

taching chains thereunto of sufficient strength, to convey up by the power of a steam engine, working certain machinery on board from 1 to 4 boats in tow at the same time with the option of laying posts with rollers and fenders at certain distances, rail-way under water, or any other ingenious method that may be devised, provided it does not obstruct but improve the present channels, for which purpose it will be necessary to have,

1st.—A privilege of exclusive right, to use of chains, anchors, posts, &c. for years.

2dly.—Authority to remove rocks, deepen channels, &c. with a clause that whatever sums are justly expended in this way, shall be repaid from the monies appropriated by the act of 3 Geo. 4th cap. 119 sec. 30, whenever it can be obtained.