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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 158.

An Act to incorporate the Norway Electric Light Company.

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

SECT. 1. Hermon L. Horne, William H. Whitcomb, Silas D. Andrews, Henry M. Bearce, George L. Beal and Cyrus S. Tucker, with their associates, successors and assigns, are hereby made a body corporate, by the name of Norway Electric Light Company, and as such shall possess all the powers and be subject to all the duties and obligations conferred and imposed on corporations by law, except as otherwise provided herein.

Corporators.

Corporate name.

SECT. 2. The corporation shall be located at Norway, county of Oxford, Maine, and its business shall be confined to the towns of Norway and Paris in said county.

Location.

SECT. 3. The business to be carried on by said corporation shall be to light the public streets in Norway and Paris, and to dispose of electric light and power to individuals and corporations, and for this purpose may set poles and extend wires in the streets of said towns, under the supervision of the selectmen of said towns.

Authorized to light streets of Norway and Paris, etc.

SECT. 4. The towns of Norway and Paris, and the Norway Village Corporation and South Paris Village Corporation, by their assessors, are hereby authorized to contract with said Norway Electric Light Company for lighting streets upon such terms as they may mutually agree.

Towns and Village Corporations, may contract for lighting of streets.

SECT. 5. The capital stock of said corporation shall be twelve thousand dollars, divided into shares of one hundred dollars each, and may be increased to twenty thousand dollars by a vote of the stockholders.

Capital stock.

SECT. 6. The first meeting shall be called by any two of the corporators, by giving a written notice by them signed, of the time and place to each of the other corporators, twenty-four hours before the time of meeting, at which first meeting such officers shall be elected as the corporation may vote to have, and officers shall be elected annually thereafter, and the corporation may adopt such by-laws as are not repugnant to the laws of the state.

First meeting, how called.

Officers.

By-laws.

SECT. 7. Nothing herein contained shall be construed as granting any exclusive privilege in said town of Paris, or as

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preventing the formation and chartering of other corporations for the same purpose.

SECT. 8. This act shall take effect when approved.

Approved February 26, 1887.

Chapter 159.

An Act to incorporate the North Washington County Agricultural Society.

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

- Corporators. SECT. 1. Oscar Pike, Joseph Lawler, S. G. Spooner, A. S. Fenlason, J. W. Edgerley, J. W. Lovering, John Carle, C. A. Rolfe, W. H. Bates, J. M. Heath, H. W. Anderson, J. C. Bacon, N. S. Read, J. C. Neal, N. Phelps, John Dudley, W. R. Dresser, S. L. Peabody, W. G. Rose, George W. Smith, L. R. Horsman, H. L. Buck, I. E. Seavey and John Roix, their associates, successors and assigns, are hereby created a
- Corporate name. body politic by the name of North Washington County Agricultural Society, and by that name shall have power to sue and
- Powers. be sued, prosecute and defend suits at law and equity, to have and use a common seal and to change the same at pleasure, and pass any by-laws and regulations not inconsistent with the laws of this state, which they may deem necessary for the management of their affairs, and shall have and exercise all the powers and privileges granted to and exercised by agricultural societies and similar corporations.
- May hold real estate. SECT. 2. Said corporation shall have power to purchase, lease and hold, or receive on bequest real estate in the county of Washington, the value of which with the improvements and betterments, shall not exceed twenty thousand dollars,
- limit. and personal property not exceeding in value five thousand dollars, for the purpose of constructing and maintaining a driving park, fair grounds and exhibitions.
- Shall have police powers. SECT. 3. Said corporation shall have all of the police powers, together with all other powers and privileges at all of their exhibitions of whatever name or nature, which are conferred upon agricultural societies by sections sixteen, seventeen and eighteen of chapter fifty-eight of the revised statutes.