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ACTS AND RESOLVES

OF THE

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OF THE

STATE OF MAINE.

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PRIVATE AND SPECIAL LAWS

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE.

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**Chapter 175.**

An Act to incorporate the Androscoggin Valley Agricultural Society.

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

SECT. 1. John W. Thompson, Z. E. Gilbert, M. Peabody, William K. Decoster, George W. Moore, S. A. Russell, M. G. Strout, Charles H. Lucas, J. W. Bicknell, A. Packard, and C. O. Holt, together with their associates and successors,

Corporators.

be and hereby are constituted a body corporate and politic by the name of the Androscoggin Valley Agricultural Society, with power to prosecute and defend suits at law, to have and use a common seal, to make and enforce any by-laws and regulations, for the management of their affairs, not repugnant to the laws of the state; to take, hold and use any estate, real or personal, the yearly income of which shall not exceed two thousand dollars, to be used and employed exclusively for the promotion of agriculture, horticulture, mechanic arts and manufactures connected therewith; and said corporation shall have power to lease, sell, or convey, or otherwise dispose of their funds, as may best promote the objects of their society; provided, nevertheless, that the powers herein granted may be enlarged, restricted or annulled at the pleasure of the legislature.

Corporate name  
Powers and  
privileges.

SECT. 2. The first meeting of said society may be called at such time and place as may be deemed best, by any three of the members herein named, and on such notice as they may deem reasonable.

First meeting,  
how called.

SECT. 3. This act shall take effect when approved.

Approved March 1, 1887.