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ACTS AND RESOLVES

OF THE

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OF THE

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of one hundred thousand dollars and secure the same by mortgage of the franchise and property of said company.

The first meeting of said company may be First meeting, called by a written notice thereof, signed by any three corporators herein named, served upon each corporator by giving

him the same in hand or by leaving the same at his last usual place of abode, seven days before the time of meeting.

Sect. 14. This act shall take effect when approved.

Approved February 7, 1887.

Chapter 53.

An Act relating to the Preachers' Aid Society of the Maine Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church.

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

That the act incorporating the Preachers' Aid Society of the Maine Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church approved January twenty-six, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and fifty-eight, is hereby altered and amended so that as altered and amended, it shall read as follows, namely:

Act incorporating Preachers' Aid Society, amended.

'Sect. 1. Daniel B. Randall, John Allen, E. Martin, S.

F. Wetherbee, Stephen Allen, Charles F. Allen, Israel Luce, C. E. Bisbee, Charles J. Clark, Roscoe Sanderson, W. S.

Jones, E. S. Stackpole, A. W. Pottle, E. T. Adams, J. Gerrish and M. C. Pendexter being present members of said board, their associates and successors are hereby continued and created a body corporate by the name of the Preachers'

Aid Society of the Maine Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church, with all the powers incident to corporations under the general laws of the state, and by that name shall have power to prosecute and defend suits at law, to have and own a common seal and to change the same at pleasure, to

take and hold for the objects of their association by gift, grant, donation, devise, bequest, purchase, or otherwise, any estate, real or personal, to an amount not exceeding fifty thousand

dollars, and to sell and convey any estate, real or personal, which the interests of said corporation may require to be sold

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or exchanged, and all donations, gifts, grants, devises, or bequests made to said corporation for specific purposes shall be appropriated according to the will and design of the donor and in no other way.'

Purpose for which property shall be applied.

'Sect. 2. All property and estate, real and personal, which may at any time by gift, grant, donation, devise, bequest, purchase or otherwise come into the possession of the said corporation, and which is not otherwise specifically appropriated, shall be applied for the purpose of aiding needy preachers belonging to the Maine conference of the Methodist Episcopal church and their families.'

By-laws.

'Sect. 3. Said corporation may adopt such rules, regulations and by-laws not repugnant to the laws of the state, as may be deemed expedient for the management of its affairs and the control of its membership, and nine shall constitute a quorum for the transaction of business.'

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

Approved February 7, 1887.

Chapter 54.

An Act to incorporate the Center Harbor Steamboat Wharf Company.

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

Corporators.

SECT. 1. G. R. Allen, Benj. Nutter, T. R. Alden, S. G. Stevens, their associates, successors and assigns, are hereby incorporated a body politic and corporate, by the name of the Center Harbor Steamboat Wharf Company, and in that name may prosecute and defend suits at law, acquire and hold real and personal estate, and shall possess all the rights and privileges of similar corporations under the general law.

Corporate name.

May elect officers and adopt by-laws. SECT. 2. They shall elect for one year a board of officers, and adopt such by-laws and regulations, not inconsistent with the laws of the state, for their government as may be desirable.

Capital stock.

SECT. 3. The capital stock shall not exceed five thousand dollars, to be divided into shares, in numbers and amounts as shall be determined by them.

Authorized to build wharves.

SECT. 4. They shall have authority to purchase, build or extend a wharf or wharves, in tide water of said Center