liabilities.** SECT. 3. Said association shall have all the powers and privileges, and be subject to all the liabilities mentioned in the revised statutes and public laws of the state, relating to such corporations.

**Capital stock.** SECT. 4. The capital stock of said corporation shall be divided into one hundred shares.

**First meeting, how called.** SECT. 5. The first meeting of said corporation shall be called by any two persons named in the first section of this act, by a notice published in the Maine Sentinel and Biddeford Journal, two newspapers printed in said county of York, three weeks successively, the last publication to be at least seven days before said meeting. Said notice shall state the time and place and purposes of said meeting. The officers of said corporation shall be chosen, and such other proceedings had for a full and complete organization, as a majority of the members may determine.

SECT. 6. This act shall take effect when approved.

Approved February 21, 1883.