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HARVEY R. PEASE, Clerk.

Presented by Mr. Brown of Brunswick.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED
FORTY-FIVE

AN ACT to Amend the Charter of the Brunswick Village Corporation.

Emergency preamble. Whereas, the Brunswick Village Corporation is within a recognized defense area in which the density of the population is rapidly increasing; and

Whereas, the continued health and comfort of the residents within the Brunswick Village Corporation necessitate the extension of a sewer to eliminate certain unsanitary conditions; and

Whereas, in the judgment of the legislature these facts create an emergency within the meaning of section 16 of Article XXXI of the constitution of Maine and require the following legislation as immediately necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health and safety; now, therefore,

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

Sec. 1. P. & S. L., 1887, c. 172, § 1, amended. Section 1 of chapter 172 of the private and special laws of 1887 is hereby amended to read as follows:

'Sec. 1. Corporate limits; corporate name. The territory in the town of Brunswick, within a radius of ~~one mile~~ $1\frac{1}{4}$ miles from the town house,

with the inhabitants thereon, is hereby created a body politic and corporate by the name of the Brunswick Village Corporation, with all the rights and privileges granted by the laws of the state, to corporations.'

Sec. 2. Effective date; referendum. This act shall take effect immediately upon its passage by the legislature only for the purpose of permitting its submission to the legal voters of the Brunswick Village Corporation at its annual meeting held in April, 1945. The corporation clerk shall prepare the required ballots, upon which he shall reduce the subject matter of this act to the following question: "Shall 'An Act to Amend the Charter of the Brunswick Village Corporation' be accepted?" and the voters shall indicate by a cross placed over the words "Yes" or "No" their opinion of the same. This act shall take effect for all the purposes of this act immediately upon the acceptance of this act by a majority of the votes cast at said meeting. The result of the vote shall be declared by the corporation clerk and a certificate thereof filed by the said clerk with the secretary of state.

Emergency clause. In view of the emergency cited in the preamble, this act shall take effect when approved.