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Some Suitable Person for that purpose at the Rate of Six Cents P^r hour for Evry Able Bodied Man find his own Diet and tools and for ox work the Same Price P^r yoak provided that Such Labour Shall be performed between the first Day of June and the fifteenth Day of Sept^r in the year when s^d tax is ascesed—

and be it further Enacted that if any Owner as aforsaid Shall on the fifteenth Day of September in the year when Said tax is assesed be Delinkant in payment of the Sum ascesed the Said Comitee Shall proced to Collect the Same in the Same way and Manner as Collectors of State taxes are by Law Directed to Do— and be it further anacted that when any Lands are Sold at publick Vendue by Virtue of this act the afor Said Comitee are hearby Impowerd and Directed to Make Excute and Deliver to the purchaser a good and Valieed Deed or Deeds of the Sam and the Same time Shall be allowed for Redemtion and the Same Mode pursued in Redeeming the Same as is provided in Case of Lands Sold for the Non payment of State taxes provided that no Such Deed Shall be Executed till the Expiration of one year Next after Such Sail—provded Neverthe Less and be it further Enacted that Said Cometee before they Proceed to Collect Said tax Give a bond with Sufficent Suerties in a Sum which Shall be Double the amount of Said taxes to the Clark of the Court of Common Pleas of the County of Grafton Conditioned for the faithfull Discharges of the Deuties hearin assigned them and the faithfull apropriation of the tax aforsaid within two years from the first advertiseing the Same agreeable to the true Intint and Meaning of this act which Bonds may be Sued and Recovered in any Court Competent to try the Same & one half the Sum Recovered Shall be for the use of the Propriortors of Said Hebron And the Other half for the County of Grafton

[CHAPTER 20.]

State of }
New Hampshire. }

AN ACT TO INCORPORATE CERTAIN PERSONS FOR THE PURPOSE OF CONVEYING WATER INTO THE TOWN OF EXETER BY SUBTERRANE-
OUS PIPES—

[Approved June 16, 1801. Original Acts, vol. 17, p. 20; recorded Acts, vol. 13, p. 220.]

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court convened That Samuel Brooks Benjamin Lamson, Benjamin Clark Gilman & Bradbury Johnson with such other persons are are or may be associated with them be, & they and their successors hereby are constituted a body corporate & politic forever, by the name of "The proprietors of the Exeter Aqueduct," for the purpose of bringing water by subterraneous pipes into the said Town

of Exeter. And the said Proprietors may by their name aforesaid sue & be sued to final Judgment & Execution, and do & suffer all matters Acts & things which bodies corporate can, or ought to do & suffer. And the said corporation shall have and use a common seal & the same may break renew & alter at Pleasure—

And be it further enacted that Samuel Brooks or any other person named in this Act may call the first meeting of said proprietors by causing a notification to be posted at the Meeting Houses in said Town two weeks successively appointing some suitable time & place therefor: At which Meeting said proprietors shall choose a Clerk who shall be sworn to the faithful discharge of his duty, & shall also agree on a method of calling meetings in future: and at said Meeting or any meeting subsequent may elect such Officers & make and establish such regulations & bye-laws as to them shall seem necessary or convenient for carrying into effect the design of said corporation, not repugnant to the Constitution & Laws of this State: and may cause said regulations & bye-laws to be executed & annex penalties to the breach thereof not exceeding ten dollars for any one breach. And the Clerk shall record this Act and all the regulations bye-laws & proceedings of said corporation in a book or Books to be provided & kept for that purpose. And the Share or Shares of any of said proprietors may be transferred by deed duly executed, acknowledged and recorded by the Clerk of said proprietors on their records—

And be it further enacted that the said proprietors are hereby empowered to purchase and hold any real Estate necessary for the purpose of their institution in fee simple not exceeding in value the sum of four hundred dollars—And in all cases where the said proprietors shall obtain liberty of the owner or owners by written agreement to pass through, & lay said Aqueduct in land to them belonging, the said proprietors shall ever after enter on said land for the purpose of repairing the same notwithstanding any conveyance thereof, provided that they shall be liable to pay to the owner or owners of said Land reasonable damages therefor—

And be it further enacted that the said proprietors may from time to time assess such sum or sums of Money on each Share as they may judge necessary for compleating or repairing said Aqueduct & may sell at Vendue the Share or Shares of any delinquent who may refuse or neglect to pay his proportion of said Tax after advertizing the sale of such share or shares fourteen days previous thereto, the overplus if any there be after the payment of such Tax & charges of Sale to be paid to the delinquent—

And be it further enacted that if any person shall maliciously or wantonly injure said Aqueduct or any of the Branches thereof, or the Springs from which it leads & shall be convicted thereof upon Indictment before the Superior Court of Judicature he shall be punished by fine not exceeding fifty dollars, & shall be liable to pay damages to said proprietors to be recover'd by Action of the case