

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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# Sixty-Ninth Legislature.

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HOUSE.

No. 94.

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## STATE OF MAINE.

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IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD ONE THOUSAND EIGHT  
HUNDRED AND NINETY-NINE.

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AN ACT to incorporate the South West Harbor Dam and  
Bridge Company.

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

Charles E. Cook, Henry Clark, Walter Stanley, J. B. Mason,  
2 A. I. Holmes, Geo. Harman, Joseph D. Phillips, Geo. R. Ful-  
3 ler, S. W. Herrick, Pedrick D. Gilley, Robie M. Norwood,  
4 Jr., Geo. E. Street, Cyrus Lurvey, Stephen M. Gilley, their  
- associates, successors and assigns, are hereby created a body  
6 corporate by the name of the South West Harbor Dam and  
7 Bridge Company, for the purpose of building, erecting and  
8 maintaining a dam or breakwater across the mouth or out-  
9 let of Norwood's cove in tide waters, in the town of Tremont,

10 county of Hancock, and State of Maine, at such place as said  
11 corporation may deem convenient and practicable, near the  
12 site of the old mill dam, near the mouth or outlet of said Nor-  
13 wood's cove and extending such distance above or below the  
14 high tides as may be desirable, with an opening therein with  
15 such tide gates and locks, if any, as may be required to let the  
16 tide waters into and retain the same in said Norwood's cove.  
17 Said dam or breakwater to be constructed of such size and  
18 material and in such manner as said company may determine.  
19 Said corporation may construct and maintain a bridge across  
20 the outlet or mouth of said Norwood's cove in tide waters,  
21 said bridge shall have a draw of such width as the county  
22 commissioners shall approve. Said company may occupy  
23 any land necessary for its dam or breakwater and bridge,  
24 piers and abutments for its construction and maintenance.  
25 It may enter upon such land to make surveys and locations,  
26 and shall file in the registry of deeds of Hancock, plans of  
27 such location and lands and within thirty days thereafter,  
28 publish notice thereof in some newspaper in said county, such  
29 publication to be continued three weeks successively.  
30 Should the said company and the owner of such land be  
31 unable to agree upon damages to be paid for such location,  
32 occupation and construction, the land owner may, within two  
33 years after filing of plans of location, apply to the commis-  
34 sioners of said county and have such damages assessed as is  
35 provided by law in cases wherein land is taken by railroads.  
36 Failure to apply for damages within said two years shall be  
37 held as a waiver of the same. Said company for all its said  
38 purposes may hold real and personal estate sufficient, necessary

39 and convenient therefor. The capital stock of said company  
40 shall be four thousand dollars and shall be divided in shares of  
41 fifty dollars each. The first meeting of said corporation may  
42 be called by a notice signed by any two of the corporators,  
43 posted for five days before the day fixed for the meeting, in  
44 the post office in the village of South West Harbor, in said  
45 town of Tremont.

This act shall take effect when approved.

STATE OF MAINE.

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HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,  
Augusta, February 10, 1899.

Reported by Mr. HOPKINS of Deering, from Committee on Legal  
Affairs, and ordered printed under joint rules.

W. S. COTTON, *Clerk.*