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SEVENTY-SEVENTH LEGISLATURE

HOUSE NO. 847

House of Representatives, March 18, 1915. Reported by Mr. Pierce from Committee on Judiciary, and ordered printed under joint rules.

C. C. HARVEY, Clerk.

STATE OF MAINE

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

AN ACT to amend chapter thirty-one of the Private and Special Laws of nineteen hundred and five, entitled "An Act to authorize the Houlton Water Company to generate, sell and distribute electricity," as amended by chapter one hundred and six of the Private and Special Laws of nineteen hundred and seven.

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

Section four of chapter thirty-one of the private and spe-

- 2 cial laws of nineteen hundred and five, as amended by chap-
- 3 ter one hundred and six of the private and special laws of
- 4 nineteen hundred and seven, is hereby further amended by
- 5 adding in line three after the word "aforesaid" thereof the

6 words and for the purposes specified and stated in chapter 7 three hundred and forty-eight of the private and special 8 laws of nineteen hundred and nine and for the purpose of 9 purchasing the plant and business of any person, partner-10 ship or corporation carrying on or doing any electric business in the town of Houlton,' and by striking out the word 12 "forty" in line four of said section four and inserting in 13 lieu thereof the words 'one hundred and twenty,' and by striking out the word "forty" in the sixth and seventh lines 15 thereof and inserting in lieu thereof the words 'one hundred and twenty.' and by dred,' so that said section four, as amended, shall read as follows:

'Sect. 4. Said company or corporation may lease, pur19 chase, acquire and hold real and personal estate, necessary
20 and convenient for the purposes aforesaid and for the pur21 poses specified and stated in chapter three hundred and
22 forty-eight of the private and special laws of nineteen hun23 dred and nine, and for the purpose of purchasing the plant
24 and business of any person, partnership or corporation carry25 ing on or doing any electric business in the town of Houl26 ton, to an amount not exceeding one hundred and twenty
27 thousand dollars; may sell and convey the same; and may
28 issue, negotiate and sell its bonds to an amount not exceed29 ing one hundred thousand dollars for the purposes stated
30 in this act, and said bonds to the amount of one hundred
31 thousand dollars may be purchased and held by the savings
32 banks and trust companies of Maine.'