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NEW DRAFT.

Seventy-first Legislature.

HOUSE.

No. 118

STATE OF MAINE.

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

AN ACT to authorize the Bodwell Water Power Company to generate, use, transmit and sell electricity.

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

Section 1. The Bodwell Water Power Company is hereby

- 2 specially authorized and empowered to make and generate
- 3 electricity upon its property situated on the Penobscot river
- 4 between the towns of Old Town and Milford, and also on the
- 5 dam or dams which it proposes to erect on the Stillwater
- 6 branch of the Penobscot river at Gilman Falls, so-called, in
- 7 connection with its dams erected and to be erected on the
- 8 Penobscot river, and to use said electricity as a motive power
- 9 in the use and development of its property, and also to sell
- 10 the same for manufacturing and heating purposes, and also

11 to carry and conduct electricity made and generated upon its 12 property between the towns of Old Town and Milford to and 13 into any towns or cities in the county of Penobscot, State of 14 Maine, and to use the same in all ways for its own purposes, 15 and to sell the same for manufacturing purposes in units of 16 not less than twenty-five horse power and also for heating 17 purposes, but not for electric lighting or street railway pur-18 poses.

- Sect. 2. Said company is hereby authorized and empow-2 ered to construct, lay, maintain and operate lines or wire or 3 other material for the transmission of such electricity under 4 and across any stream or river, and under, along, upon and 5 over streets, ways, and bridges in said cities and towns.
- Sect. 3. In erecting poles and laying said lines of wire, 2 upon, along and over streets, ways and bridges, and under 3 any stream or river, said corporation shall be subject to the 4 laws of the State applicable to corporations which are author-5 ized to make, generate, sell, distribute and supply electricity 6 for manufacturing purposes, and shall have all the rights and 7 powers of such corporations in the erection of poles and con-8 duits and the constructions, laying and maintaining lines of 9 wire.

Sect. 4. This act shall take effect when approved.



STATE OF MAINE.

In House of Representatives, Augusta, February 13, 1903.

Reported by Mr. BARKER of Bangor, from Committee on Legal Affairs, and ordered printed under joint rules.

W. S. COTTON, Clerk.