

receive the sum of four pence per ton on timber for boomage, and eight pence per thousand superficial feet of logs of any description, to be ascertained by the next survey made by any qualified Surveyor of lumber.

3. Instead of the toll or boomage provided by the seventh Section of the Act to incorporate the Arestook Boom Company, there shall be allowed to said Company upon all timber boomed, rafted, and secured as mentioned in said Act, one shilling and four pence per ton, and the sum of three shillings and six pence per thousand superficial feet of logs, masts, and spars of every description, and the Corporation shall have the lien and power of sale as therein mentioned.

CAP. XVI.

An Act to enable the Dorchester Manufacturing Company of the City of New York to hold Property in this Province.

Section

1. Company may hold property; limit.
2. An office to be kept in Dorchester.

Section.

- 3 Act, when to come in force.

Passed 3rd April 1855.

WHEREAS John Cairns, Edward Allison, James E. Brown, and Frederick A. Peterson, have formed themselves, with their associates, successors, and assigns, into a Joint Stock Company, in the City of New York, in the United States of America, by the name of "The Dorchester Manufacturing Company of the City of New York," to quarry and manufacture Stone in this Province, and are desirous of being enabled to hold real and personal property in this Province as such Company;—

Be it therefore enacted by the Lieutenant Governor, Legislative Council, and Assembly, as follows:—

1. The Dorchester Manufacturing Company of the City of New York aforesaid, and their successors, shall and may have full power and lawful right and authority to have, hold, own, and enjoy in any way real estate and lands of all kinds in this Province, whether in fee simple or by lease, or in any other way, and to have and hold personal estate of all kinds in this Province, in any way, and to alienate, encumber, lease, sell, or deal with the same in any manner; provided always, that

the real estate so owned by the said Company shall not at any time exceed in value the sum of two thousand five hundred pounds.

2. The said Company shall keep an Office at Dorchester, in the County of Westmorland, and an Agent there for the transaction of business connected with the Company in this Province, service upon whom of all processes, notices, and other documents, shall be deemed sufficient service upon the said Company.

3. This Act shall not come into operation or be in force until the first day of September next.

CAP. XVII.

An Act to incorporate the New Brunswick Mining Company.

Section.

1. Company incorporated.
2. First meeting, how called.
3. Capital amount and time of payment.
4. Liability for debts.

Section.

5. Liability of shareholders to the Company.
6. Capital may be increased.
7. Shares may be assessed for business.
8. Act to be void on a certain failure.

Passed 3rd April 1855.

WHEREAS the efficient opening and working of Mines in the Province of New Brunswick will be highly advantageous to the Province: And whereas the amount of capital necessary to be invested in such an undertaking renders it essential that the Company engaged therein should be incorporated;—

Be it therefore enacted by the Lieutenant Governor, Legislative Council, and Assembly, as follows:—

1. That William Stevens, his associates, successors, and assigns, shall be and they are hereby erected into a Company, and declared to be a body politic and corporate, by the name of "The New Brunswick Mining Company," and by that name shall have all the general powers and privileges made incident to a Corporation by Act of Assembly of this Province, for the purpose of opening and working of Mines in the Province of New Brunswick, and establishing all necessary works therewith connected, and for the convenient carrying on and managing the same.

2. The first meeting of the said Corporation shall be held at Woodstock, in the County of Carleton, and Province of New Brunswick, and shall be called by any one Member of the said