

Rights, property, &c. the tolls, franchises, rights, powers, privileges and property, granted or to be granted or acquired under the authority of the state of Connecticut, or of this Commonwealth, shall be held and enjoyed by all the said stockholders in proportion to their number of shares in either or both of said companies.

Power of repeal, &c. SECTION 12. This act may be altered, amended or repealed, at the pleasure of the legislature of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

SECTION 13. This act shall take effect from its passage.

Approved February 24, 1860.

Chap. 39.

AN ACT TO INCORPORATE THE NAHANT HOUSE COMPANY.

Be it enacted, &c., as follows :

Corporators. SECTION 1. Henry Newhall, H. F. Newhall, their associates and successors, are hereby made a corporation by the name of the Nahant House Company, for the purpose of holding, improving and maintaining the public house called the Nahant House, with the buildings and appurtenances thereto belonging, situated in the town of Nahant; and for these purposes shall have all the powers and privileges, and be subject to all the duties, restrictions and liabilities, set forth in the sixtieth and sixty-eighth chapters of the General Statutes passed on the twenty-eighth day of December, in the year eighteen hundred and fifty-nine.

Title.

Purpose.

Location.

Powers, duties, &c.

Capital.

How invested.

SECTION 2. The capital stock of said corporation shall not exceed one hundred and fifty thousand dollars, which may be invested in real and personal property necessary and convenient for the purposes aforesaid.

*Approved February 24, 1860.***Chap. 40.**

AN ACT IN ADDITION TO AN ACT FOR INCORPORATING CERTAIN PERSONS FOR THE PURPOSE OF BUILDING A BRIDGE OVER CONNECTICUT RIVER, IN THE COUNTY OF HAMPSHIRE, BETWEEN THE TOWNS OF NORTHAMPTON AND HADLEY, AND FOR SUPPORTING THE SAME.

Be it enacted, &c., as follows :

Liberty to extend and support bridge. "The Proprietors of the Northampton Bridge" are hereby authorized and empowered to extend their bridge one hundred and fifty feet, north-easterly, from its present abutment in the town of Hadley, and to widen the Connecticut River at that point, by removing the earth immediately adjacent to the said abutment, for the aforesaid distance of one hundred and fifty feet.

Limit.

*Approved February 24, 1860.***Chap. 41.**

AN ACT RELATING TO THE FEES OF WITNESSES BEFORE THE GENERAL COURT.

Be it enacted, &c., as follows :

Sergeant-at-arms to pay witnesses before commit- SECTION 1. The sum appropriated by law for the fees of witnesses before the general court, may be allowed and paid