

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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NEW DRAFT.

SEVENTY-THIRD LEGISLATURE

HOUSE.

No. 559

STATE OF MAINE.

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

AN ACT to amend chapter one hundred ninety-three of the
Private and Special Laws of nineteen hundred three entitled,
"An Act to incorporate the East Branch Improvement Com-
pany."

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

Section 1. Section three of chapter one hundred ninety-
2 three of the private and special laws of nineteen hundred
3 three entitled, "An Act to incorporate the East Branch
4 Improvement Company," approved March 18, 1903, is hereby
5 amended by inserting after the word "fifty-two" in the tenth
6 line of said section the words 'and also to purchase and hold

7 the stock of all or any one of the above mentioned companies
8 or any other company or companies authorized to do a
9 similar business, and to exercise all the rights incident
10 thereto,' so that said section as amended shall read as
11 follows:

'Sect. 3. Said company is hereby authorized and empow-
13 ered to take and hold by virtue of any conveyances made to
14 it, the franchises, real estate, canals, sluiceways, piers, dams,
15 wing dams, side dams, booms, steamboats, improvements,
16 and other property of the Telos Canal Company and the
17 Grand Lake Dam Company, both of which were incorpo-
18 rated by special acts of the legislature of Maine, approved
19 August seven, eighteen hundred forty-six, and of the East
20 Branch Dam Company, incorporated by special act of the
21 legislature of Maine, approved April twenty-six, eighteen
22 hundred fifty-two, and also to purchase and hold the stock
23 of all or any one of the above mentioned companies or any
24 other company or companies authorized to do a similar busi-
25 ness, and to exercise all the rights incident thereto, which
26 said companies are hereby authorized and empowered to
27 sell, assign and convey by deeds duly executed by the presi-
28 dents of the several companies, to said East Branch Improve-
29 ment Company such franchises, real estate, canals, sluice-
30 ways, piers, dams, wing dams, side dams, booms, steam-
31 boats, improvements, and other property owned or possessed
32 by them at the time of such transfer, and upon receiving
33 such conveyances said East Branch Improvement Company

34 is hereby authorized and empowered to exercise all the
35 powers and privileges of said Telos Canal Company, said
36 Grand Lake Dam Company and said East Branch Dam
37 Company, including the assessment and collection of tolls in
38 accordance with all acts of the legislature relating thereto,
39 and the duties of the said several companies shall be and
40 become the duties of said East Branch Improvement Com-
41 pany, which said company shall thereafter be holden to per-
42 form such duties.'

Sect. 2. This act shall take effect when approved.

STATE OF MAINE.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,

Augusta, March 14, 1907.

Reported by Mr. LEIGHTON from Committee on Interior Waters, and
ordered printed under joint rules.

E. M. THOMPSON, *Clerk.*