

SENATE....No. 139.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

IN SENATE, April 16, 1849.

The Joint Committee on Railways and Canals, to which was committed the Petition of James Fowler, and others, praying for an act to incorporate the Westfield Water Power Company, report the accompanying Bill.

TAPPAN WENTWORTH, *Chairman.*

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

In the Year One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty-
Nine.

AN ACT

To incorporate the Westfield Water Power Company.

BE it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives, in General Court assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows :

1 SECT. 1. James Fowler, Abner Post, Ira Yeo-
2 mans, Jr., their associates and successors, are hereby
3 made a corporation, by the name of the Westfield
4 Water Power Company, for the purpose of creating
5 a water power, for manufacturing purposes, with pow-
6 er to use, sell, or lease the same, and shall have all
7 the powers and privileges, and be subject to all the
8 duties, liabilities, and restrictions, set forth in the
9 thirty-eighth and forty-fourth chapters of the Revised
10 Statutes.

1 SECT. 2. Said corporation may hold real estate,
2 not exceeding in value ten thousand dollars, exclusively
3 of improvements, and the capital stock of said com-
4 pany shall not exceed fifty thousand dollars, which
5 shall be divided into shares of one hundred dollars
6 each.

1 SECT. 3. Said corporation shall have power to
2 construct and maintain a dam across Westfield Little
3 River, at or near the place of the present dam, at a
4 height not exceeding that of the present dam, with
5 power to conduct the water of said Little River, and
6 the water of Sackett's Brook, so called, into Westfield
7 Great River.

