

CHAPTER 3.

AN ACT FOR INCORPORATING A CERTAIN TRACT OF LAND ON THE WESTERLY SIDE OF PENOBSCOT BAY, INTO A TOWN BY THE NAME OF BELFAST.

WHEREAS the inhabitants of a certain tract of land on the westerly side of Penobscot Bay, in the county of Lincoln, are desirous of being incorporated into and invested with the powers and privileges of a town; therefore,—

Preamble

Be it enacted by the Governor, Council and House of Representatives,

[SECT. 1.] That the tract of land aforesaid, bounded as follows; viz., begining at the westerly bounds of the township of Frankfort; from thence, westerly, round the harbour called Passageeswokey, to Little River; from thence, up said river, as far as salt water flows; then, crossing said river, to a black-burch tree, computed to be thirty-seven chains; from thence, south, sixty-eight degrees west, two hundred and twenty-three chains, to a burch-tree; from thence, north, twenty-two degrees west, three hundred and seventy-two chains, to a rock-maple tree, one rod, westerly, from a quarry of stones; from thence, north, sixty-eight degrees east, six hundred and two chains, to the westerly line of said Frankfort; from thence, south, thirty-seven chains, to the largest of Half-way-Creek Ponds; from thence, down said creek, to the bounds first mentioned,—be and hereby is erected into a town by the name of Belfast; and that the inhabitants thereof be and hereby are invested with all the powers, privileges and immunities, which the inhabitants of the towns within this province, respectively, do, or by law ought to, enjoy.

Bounds of Belfast.

And be it further enacted,

[SECT. 2.] That Thomas Goldthwait, Esq., be, and he hereby is, empowered to issue his warrant, directed to some principal inhabitant in said town, to notify and warn the inhabitants in said town, qualified by law to vote in town affairs, to meet at such time and place as shall be therein set forth, to chuse all officers as shall be necessary to manage the affairs of said town; at which said first meeting all the then present male inhabitants that shall be arrived at the age of twenty-one years, shall be admitted to vote. [*Passed and published June 29.*]

Thomas Goldthwait, Esq., empowered to call a meeting.

CHAPTER 4.

AN ACT FOR INCORPORATING A PLANTATION CALLED BROADBAY, INTO A TOWN BY THE NAME OF WALDOBOROUGH.

WHEREAS the inhabitants of the plantation called Broadbay, in the county of Lincoln, have represented to this court that they labour under many great difficulties and inconveniencies by reason of their not being incorporated into a town; therefore,—

Preamble.

Be it enacted by the Governor, Council and House of Representatives,

[SECT. 1] That the said plantation, commonly called and known by the name of Broadbay, bounded as follows; viz., to begin at the north-west corner bound of the town of Bristol, in said county, at a

Bounds of Waldoborough.

stake standing on the bank of the Duck-puddle Brook, so called; thence, running northerly, by said brook and pond, to the northerly end of said pond, to a pine-tree marked on four sides; thence, to run north, five hundred and sixty rods, to a pine-tree marked on four sides; thence, to run north, twenty-two degrees and thirty minutes east, seventeen hundred rods, to a spruce-tree marked on four sides; thence, to run east south-east, eleven hundred and twenty rods, to a birch-tree marked on four sides; thence, to run south, seven degrees east, sixteen hundred rods, to a maple-tree marked on four sides; thence, to run south, nineteen degrees west, nine hundred and sixty rods, to a spruce-tree marked on four sides; thence, to run south-east, one hundred and sixty rods, to a fir-tree marked on four sides; thence, to run south, fifteen degrees east, three hundred and twenty rods, to a stake standing on the bank of Little Pond, so called; thence, easterly, by the shore of said pond, to the easterly part thereof; thence, south, fifteen degrees east, to a stake standing on the bank of the Southerly Pond, so called; thence, easterly, by the shore of the said pond, to the easterly part thereof; thence, south, fifteen degrees east, one hundred rods, to a spruce-tree marked on four sides; thence, running south, twelve degrees west, three hundred and twenty rods, to a spruce-tree marked on four sides; thence, running north-west, four hundred rods, to Goose River, so called; thence, southerly, down said river, in the middle thereof, to its entrance into the bay; thence, northerly and westerly, by the shore of the bay, round the Back Cove, so called; thence, to continue by the shore, southerly and westerly, to the southerly part of Passage Point, otherwise called Jones's Neck; thence, westerly, across the narrows of Broadbay River until it strikes the southerly part of Havenar's Point, so called; thence, westerly, round the shore of said point, and northerly, by the shore of the eastern branch of Broad Cove; thence, round the head of said cove, westerly and southerly, until it comes to a red-oak tree standing on the land of Jacob Eaton, being the easterly corner bound of the town of Bristol aforesaid; thence, to run north-westerly, on said line of Bristol, to the first-mentioned bounds, — be and hereby is erected into a township by the name of Waldoborough; and that the inhabitants thereof be and hereby are invested with all the powers, privileges and immunities which the inhabitants of the towns within this province, respectively, do, or by law ought to, enjoy.

And be it further enacted,

Alexander
Nichols, Esq.,
empowered to
call a meeting.

[SECT. 2.] That Alexander Nichols, Esq., be, and he hereby is, impowered to issue his warrant, directed to some principal inhabitant in said township, to notify and warn the inhabitants in said township to meet at such time and place as shall be therein set forth, to chuse all such officers as shall be necessary to manage the affairs of said town; at which said first meeting all the then present male inhabitants arrived to twenty-one years of age shall be admitted to vote. [Passed and published June 29.]