

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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ACTS AND RESOLVES

OF THE

FIFTY-THIRD LEGISLATURE

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE.

1874.

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thousand dollars, by a two thirds vote, at any legal meeting called for that purpose, but no more than one meeting shall be called for that purpose in any one year. CHAP. 450.

SECT. 10. The first meeting of said corporation may be called by a written notice thereof, signed by any two corporators herein named, served upon each corporator by giving him the same in hand or leaving the same at his last usual place of abode, seven days before the time of meeting.

First meeting,  
how called.

SECT. 11. This act shall take effect when approved.

Approved February 10, 1874.

### Chapter 450.

An act to authorize and empower the Little Androscoggin Water Power Company to carry on the manufacture of gas.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in Legislature assembled, as follows :*

SECT. 1. The Little Androscoggin Water Power Company, organized in accordance with the provisions of chapter ninety-three of the laws of one thousand eight hundred and seventy, are hereby authorized and empowered to carry on the manufacture, distribution and sale of gas, for the purpose of lighting the streets, factories, and all other buildings and works in the cities of Lewiston and Auburn, and to construct such reservoirs, gas holders, gas pipes and all other things as may be requisite and proper for such purposes.

Authorized to  
manufacture gas  
and construct gas  
works.

SECT. 2. Said corporation shall have the right to lay gas pipes in any of the public streets or highways of said cities, the consent of the municipal authorities of said cities having first been obtained therefor, and to relay and repair the same, subject to such regulations as the health and safety of the citizens and the security of the public travel may require, and as may have been prescribed by the authorities aforesaid.

Authorized to lay  
gas pipes in pub-  
lic streets.

SECT. 3. This act shall take effect when approved.

Approved February 10, 1874.

### Chapter 451.

An act to incorporate the Devine Water Company.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in Legislature assembled, as follows :*

SECT. 1. James Devine, James Devine, junior, George H. Cross, W. H. Dunham and H. R. Swallow, with their associates and

Corporators.