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Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

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HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, March 1, 1889.

The Committee on Mercantile Affairs, to whom was referred the petition of Samuel W. Hopkinson and others, that they may be incorporated under the name of the Bradford Farmers' and Mechanics' Institute, report the accompanying Bill.

For the Committee,

J. D. LINCOLN.

## Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

In the Year One Thousand Eight Hundred and Eighty-nine.

### AN ACT

To incorporate the Bradford Farmers' and Mechanics' Institute.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:*

1 SECTION 1. S. W. Hopkinson, Charles B.  
2 Emerson, George W. Ladd, William Cogswell,  
3 Harry H. Hale, Thomas Sanders, Frederick G.  
4 Richards, Zenas C. Wardwell, O. S. Butler,  
5 George W. Chadwick, James C. Poor, their asso-  
6 ciates and successors within the town of Brad-  
7 ford, city of Haverhill, Groveland, Georgetown,  
8 Boxford and North Andover, are hereby made a  
9 corporation under the name of The Bradford  
10 Farmers' and Mechanics' Institute, to be located  
11 at Bradford for the encouragement of agriculture,  
12 horticulture, the arts, by the distribution of pre-

13 miums and otherwise, with the powers and privi-  
14 leges, and subject to all the duties, restrictions  
15 and liabilities set forth in all general laws which  
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