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PIKE FAMILY ASSOCIATION.

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Chapter 187.

An Act to incorporate the Pike Family Association.

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

Corporators.

-corporate name.

-powers,

Purposes to which property and funds shall be applied.

May issue stock.

May adopt rules.

-may choose officers.

Corporation meetings, when and where to be held.

First meeting at U. S. hotel, Boston, Mass., Sept. 27, 1904. Section I. Edwin B. Pike, Joseph T. Pike, Glifford L. Pike, Walter N. Pike, Ezra B. Pike, John Q. Evans, Gordon B. Pike, their associates and successors, are hereby constituted a corporation under the name of the Pike Family Association, and by that name shall have power to prosecute and defend suits at law, have and use a common seal and change the same at pleasure, take and hold for the objects of their association, by gift, grant, bequest, purchase or otherwise, any estate real or personal, the annual income of which shall not exceed fifty thousand dollars, and to sell and convey any estate, real or personal, which the interests of said association may require to be sold and conveyed.

Section 2. All property and estate, real or personal, which at any time may come into the possession of the said corporation shall be applied, to the promotion of historical and generalogical research, in home or foreign lands, to the publication of any historical or genealogical research, in home or foreign lands, to the publication of any historical or genealogical matter pertaining to the family of which it may become possessed, to the maintenance, by purchase or otherwise, of a suitable building for its corporate meetings and the preservation of its property, and to the perpetuation, by tablet, monument or otherwise, of the names of those who have made the family name illustrious.

Section 3. The said corporation is hereby given authority to issue stock to the amount of one hundred thousand dollars to be divided into shares of one dollar each which shall be forever unassessable.

Section 4. The said corporation may adopt such rules and by-laws, the same not being repugnant to the laws of this state, as they may deem expedient for the management of their affairs. They may choose all necessary officers, and they shall be and they are hereby invested with all the powers, privileges, rights and immunities incident to similar corporations.

Section 5. The said corporation may hold its meetings, biannual, annual or special, in any of the states or territories of the United States, and may choose its officers therefrom.

Section 6. The first meeting of the said corporation may be held in the United States Hotel in Boston, Massachusetts, on Tuesday, the twenty-seventh day of September, nineteen hundred and four, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, or at such other place and time as Edwin B. Pike, Joseph T. Pike and Glifford

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 $I_{..}$ Pike, or any two of them may determine by giving seasonable notice of said meeting to all the persons named as corporators.

Section 7. The treasurer, before entering upon his duties, , shall give a bond, approved by the directors, for the faithful sischarge of the same.

Section 8. This act shall take effect when approved.

Approved March 18, 1903.

Chapter 188.

An Act to extend the charter of the Hallowell Trust Company.

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

Section 1. The rights, powers and privileges of the Hallowell Trust Company, which were granted by chapter four hundred and seventy-five of the private and special laws of nineteen hundred and one, are hereby extended for two years from the approval of this act; and the persons named in said act, their associates and successors, shall have all the rights, powers and privileges that were granted them by said act, to be exercised in the same manner and for the same purposes as specified in said act.

Section 2. This act shall take effect when approved.

Approved March 18, 1903.

Chapter 189.

An Act to incorporate the Wells Telephone Company.

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

Section 1. George G. Hatch, Joseph D. Eaton, Freeman E. Rankin, John Rankin, George H. Littlefield and Joseph H. Littlefield, their associates and successors are hereby created a corporation by the name of the Wells Telephone Company, with all the powers, rights and privileges, and subject to all the duties and obligations of similar corporations under the general laws of this state.

Section 2. Said corporation is hereby authorized to construct, own, maintain and operate telephone line or lines anywhere in

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name.

Corporators.

Powers and authority.

Charter extended.

Treasurer shall give bond.

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