

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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SEVENTY-THIRD LEGISLATURE

SENATE.

No. 230

STATE OF MAINE.

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD ONE THOUSAND NINE
HUNDRED AND SEVEN.

AN ACT to incorporate the Castine and Brooksville Ferry
Company.

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

Section 1. John M. Vogell and Charles T. Tapley, and
2 their associates and successors, are hereby created a body
3 politic and corporate by the name of the Castine and Brooks-
4 ville Ferry Company, with all the powers and privileges and
5 subject to all the duties and liabilities of similar corpora-
6 tions under the laws of this State.

Sect. 2. Said corporation is hereby authorized to set up,
2 establish and maintain a ferry across the Bagaduce River
3 from Castine to Brooksville in the county of Hancock, with
4 a boat or boats to be propelled by steam, wind or any other

5 motive power that may have been or may hereafter be
6 invented, discovered or devised and as may be deemed most
7 advisable from time to time.

Sect. 3. A toll is hereby created and established for the
2 use of said corporation, according to the following rates,
3 namely; for each foot passenger fifty cents; for one vehicle
4 drawn by one horse conveying not more than two persons,
5 one dollar; for one vehicle drawn by two horses conveying
6 more than two persons, one dollar and twenty-five cents;
7 and for each additional horse or person twenty-five cents.

Sect. 4. Said corporation shall keep at all times at the
2 ferry established as aforesaid, a good boat or boats in good
3 repair, suitable and convenient for the accommodation of
4 travelers, their horses, carriages, carts, teams and cattle, and
5 cause ready and due attendance on passengers to be given
6 on all occasions; and for every neglect of such attendance,
7 said corporation shall forfeit and pay five dollars; each
8 penalty to be recovered by action of debt in any court of
9 competent jurisdiction, to the use of any person who shall
10 sue therefor; and said corporation shall be further liable to
11 pay such special damages as any person may sustain by
12 unreasonable neglect; provided, said corporation shall not
13 be required to run their boats over said ferry before sunrise
14 or after nine o'clock in the evening, except for the convey-
15 ance of the mail of the United States.

Sect. 5. Either of the persons named in the first section
2 of this act is hereby authorized to call the first meeting of the

3 corporators or proprietors at Castine by notice in writing
4 to the other member thereof of the time, palce and objects of
5 said meeting seven days previous to the time appointed
6 therefor, and to choose such officers and enact such by-laws
7 for the government of said corporation as they may deem
8 expedient.

Sect. 6. The capital of said corporation shall not exceed
2 five thousand dollars and may be in shares of the value of
3 ten dollars each and not exceeding one hundred dollars each.

Sect. 7. This act shall take effect when approved.

STATE OF MAINE.

IN SENATE. March 8, 1907.

Reported by Mr. HASTINGS from Committee on Judiciary, and
laid on table to be printed under joint rules.

F. G. FARRINGTON, *Secretary.*