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EIGHTY-FIRST LEGISLATURE

HOUSE NO. 27

House of Representatives, Feb. 1, 1923.

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

CLYDE R. CHAPMAN, Clerk.

Presented by Mr. Maher of Augusta.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD ONE THOUSAND NINE HUNDRED AND TWENTY-THREE

AN ACT to Amend the Charter of the Augusta Water District.

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

Section 1. Section one of chapter three hundred thirty-

- 2 four of the private and special laws of nineteen hundred and
- 3 three entitled "An Act to Incorporate the Augusta Water
- 4 District," is hereby amended by striking out the words "the
- 5 inhabitants of said district and of the towns of Chelsea,
- 6 Vassalboro, China and Manchester, and such municipali-
- 7 ties, together with the city of Augusta," and inserting in
- 8 place thereof the words 'the city of Augusta, the town of
- 9 Manchester, and the reservation or district known as the
- 10 National Home for Disabled Volunteer Soldiers, situated

11 partly in said Augusta and partly in the town of Chelsea, 12 together with the inhabitants thereof,' so that said section 13 as amended shall read as follows:

'Section 1. The following territory and the people within 2 the same, namely: Wards one, two, three, four, six, seven 3 and eight in the city of Augusta, shall constitute a body 4 politic and corporate under the name of the Augusta Water 5 District for the purpose of supplying the city of Augusta, 6 the town of Manchester, and the reservation or district 7 known as the National Home for Disabled Volunteer Sol-8 diers, situated partly in said Augusta and partly in the town 9 of Chelsea, together with the inhabitants thereof, with pure 10 water for domestic and municipal purposes.'

- Sect. 2. Section four of said act is hereby amended by 2 striking out the words "Vassalboro, China" in the third 3 line thereof, so that said section as amended shall read as 4 follows:
- 'Sect. 4. Said district is hereby authorized to lay in and 2 through the streets and highways thereof and of said towns 3 of Chelsea and Manchester, and to take up, repair and 4 replace, all such pipes, aqueducts and fixtures as may be 5 necessary for the objects above set forth, and whenever 6 said district shall lay any pipes or aqueducts in any street 7 or highway it shall cause the same to be done with as little 8 obstruction as possible to the public travel, and shall at its 9 own expense without unnecessary delay cause the earth and 10 pavement removed by it to be replaced in proper condition.'