

themselves liable, the dangers of the sea or waters, and fire alone excepted.

Not to impair the rights of any person.

SEC. 10. *And be it enacted*, That nothing in this act shall be construed to impair the rights of any person or persons to an action against said company, their agents, workmen or servants, for any damage done to his, her, or their property or persons.

To report annually to the stockholders.

SEC. 11. *And be it enacted*, That the president and directors of the said company, shall cause a report to be made annually, (or semi-annually, if they shall deem it expedient) to the stockholders of said company, showing the amount expended by said company, in the purchase or construction, or chartering of boats, or in the purchase, leasing, erection, or construction and repairing of boats, vessels, wharves, warehouses, or other houses or structures, the amount of passage and other moneys, freights, and all other moneys received, and the amount of expenses incurred, during the same period, exhibiting a full and fair account of debit and credit; and that the said president and directors shall annually or otherwise, at such time, and places as the by laws of said company shall direct, make and declare a dividend of the net profits of said company, and cause the same to be paid over to the parties or persons respectively entitled.

Commissioners allowed a per diem.

SEC. 12. *And be it enacted*, That the president and directors shall, as soon as practicable, after the organization of the said company, pay to the said commissioners a per diem allowance for the time they may be engaged in the duties required by this act, of three dollars for every day, and shall also provide and pay for all printed notices in newspapers, and all other necessary expenses that may be incurred by said commissioners.

Not to exercise banking privileges.

SEC. 13. *And be it enacted*, That nothing in this act shall be so construed as to authorize the said company, to issue any note, token, scrip, device or other evidence of debt, to be used as a currency.

Reservation.

SEC. 14. *And be it enacted*, That all the powers, rights, and privileges granted to said company by the different sections of this act may be modified or repealed by the legislature of this State, at pleasure.

To continue in force.

SEC. 15. *And be it enacted*, That this act of incorporation shall go into effect, as soon as twenty five thousand dollars of its capital stock shall be actually paid up in coin or current funds, and shall continue in force until the year eighteen hundred and