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Transfer of

SEC. 4. The stock and shares of the company shall be deemed personal property, and the said company may, by bylaws, prescribe rules for the transfer of the same by each individual shareholder or stockholder.

SEC. 5. This act to be in force from and after its passage.

GUSTAVUS A. COLTON,

Speaker of House of Representatives.

W. W. UPDEGRAFF,

President of the Council.

Approved February 27, 1860. S. MEDARY,

Governor.

CHAPTER CCXIV.

AN AOT to incorporate the Capitol Hydraulic Company of Arrapahoe county.

Be it enacted by the Governor and Legislative Assembly of Kansas Territory:

SECTION 1. That A. C. Hunt, Charles H. Gratiot, John A. Clark, Thomas Pollock, Henry Allen, William M. Slaughter, Richard Sopris, A. P. Vasquez, A. Sagendorf, W. N. Byers, H. H. Scovill, Jr., J. A. McDonell, F. Z. Solomon, John H. Wing, and their legal associates, are hereby created and declared a body corporate and politic, under the name and style of the "Capitol Hydraulic Company," and by that name and style may sue and be sued, plead and defend in any court of this territory, may have perpetual succession, grant and receive by its corporate name, purchase and sell, hire and lease property, real, personal and mixed, in all lawful ways; may have a corporate seal, may alter the same at pleasure, and may make by-laws for the regulation of its business, not inconsistent with the constitution of the United States and the laws of this territory.

Corporate name and powers.

May direct the waters of the Fouth Platte.

SEC. 2. Said company shall have the power and exclusive right to direct the water from the bed of the South Platte river at any point they may select between the Platte canon and the mouth of Cherry creek, and also to direct the water from the bed of Cherry creek at any point within six miles of its mouth, and to conduct the water from both said streams by canal or ditch across the plains or intervening lands to the



cities of Auraria, Denver and Highland, in the county of Arrapahoe, territory of Kansas, and have the exclusive privilege of using and controlling the same for mechanical, agricultural, mining and city purposes.

SEC. 3. The capital stock of said company shall consist of or stock. five hundred thousand dollars, but it may commence operations when one hundred thousand dollars are subscribed. Its liabil- Liabilities. ities shall at no time exceed fifty thousand dollars.

SEC. 4. The officers of said company shall consist of a omcers. president, vice president, secretary and treasurer, and four directors, who shall be elected at the annual meeting of the company, to be held on the last Tuesday in November, who shall constitute a board of directors, and a majority of them shall constitute a quorum for the transaction of business.

This act shall take effect and be in force from and Sec. 5. after its passage.

> GUSTAVUS A. COLTON, Speaker of House of Representatives. W. W. UPDEGRAFF, President of the Council.

Approved February 21, 1860. S. MEDARY, Governor.

CHAPTER CCXV.

AN ACT to incorporate the Arrapahoe County Improvement Association.

Be it enacted by the Governor and Legislative Assembly of the Territory of Kansas, as follows:

SECTION 1. That Silas O. Hemenway, Richard Sopris, corporators. Wm. M. Slaughter, William O'Donnell, Edward W. Wynkoop, Wm. J. King, and Joseph McCibben, and their associates and successors, are hereby constituted a body politic and corporate, in law and in fact, by the name and style of the Arrapahoe County Improvement Association, and by that Name and powname shall have perpetual succession; may sue and be sued, plead and be impleaded, defend and be defended against; may make and use a common seal, and alter the same at their pleasure; shall, by the name and style aforesaid, be able and capable of purchasing, receiving, holding, having and enjoying, to the use of said association, lands, tenements, heredita-