

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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ACTS AND RESOLVES

OF THE

SIXTY-THIRD LEGISLATURE

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE.

1887.

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PRIVATE AND SPECIAL LAWS

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE.

1887.

Chapter 93.

An Act to incorporate the Biddeford Soldiers' and Sailors' Monument Association.

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

Corporators.

SECT. 1. Francis G. Warren, Samuel F. Parcher, Joseph H. Hatch, J. O. Lord, John Lord, James F. Tarr, R. M. Johnson, Edward S. Morris, John M. Goodwin, Esreff H. Banks, Simon S. Andrews, Simon Newcomb, Edward W. Staples, Edwin Stone, Joshua Moore, James Andrews, Timothy Elliott and John F. Goldthwait, and their associates, successors and assigns, be and are hereby created, constituted and incorporated a body politic and corporate forever, by the name of the Biddeford Soldiers' and Sailors' Monument Association, for the purpose of erecting a suitable monument in memory of the soldiers and sailors of the city of Biddeford, who gave their lives in defence of their country in the war of the rebellion.

Corporate name.

Purposes.

Powers.

Seal.

By-laws.

SECT. 2. Said corporation, by its aforesaid corporate name, may sue and be sued, plead and be impleaded ; have and use a common seal and alter the same at pleasure ; make, ordain and establish for its government, by-laws not repugnant to the constitution and laws of the state ; and shall have and enjoy all the powers and privileges usually granted to similar corporations.

Authorized to acquire real and personal estate.

SECT. 3. Said corporation may acquire by gift or purchase, for its uses and objects, real and personal estate, to an amount not exceeding twenty-five thousand dollars, and may dispose of the same at pleasure, provided that no property of said corporation shall be disposed of for the pecuniary benefit or advantage of any person or corporation.

First meeting, how called.

SECT. 4. The first meeting of said corporation may be called by any person named in the first section of this act, at such time and place as he may deem proper, by publishing a notice of said meeting in some newspaper printed in the city of Biddeford, seven days at least, before the day of said meeting.

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

Approved February 12, 1887.