

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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# SEVENTY-THIRD LEGISLATURE

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HOUSE.

No. 336

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## STATE OF MAINE.

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

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AN ACT to incorporate the Beans Corner and Dryden Telephone Company.

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

Section 1. Dennis Adams, John A. Holmes, Sherman I.  
2 Bean, J. H. Ranger, G. R. Wigglesworth, J. H. Melcher,  
3 Howard Pease, A. L. Dennison, F. N. Buzzell, C. A. Adams,  
4 A. W. Bean, F. H. Rowe, F. D. Grover, F. H. Ranger, W.  
5 D. Bean, Arthur Rowe, Everett Wilber, Corey Young, Oliver  
6 Stickney and their associates, successors and assigns are  
7 hereby created a corporation by the name of the Beans Cor-  
8 ner and Dryden Telephone Company, with all the powers,  
9 rights and privileges, and subject to all the duties and obli-

10 gations of similar corporations under the general laws of this  
11 state.

Sect. 2. Said corporation is hereby authorized to con-  
2 struct, own, maintain and operate telephone line or lines  
3 anywhere in and throughout the towns of Jay, Wilton and  
4 Chesterville in the county of Franklin and state of Maine,  
5 and within the limits aforesaid, to locate, construct and main-  
6 tain its lines upon and along any public way, railroad bridge,  
7 or private lands, but in such manner as not to discommode  
8 or endanger the customary public use thereof, and with  
9 power to establish and collect tolls on said lines.

Sect. 3. Said corporation is hereby authorized and empow-  
2 ered to connect its line or lines with those of any other tele-  
3 phone company or corporation on such terms as may be  
4 agreed upon, or to sell or lease its line or lines of telephone  
5 and property in whole or part, either before or after comple-  
6 tion, to any other telephone company or corporation as pro-  
7 vided by law, or upon such terms as may be agreed by the  
8 contracting parties, which sale or lease shall be binding upon  
9 the parties; or may purchase or lease any other line or lines  
10 of telephone upon such terms and conditions as may be  
11 agreed by the parties thereto.

Sect. 4. If the land of any individual or corporation is  
2 taken under this act, and the parties cannot agree on the  
3 damages occasioned thereby, they shall be estimated, secured  
4 and paid in the manner provided in case of land taken for  
5 highways.

Sect. 5. The capital stock of said corporation shall be of  
2 such amount as said corporation may, from time to time  
3 determine to be necessary, but not exceeding the sum of one  
4 thousand five hundred dollars, for the sole purpose of own-  
5 ing, leasing, constructing, maintaining and operating the line  
6 or lines of telephone hereby authorized and contemplated,  
7 and the said corporation may purchase, hold, lease, sell and  
8 convey all real estate and personal property necessary for the  
9 purposes contemplated in this charter.

Sect. 6. Any one of the incorporators named in this act  
2 may call the first meeting of the corporation by mailing a  
3 written notice signed by himself, postage paid, to each of  
4 the other corporators, seven days at least before the day of  
5 said meeting, naming the time, place and purposes of such  
6 meeting, and at such meeting a president, secretary, treas-  
7 urer and directors may be chosen, by-laws adopted, present  
8 amount of capital stock fixed, and any corporate business  
9 transacted.

Sect. 7. This act shall take effect when approved.

STATE OF MAINE.

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HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,

Augusta, February 28, 1907.

Reported by Mr. MINAHANE from Committee on Telegraphs and  
Telephones, and ordered printed under joint rules.

E. M. THOMPSON, *Clerk.*