

## CAP. VI.

An ACT to enable the Inhabitants of the Townships of Yarmouth and Argyle, to erect a Bridge over the Tusket River, near the Tusket Village.

**W**HEREAS a bridge over the Tusket River, will greatly facilitate the communication between the townships of Yarmouth and Argyle, and the adjacent county : Preamble.

I. *Be it enacted, by the Lieutenant-Governor, Council, and Assembly,* That it may be lawful for the inhabitants of the said townships to erect and establish a bridge over the said Tusket River, from Salmon Trout Point, on the east side of the said river, to Titus Hallibus, on the west side. Authority to build a bridge over Tusket River.

II. *Provided always, and be it further enacted,* That the said inhabitants of Yarmouth and Argyle, shall construct, and keep in repair, in the most convenient situation in the said bridge, a draw-bridge of sufficient width to admit of the passing and repassing of vessels and boats, up and down the said river. Provided there be a draw-bridge.

## CAP. VII.

An ACT to encourage the building of a Bridge across the Harbour of Halifax.

**W**HEREAS the building of a bridge across the harbour of Halifax, would greatly facilitate the communication of the settlements in the eastern parts of the Province, with the town of Halifax : and whereas, Jonathan Tremain, Esquire, and others, have proposed to raise, by private subscription, a sufficient sum of money, for the purpose of building a bridge of boats, or other practical structure, across the said harbour and have prayed the aid of the Legislature of this Province, to enable them to carry into effect this intention : Preamble

I. *Be it enacted, by the Lieutenant-Governor, Council and Assembly,* That it shall and may be lawful for the Governor, Lieutenant-Governor, or Commander in Chief for the time being, by letters patent, under the great seal of this Province, to incorporate Jonathan Tremain, Esq. and all and every person and persons, who, in their own right, or as executors, administrators, or assigns, for the original proprietors, at any time or times hereafter, shall have, and be entitled to, any part, share or interest, in the said bridge, so long as they shall respectively have any such part, share or interest, therein, to be one body, politick and corporate, in deed and in name, by the name of The Halifax Bridge Company, and by that name to have a succession, to continue for the term of ninety-nine years, and to have a common seal, with power, from time to time, to chuse their president, vice-president, and other officers, in such manner, and under such qualifications, with regard to the electors, and elected, as shall be directed in such letters patent : the first president, vice-president, and other officers, being qualified in the like manner, as all subsequent president, vice-president and officers, shall, by the said letters patent, be directed to be qualified, and to continue in their respective offices for such space of time, as, by the said letters patent, shall be limited and directed. Governor empowered to grant letters patent to incorporate Jonathan Tremain, and others, by the name of The Halifax Bridge Company, for ninety-nine years

II. *And be it further enacted, by the authority aforesaid,* That it shall and may be lawful for the Governor, Lieutenant-Governor, or Commander in Chief for the time being, by the said letters patent of incorporation, to empower the said company to make bye laws, from time to time, as well for the management and direction of the building and repairing the said bridge, as for Company empowered to make bye laws.