

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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NEW DRAFT.

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# Seventy-first Legislature.

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HOUSE.

No. 105

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## STATE OF MAINE.

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IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD ONE THOUSAND NINE  
HUNDRED AND THREE.

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AN ACT to authorize the Augusta, Winthrop & Gardiner  
Railway to supply electricity in the towns of Winthrop and  
Manchester.

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*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in  
Legislature assembled, as follows:*

Section 1. The Augusta, Winthrop & Gardiner Rail-  
2 way is hereby authorized to make, generate, sell, distribute  
3 and supply electricity for lighting, heating, manufacturing  
4 and mechanical purposes in the towns of Winthrop and  
5 Manchester, and in so doing shall have all the rights and be  
6 subject to all the duties and liabilities of corporations exer-  
7 cising similar powers under the general laws of the state.

Sect. 2. The said company is authorized to make contracts with the towns of Winthrop and Manchester, and any village corporation therein, and with corporations and inhabitants of said towns for the purpose of supplying light, heat and power as contemplated by this act. The said towns, through their selectmen, or any village corporation therein through the assessors thereof, are severally authorized to contract with the said company from time to time for a supply of electricity for public purposes from year to year or for a term of years, as they may deem expedient and to raise money therefor.

Sect. 3. The said company for the purposes of this act may increase its capital stock and issue the same therefor to an amount not exceeding thirty thousand dollars.

Sect. 4. The said company may issue its bonds for the purposes of this act from time to time and in such amount and on such rates and time as it may deem expedient, and secure the same by appropriate mortgages upon its property and franchises.

Sect. 5. The locations of all posts, wires and fixtures of the said corporation as now established and maintained are hereby confirmed and made valid.

Sect. 6. This act shall take effect when approved.



STATE OF MAINE.

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IN HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,

AUGUSTA, February 12, 1903.

Reported by Mr. BURRILL of Ellsworth, from Committee on Railroads,  
Telegraphs and Expresses, and ordered printed under joint rules.

W. S. COTTON, *Clerk.*