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CHAP. 196. whomsoever, and to all bodies, politic and corporate. the privilege of using the said water so to be introduced, in such manner and on such terms and condi-

tions, and in such quantities respectively as they shall Property vested think fit, and the said water so introduced, together

with all reservoirs, pipes, canals, tunnels, engines. buildings and machines whatsoever, and also all lands, rights and privileges as aforesaid to be by them purchased, made and used for the purpose of introducing. raising and distributing the said water, to hold to them, their successors and grantees as their sole and exclusive property.

SEC. 12. And be it enacted. That if any person or Penalty for injuring persons shall wilfully do, or cause to be done, any act whatever whereby the said works or any pipe, conduit, canal, water course, mound, plug, cork, reservoir, dyke or any engine, machine or structure, or any mat-

ter or thing appertaining to the same, shall be stopped, obstructed, impaired, weakened or injured, or shall wilfully pollute the said water by throwing any dead animals or other impure substance into the same, or by swimming, bathing or washing therein, the person or persons so offending shall forfeit and pay to the said company for every such offence, a sum not exceeding twenty dollars to be recovered by such company, with costs of suit, by action of debt or action on the case. or by a warrant before any magistrate.

SEC. 18. And be it enacted, That it shall not be Banking prohibited lawful for said corporation to issue any note in the nature of a bank note, nor to enter into any negotiations on bills or notes, nor to deal in exchange discount or

other commercial or banking operations; and dividends Dividende diof the profits of the stock shall be annually made. rerected serving only, at the discretion of the directors, such proportion as they or a majority of the stockholders, or those holding a majority of the shares, shall deem sufficient for maintaining and supporting the works necessary to promote or obtain the objects of this in-

imitation corporation, and if the said corporation shall not carry into effect the intention of this act within five years from the passage thereof, in that case all the powers hereby vested in them shall cease and determine. SEC. 14. And be it enacted. That it shall and may be

May organize lawful for the said company to organize by electing