

though this act had not passed ; and while said polls and estates are assessed in Deerfield, they shall not for a like tax be assessed in Whately.

[This act passed March 5, 1810.]

## CHAP. CII.

An Act to incorporate certain persons, by the name of  
The Middlefield Free Stone Company.

Persons incor-  
porated.

Powers and  
privileges.

SEC. 1. **B**E it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court assembled, and by the authority of the same, That Nathaniel Dorr, Nathaniel Ruggles William Lambert, Simon Elliot, Thomas Shephard, Charles Shephard, and John Shephard, with such other persons as already have, or may hereafter associate with them, their successors and assigns, be, and hereby are made a corporation, by the name of The Middlefield Free Stone Company, for the purpose of preparing and finishing for various uses, a quarry of free stone in the town of Middlefield, in the county of Hampshire and for transacting any business necessarily connected therewith, and for that purpose shall have all the powers and privileges, and be subject to all the duties and requirements, contained in an act passed the third day of March, in the year of our Lord One thousand eight hundred and nine, entitled, An act defining the general powers and duties of manufacturing corporations.

SEC. 2. *Be it further enacted,* That said corporation may be lawfully seized and possessed of such real estate, not exceeding sixty thousand dollars, and such personal estate not exceeding one hundred thousand dollars in value, as may be necessary and convenient for carrying on the manufactory aforesaid.

[This act passed March 5, 1810.]