

PRIVATE AND SPECIAL ACTS

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE,

PASSED BY THE

SEZTEENTE LEGESLATURE,

At its Session, held in January, 1836.

Puplished agreeably to the Resolve of June 28, 1820.

AUGUSTA: SMITH AND ROBINSON,....PRINTERS TO THE STATE.

1836.

and entitled to all the privileges specified in an Act entitled an Act to regulate Banks and Banking, passed the thirty first day of March in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and thirty one.

SECT. 3. Be it further enacted, That said Bank shall shall not issue bills of a certain not emit, issue, or pay out, or receive in payment for debts denomination. due the Bank, or otherwise, any bill or note of a less denomination than five dollars, and increasing only by five or ten dollars to the higher denominations.

Chapter 213.

AN ACT to incorporate the Norridgewock Mill Dam Company.

Approved April 1, 1836.

SECT. 1. Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives, in Legislature assembled, That Asa Clark, Samuel Names of Corpo-Searle, Amasa Manley, Thomas J. Copeland, Joshua Gould, Simeon Robbins, Benjamin Hilton, Jason Morton, Thomas C. Jones, Amos Townsend, William Hilton, Daniel Woodman and Ebenezer T. Witherell, their associates, successors and assigns, be and they hereby are created a corporation by the name of the Norridgewock Mill Dam Com- Corporate name. pany, with power to construct and maintain a dam across the Kennebec River, in the town of Norridgewock, at a place not exceeding eighty rods above the toll bridge in that town; and said Corporation may dig such canals, Powers, &c. erect such mills, works, machines and buildings, on their own lands, or on such lands as said Corporation may obtain permission from the owners thereof in writing, as may necessary for manufacturing purposes and other be branches of trade-and for this purpose shall have power to purchase and hold real and personal estate, to an amount not, exceeding two hundred thousand dollars, in value, and shall have power to give, sell and dispose of the same, and shall have all the powers and privileges and be subject to all the duties and requirements, ex-

pressed in the several Acts of this State defining the general powers and duties of manufacturing Corporations, and also to an Act concerning Corporations passed February the sixteenth one thousand eight hundred and thirty six. Provided, said dam, canals and other works connected therewith, shall be so constructed as not to impede the usual passage of logs, rafts and other lumber floating down, and the free passage of boats up and down said river.

SECT. 2. Be it further enacted, That said Corporation shall be holden to pay all damages to the lands of individuals or corporate property, by reason of flowage or otherwise occasioned by said dam, canals or other works. constructed by said Corporation. And if such individuals or Corporation, shall suffer damages in consequence of such dam, canal or buildings, and do not agree upon the amount of damages claimed of said Corporation, the same course shall be pursued for the recovery and collection thereof, and the same proceedings shall be had in all respects in regard to such claims, as are provided for similar claims, in the Act incorporating the Kennebec Dam Company.

SECT. 3. Be it further enacted, That four years from Time allowed to the passing of this Act, be and hereby is allowed to said muild.

Company to construct said Dam. And any one of the Manner of calling abovenamed Corporators may call the first meeting of first meeting, &c. said Company, by giving notice in writing to each individual Corporator seven days prior to said meeting, stating the time place and object of said meeting or publish the same in the Somerset Journal a paper printed at Norridgewock fourteen days prior to said meeting.

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Corporation holden to pay damages, &c.

Proceedings in regard to damag-es when parties cannot agree, &c.