

SEVENTY-EIGHTH LEGISLATURE

SENATE

NO. 150

In Senate, Feb. 9, 1917.

Referred to Committee on Public Utilities and five hundred copies ordered printed. Sent down for concurrence.

W. E. LAWRY, Secretary.

Presented by Mr. Deering of York.

STATE OF MAINE

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

AN ACT relating to the Clark Power Company.

Be it enacted by the People of the State of Maine, as follows: Chapter two hundred and fifty of the private and special 2 laws of nineten hundred and eleven entitled "An Act to 3 Incorporate the Clark Power Company," as amended by 4 Chapter one hundred and thirteen of the private and special 5 laws of nineteen hundred and fifteen, is hereby amended by 6 adding at the end of said act the following:

'Sect. 9. Said company is hereby authorized and empow-2 ered subject to the approval of the Public Utilities Commis-3 sion to transmit, convey, supply and sell electricity for light,

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4 heat and power to the Pepperell Manufacturing Company at 5 Biddeford and to York County Power Company, and for 6 that purpose is hereby authorized and empowered to set, 7 build, extend and maintain poles, lines and wires from such 8 point in the town of Dayton between the bridge across the 9 Saco river at Union Falls and property of Rufus H. Smith 10 on the road leading to Goodwin's Mills as said Clark Power 11 Company may deem most expedient; thence southeasterly in 12 and through the town of Dayton to the line dividing said 13 Dayton and the city of Biddeford; thence southeasterly to 14 and across the Saco River into the city of Saco; then south-15 easterly to and across the said river into the city of Bidde-16 ford to such point within the yards of the Pepperell Manu-17 facturing Company as said Clark Power Company may deem 18 most expedient, subject to the approval of and under such 19 reasonable restrictions as the municipal officers of the above-20 named town and cities through which poles and lines are 21 established may impose as to the kind of poles, the manner in 22 which they shall be set and the height at which the wires 23 shall be carried thereon, and said Clark Power Company is 24 hereby authorized and empowered to take as for public uses 25 such lands or easements therein as may be necessary to erect, 26 construct, maintain and operate said transmission lines.

'Sect. 10. Damages for any land or easement taken for the 2 purposes of erecting said lines if the parties cannot agree 3 shall be estimated, secured and paid as in the case of lands 4 taken for highways. 'Sect. 11. Nothing contained in this act shall be construed 2 to affect or diminish the liability of said Clark Power Com-3 pany for any injury to private property, by depreciating the 4 value thereof or otherwise, but any legal remedies existing 5 shall continue.'