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ACTS AND RESOLVES

OF THE

SIXTY-SEVENTH LEGISLATURE

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE

1895.

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PRIVATE AND SPECIAL LAWS

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE.

1895.

Chapter 234.

An Act to incorporate the Carrabassett Water Power Company.

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

SECT. 1. Mark Emery, Ben S. Collins, Wallace Emery corporators. and Gould A. Porter, their associates and assigns, are hereby incorporated under the name of the Carrabassett Water Power Corporate Company, with all the powers and privileges of similar corporations.

Said corporation is hereby empowered and Authorized to build dam, Sect. 2. authorized to build a dam at the outlets of Middle Carrying etc. Place pond and Rowe pond, both of said ponds being in Somerset county, and to flow said ponds and to deepen and widen the channels at the outlets of said ponds, thereby enabling them to store water in Sandy stream and Carrabassett river, in times of drought either in summer or winter, and they also use said water to facilitate the driving of logs and lumber down Sandy stream and Carrabassett river.

Said company may take all necessary land and May take land materials for building said dam and widening and deepening the outlets of said ponds and may flow contiguous lands so far as necessary to raise suitable heads of water; and if the parties cannot agree on the damages the corporation shall pay the proprietors for land and material so taken, such how determined. damages as shall be ascertained and determined by the county commissioners of Somerset county in the same manner and under the same conditions and limitations as provided by law in case of damage by laying out of highways; and for damages occasioned by flowing land, said company shall not be liable to an action at common law, but the proceedings shall be had as when a complaint is made under the statutes of this state for flowing lands occasioned by raising a head of water for the working of mills.

Said company may issue its capital stock to an Capital stock, Sect. 4. amount not exceeding five thousand dollars, to be divided into shares of one hundred dollars each.

Sect. 5. This act shall take effect when approved.

Approved March 20, 1895,