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ACTS AND RESOLVES
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OF THE
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PRIVATE AND SPECIAL LAWS

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE.

1907.

Chapter 83.

An Act to prohibit the throwing of sawdust and other waste material into Cold River, in Stow, in the County of Oxford, or any of its tributaries.

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

Section 1. No person shall cast or throw into Cold river or any of its tributaries in Stow in the county of Oxford, any sawdust, shavings, bark or other mill waste or refuse of any kind, or place or deposit such sawdust, shavings, bark or other mill waste or refuse of any kind along the banks of said waters in such manner that the same shall fall or be washed into said river or tributaries.

Throwing
mill waste
into Cold
river and
tributaries.

Section 2. Whoever violates any of the provisions of this act shall be subject to a penalty of not less than five nor more than fifty dollars and costs for each offense.

Penalty for
violation.

Approved February 19, 1907.

Chapter 84.

An Act to incorporate the Northern Maine General Hospital of Eagle Lake.

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

Section 1. Louis S. Walsh of Portland, Maine, Albert A. Burleigh and John B. Madigan of Houlton, Joseph Marcoux and Joseph A. Michaud of Eagle Lake, all in the state of Maine, their associates and successors are hereby incorporated and made a body politic by the name of the Northern Maine General Hospital, and by that name may sue and be sued, have a common seal and have all the immunities and privileges of like corporations. Said corporators and their associates shall have the power to vote in associate corporations, but no personal liability shall attach to said corporators by reason of any acts of said corporation.

Corporators.

—corporate
name.

Section 2. Said corporation may receive and hold real and personal estate to an amount which may from time to time be given, granted, bequeathed or devised to it, and accepted by the corporation for the uses and purposes of erecting, supporting and maintaining a general hospital for the sick, to be located within the town of Eagle Lake, county of Aroostook and state of Maine, provided always that both the principal and income thereof shall be appropriated to the terms of the donation, devise or bequest.

May hold
real and
personal
estate.

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Board of trustees.

—tenure.

—vacancies, how filled.

Quorum to transact business.

May establish training school for nurses.

First meeting, how called.

Section 3. Said hospital shall be under the direction and management of a board of five trustees, who shall be chosen at the first meeting of the corporation, one for the term of one year, one for the term of two years, one for the term of three years, one for the term of four years and one for the term of five years; and at each subsequent meeting of the corporation one trustee shall be chosen for the full term of five years. The Roman Catholic bishop of the diocese of Portland, Maine, for the time being shall be chosen one of said trustees at such first meeting, and he or his successor in such ecclesiastical office shall be chosen a trustee at the expiration of the term for which he was originally chosen, for the full term of five years and so on at the expiration of each term of five years thereafter, and he or his successor shall be chosen president of said board and of said corporation or he or his successor shall be, ex-officio, president of said board and of said corporation. Any vacancies in the board occurring between such annual meetings shall be filled temporarily by the board, and the trustees so chosen shall hold office until the next annual meeting or until others are chosen and qualified in their stead.

Section 4. A majority in number of said corporators shall constitute a quorum for the transaction of business. Said corporation shall have the power to make such regulations and by-laws as may be necessary for the choice of all proper officers; to prescribe their duties and powers and to provide generally for the internal government and economy of the hospital, such by-laws not being repugnant to the laws of the state.

Section 5. Said corporation is authorized to establish a training school for nurses, and to issue diplomas as shall be fit and proper.

Section 6. Any two of the corporators named in this act may call the first meeting of said corporation by mailing a written notice, postage paid, to each of the other corporators, seven days at least, before the day of meeting, naming the time, place and purposes of such meeting.

Section 7. This act shall take effect when approved.

Approved February 19, 1907.