

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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SEVENTY-FOURTH LEGISLATURE

HOUSE.

No. 447

STATE OF MAINE.

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

AN ACT additional to and amendatory of Chapter 29 of the
Private and Special Laws of 1887 entitled "An Act to incor-
porate the Kennebec Light and Heat Company."

Be it enacted by the People of the State of Maine, as follows:

Section 1. The Kennebec Light and Heat Company, and
2 its successors and assigns, are hereby authorized and em-
3 powered to purchase electric current from the Sebasticook
4 Water Power Company upon such terms as may be agreed
5 upon and to transmit said current through the towns of
6 Benton, Winslow and Vassalboro to and into the city of
7 Augusta and to supply, sell and distribute said current where,

8 but only in such places as, said Kennebec Light and Heat
9 Company is now or may be hereafter authorized to supply,
10 sell and distribute electricity.

Sect. 2. Said Kennebec Light and Heat Company, and its
2 successors and assigns, for the purpose of transmitting and
3 conveying electric current from the plant in Benton of said
4 Sebasticook Water Power Company through said towns of
5 Benton, Winslow and Vassalboro, and to and into said city
6 of Augusta, is hereby authorized to erect and maintain lines,
7 poles, wires and fixtures in, upon, through, across and along
8 the streets, roads or ways of said towns. All locations upon
9 said streets, roads or ways in said towns necessary for the
10 purpose of this act are hereby granted, and the municipal
11 officers of said towns shall designate the streets, roads or
12 ways so to be occupied, the places where the poles shall be
13 set, and may establish reasonable restrictions as to the kind
14 of poles, their construction and maintenance, the height of
15 wires and the use of guard wires.

Sect. 3. Said Kennebec Light and Heat Company, and its
2 successors and assigns, are further hereby authorized and
3 empowered to purchase or lease from said Sebasticook Water
4 Power Company, and its successors and assigns, and said
5 Sebasticook Water Power Company, its successors and as-
6 signs, are hereby authorized to sell or lease, upon such terms
7 as may be agreed by said corporations the franchise, prop-
8 erty, rights, privileges and immunities of said Sebasticook

9 Water Power Company; and upon such purchase or lease
10 the said Kennebec Light and Heat Company, and its suc-
11 cessors and assigns, shall succeed to, and have, hold, possess
12 and enjoy the franchise, property, rights, privileges and im-
13 munities, which at the time of said purchase or lease said
14 Seabastcook Water Power Company, its successors and as-
15 signs, shall have, hold, possess and enjoy.

Sect. 4. Said Kennebec Light and Heat Company is here-
2 by authorized and empowered to issue bonds for the payment
3 of or the refunding of its indebtedness and for the further
4 construction and improvement of its works and plants or for
5 the purposes authorized by this act, for such an amount and
6 upon such rate and time as it may deem expedient and neces-
7 sary, not to exceed one hundred thousand dollars in addi-
8 tion to the amount of its present bonded indebtedness, and
9 may secure the same by a mortgage or deed of trust of its
10 franchise or franchises, property and estate owned by or to
11 be hereafter acquired by said corporation, but said mort-
12 gage shall not diminish the security of the bonds heretofore
13 issued by said corporation, remaining unpaid.

Sect. 5. The capital stock of said Kennebec Light and
2 Heat Company may by vote of the Company be increased
3 from time to time, provided said capital stock shall not ex-
4 ceed four hundred thousand dollars, divided into shares of
5 one hundred dollars each.

STATE OF MAINE.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

Augusta, March 4, 1909.

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E. M. THOMPSON, *Clerk.*