

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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ACTS AND RESOLVES
OF THE
SIXTIETH LEGISLATURE

OF THE
STATE OF MAINE.

1881.

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SECT. 3. Provided, the said corporator, his associates or assigns, shall neglect for the term of three years to navigate said lake by steam, as herein provided, and provided, he or they, after the commencement of such navigation, shall neglect for three years at any one time to so navigate said lake, then this charter shall be void.

CHAP. 111

Charter void, if not improved within three years.

Approved March 9, 1881.

Chapter 111.

An act authorizing ten or more persons to construct and maintain a Free Bridge across the Georges River.

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

SECT. 1. Any ten or more persons associating themselves together, and desiring so to do, are hereby authorized and empowered to construct and maintain a bridge across the tide waters of the Georges river, at any point above the wharves now at Thomaston village, under the following conditions and restrictions, namely: Said bridge shall be twenty-four feet in width, built with firm foundations, and of good materials, well railed, and kept in good, safe and passable repair; and travel over said bridge shall be free to all passers over it.

Bridge across Georges river authorized.

—conditions.

SECT. 2. Said association shall build and keep ready for opening, over the channel, and as nearly at right angles as may be to the same, a sufficient draw, not less than thirty-five feet in width, for all vessels to pass through, and said draw shall be raised when required, for all vessels and boats having masts, without charge, and without unreasonable delay.

Draw to be built and operated.

SECT. 3. Said bridge shall be so constructed that rafts, gondolas, and boats without masts may pass under the draw of the same at any time of tide, with ease and safety, free of expense.

Construction.

SECT. 4. This act shall take effect when approved.

Approved March 9, 1881.