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CHAPTER 40.

State of }
New Hampshire. }

AN ACT TO INCORPORATE THE CONCORD AQUEDUCT ASSOCIATION.

[Approved July 2, 1829. Acts, vol. 27, p. 71.]

Sec. 1. Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court convened, That William Low, Jacob B. Moore, Stephen Brown, Joseph Low, their associates, successors and assigns be, and they hereby are incorporated and made a body politic and corporate by the name of the Concord Aqueduct Association, and by that name may sue and be sued, prosecute and defend to final judgement and execution, and shall be and hereby are vested with all the powers and privileges incident to corporations of a similar nature.

Sec. 2. And be it further enacted, That the said corporation be, and hereby is authorized and empowered to take water from any fountain or fountains in the vicinity of Concord Village in the County of Merrimack and to convey the same by subterranean pipes, or otherwise, to any house, or other place in said village, and for this purpose to purchase and hold real and personal estate not exceeding at any time two thousand dollars in value, and the same to alienate and dispose of at pleasure: Provided always, that said corporation, before taking the water from any fountain, or conveying it across any land not owned by said corporation, shall agree with the owner or owners of such fountain or land and make such compensation for the privilege or damage as the said corporation and the said owner or owners may mutually agree upon.

Sec. 3. And be it further enacted, That any three of the persons herein before named may call the first meeting of said corporation to be holden at any suitable time and place in Concord aforesaid by advertisement in either of the newspapers published therein, giving notice of the time, place and design of said meeting at least seven days prior thereto, or by giving personal notice at least three days before said meeting: At which said first meeting, or at any adjournment thereof, the said corporation may choose a clerk, and at the same or any subsequent meeting, duly holden, may agree on the time of holding their annual meeting, and the manner of calling the same and other occasional meetings, may elect all necessary officers, agents and servants, may divide their capital or joint stock into shares, and agree on the manner of transferring them, may order assessments and fix the time of their payment, may pass by laws and annex penalties to the breach thereof, not exceeding five dollars for any one offence, and do and transact any business

necessary to carry into effect the purposes of this act. All questions shall be determined by a majority of votes, accounting one vote to each share, and absent members may vote by proxy authorised in writing signed by the person represented, which writing shall be filed with the clerk.

Sec. 4. And be it further enacted, That the shares in said corporation shall be liable and holden for the payment of all assessments, duly made thereon, and upon the nonpayment thereof within the time fixed therefor, the delinquent share or shares may be sold at public auction, or so many of them as may be necessary to pay such assessments with incidental charges under such regulations as the corporation by its by laws may prescribe

CHAPTER 41.

State of }
New Hampshire. }

AN ACT REGULATING THE ASSIGNMENT OF DOWER.

[Approved July 2, 1829. Acts, vol. 27, p. 74. Session Laws, 1829, Chap. 37. Laws, 1830 ed., p. 538. This act repeals acts of February 9, 1791, Laws of New Hampshire, vol. 5, p. 647. and December 13, 1804, id., vol. 7, p. 348. Repealed by act of December 23, 1842. See Revised Statutes (1842), Chap. 230.]

Sec. 1. Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court convened, That when the heir or other person having the freehold shall not set out and assign to the widow of any deceased husband her dower or just third part of and in all lands, tenements and hereditaments; whereof she is by law dowable within one month after she shall have demanded the same; then such widow may sue for and recover the same by writ of dower, to be therefor sued out against the tenant in possession or such person or persons as have or claim to have right as aforesaid in such lands, tenements or hereditaments in manner and form following, (viz)

The State of New Hampshire

R ss To the sheriff of said County of R or his Deputy.
Greeting

We command you that you summon A. B of (if he may be found in your precinct, to appear before our Justices of our to be holden at within and for our said

County of R on the tuesday of

then and there in our said Court to answer unto C. D. of

who was the wife of E. F. late of deceased, in a plea of dower wherein the said C. D. demands against the said A. B. her reasonable dower of the endowment of the said E. F. of and in a certain whereupon the said C. D. complains and