

---

---

SEVENTY-FIFTH LEGISLATURE

---

---

SENATE

NO. 185

---

---

*In Senate, March 10, 1911.*

*Reported by Mr. Stearns from Committee on Judiciary and  
ordered printed under joint rules.*

*W. C. HANSON, Secretary.*

---

---

STATE OF MAINE

---

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

---

AN ACT to incorporate the Westfield Light and Power  
Company.

---

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

Section 1. Lincoln R. Sinclair, Enoch B. Briggs and  
2 Thomas C. Bell, their associates, successors and assigns,  
3 are hereby made a body corporate by the name of the West-  
4 field Light and Power Company.

Sect. 2. The said corporation is hereby authorized to  
2 transmit, supply, sell and distribute electricity, for light,  
3 heat and power in and through the town of Westfield.

Sect. 3. All locations upon streets, roads or ways in said  
2 town, necessary for the purposes of this act, are hereby  
3 granted and the municipal officers of said town of Westfield

4 shall designate the streets, roads and ways, so to be occu-  
5 pied, the places where the poles shall be set, and may estab-  
6 lish reasonable restrictions as to the kind of poles, their  
7 construction and maintenance, the height of wires and the  
8 use of guard wires.

Sect. 4. Except as otherwise provided herein, sections  
2 three, four, five, six, seven, eight, ten, eighteen, nineteen,  
3 twenty, twenty-one, twenty-two, twenty-three, and twenty-  
4 four of chapter fifty-five of the revised statutes are hereby  
5 made applicable to the corporation hereby created.

Sect. 5. The capital stock of said corporation shall not  
2 exceed ten thousand dollars, to be fixed from time to time  
3 by the stockholders thereof.

Sect. 6. The said corporation, for the purposes of this act,  
2 is hereby authorized to issue bonds and to secure the same  
3 by mortgages of its property and franchises.

Sect. 7. The said corporation is hereby authorized, for the  
2 purposes of this act, to purchase electric current from the  
3 Maine and New Brunswick Electrical Power Company,  
4 Limited, and to transmit the same to its line in said town  
5 of Westfield, and for this purpose, said corporation is here-  
6 by authorized to construct and maintain its poles and wires  
7 from said town of Westfield in and through either the town  
8 of Mars Hill or the town of Easton in said county to any  
9 point on the line of said Maine and New Brunswick Elec-  
10 trical Power Company. And all locations upon streets,  
11 roads or ways in either of said towns of Mars Hill or Easton

12 necessary for the purpose of this act, are hereby granted  
13 and the municipal officers of either of said towns of Mars  
14 Hill or Easton in which poles shall be set, shall designate  
15 the streets, roads and ways, so to be occupied, the places  
16 where the poles shall be set, and may establish reasonable  
17 restrictions as to the kind of poles, their construction and  
18 maintenance, the height of wires and the use of guard wires.

Sect. 8. Subject to all the limitations and provisions of  
2 this act, the said Westfield Light and Power Company is  
3 hereby authorized to sell or lease its capital stock, property  
4 and franchises to the Maine and New Brunswick Electrical  
5 Power Company, Limited, its successors and assigns, upon  
6 such terms as may be agreed upon, and upon such purchase  
7 or lease, the said Maine and New Brunswick Electrical  
8 Power Company, Limited, its successors and assigns, shall  
9 have, hold, possess, exercise and enjoy all the locations, and  
10 assets, which at the time of such transfer shall then be had,  
11 held, possessed or enjoyed by the Westfield Light and Power  
12 Company and shall then be subject to all the duties, restric-  
13 tions and liabilities to which the said Westfield Light and  
14 Power Company shall then be subject.