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PRIVATE ACTS

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE,

PASSED BY THE

SIXTH LEGISLATURE,

AT ITS SESSION, HELD IN JANUARY, 1826.

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CHAPTER CCCLXIV.

AN ACT to incorporate the Waterford Canal Company.

SECT. 1. *BE it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives, in Legislature assembled,* That James Russell and Charles Russell, both of Waterford, in the County of Oxford, be, and they hereby are, constituted a body politic and corporate, by the name of the Waterford Canal Company, for the purpose of making and maintaining a slip or canal, past and by certain mills on crooked river, in said town of Waterford, called and known by the name of Russell's Mills: said slip or canal to be made in such a manner, as to be safe and convenient for the passage of logs and timber through the same; and said corporation are hereby vested with power to prosecute and defend, by their corporate name, suits at law; to have a common seal, which they may change at pleasure; to make any by-laws, convenient for the management of their affairs, not repugnant to the laws of the State, and generally to have and enjoy such powers and privileges as are usually granted to similar corporations.

Persons incorporated,

Canal where to be made; and constructed.

Powers.

SECT. 2. *Be it further enacted,* That a toll be, and hereby is, established and granted, for the use of said corporation, at the rate of one cent for every log or piece of timber which shall pass through said slip or canal.

Toll established.

SECT. 3. *Be it further enacted,* That the first meeting for the organizing of said corporation, may be notified and held at such time and place as the said James Russell may direct.

First meeting.

SECT. 4. *Be it further enacted,* That the powers granted by this Act, may be enlarged, restricted, or annulled, at the pleasure of the Legislature.

Powers restricted

[Approved by the Governor, Jan. 23, 1826.]