

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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SEVENTY-NINTH LEGISLATURE

HOUSE

NO. 369

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CLYDE R. CHAPMAN, Clerk.

STATE OF MAINE

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

AN ACT to Incorporate the Calais Power Company.

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

Section 1. William F. Hanson, Reed V. Jewett, and Ash-
ley Saint Clair, their associates, successors and assigns, are
hereby made a body corporate by the name of the Calais
Power Company, with all the powers, rights and privileges
and subject to all the duties and obligations conferred and
imposed on corporations organized to sell, distribute and
supply electricity for light, heat and power under the gen-
eral laws of the state, except as otherwise provided herein.

Sect. 2. Said company is authorized to locate, construct
and maintain a dam or dams on the Howard Mill Stream,
in the city of Calais, county of Washington, provided that

4 suitable sluices are constructed and maintained by said
5 company in said dam or dams at its own expense, for the
6 passage of logs and other lumber down said stream.

Sect. 3. Said company is authorized and empowered to
2 carry on the business of manufacturing, generating, dis-
3 tributing, selling and supplying electricity for light, heat
4 and power for all lawful purposes in the towns of Char-
5 lotte, Baring and Robbinston and for mechanical and man-
6 ufacturing purposes in the city of Calais.

Sect. 4. Said corporation is further authorized to trans-
2 mit, sell and supply electricity to electric light, heat and
3 power or electric railroad companies and to any person or
4 persons, or corporations desiring to purchase and use the
5 same for manufacturing, or mechanical purposes at points
6 in the towns of Calais, Baring, and Robbinston, in the
7 county of Washington, and for the purposes specified in
8 the first three sections of this act said corporation is here-
9 by authorized and empowered to set, build, extend and
10 maintain poles, lines and wires in, upon and over such
11 streets and public ways in the towns of Calais, Baring
12 and Robbinston as it may deem most expedient in carrying
13 out the purpose of this act, under such reasonable restric-
14 tions as the municipal officers of the respective towns
15 through which such poles, lines and wires may be estab-
16 lished, may impose in accordance with the general laws of
17 the state.

Sect. 5. The capital stock of said company shall not ex-

2 ceed fifty thousand dollars, divided into shares of one hun-
3 dred dollars each.

Sect. 6. Said company is hereby authorized to issue bonds
2 for the construction of its work upon such rates and time
3 and in such amounts as it may deem necessary, and to se-
4 cure the same by appropriate mortgage upon its franchises
5 and property, present and future.

Sect. 7. Said corporation is further authorized to develop
2 such water power as it may own or acquire at Calais, Bar-
3 ing, Charlotte, or Robbinston for manufacturing purposes
4 and to engage in manufacturing through the use of such
5 power.

Sect. 8. Said corporation may sell and convey its rights,
2 privileges, franchise and property to any other electric
3 light, heat, power or electric railroad or manufacturing
4 corporation chartered by this state or may purchase and
5 hold the property, rights, franchise and privileges or cap-
6 ital stock of any such corporation.

Sect. 9. The first meeting of said corporation may be
2 called by any corporator by mailing a written notice, post-
3 age prepaid, to each of the other corporators seven days
4 at least before the day of the meeting, and any corporator
5 may act at such meeting by proxy.

Sect. 10. It shall be unlawful for said corporation to
2 transmit electric current for sale or use beyond the limits
3 of this state or to contract with any person, firm or cor-
4 poration for the transmission or sale of electric current be-

5 yond the limits of this state, and said corporation shall
6 not be permitted to acquire in any manner the franchises
7 of or consolidate with or transfer or lease its property,
8 rights and franchises to any other corporation, firm or per-
9 son now transmitting or having the right to transmit elec-
10 tric power beyond the confines of the state, without express
11 authority of the legislature.