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ACTS AND RESOLVES

OF THE

SEVENTIETH LEGISLATURE

OF THE

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PRIVATE AND SPECIAL LAWS

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE.

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Chapter 241.

An Act additional to Chapter three hundred and thirty-three of the Private and Special Laws of one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven, relating to the United Gas and Electric Company.

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

Section 1. The United Gas and Electric Company is hereby authorized to acquire, by purchase or otherwise, the franchises and property of the Dover Gas Light Company and the Berwick Power Company, and upon the acquisition of the same, to have, exercise and enjoy all the powers and privileges of said corporations subject, however, to all their duties and liabilities.

United Gas and Electric Company authorized to acquire property of other corporations.

Section 2. Said corporation, in order to refund its present indebtedness and to procure funds for the purchase of the aforesaid properties, is hereby authorized to issue its bonds in an amount not exceeding five hundred thousand dollars, and secure the same by a mortgage upon its property and franchises, now owned or hereafter acquired by it.

Authorized to issue bonds and mortgage.

Section 3. This act shall take effect when approved.

Approved February 8, 1901.

Chapter 242.

An Act to amend 'An Act to authorize the City of Portland to appoint Commissioners of Cemeteries and Public Grounds.'

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

Section three of chapter five hundred and nine of the private and special laws of Maine eighteen hundred and eighty-five, is hereby amended by adding at the end of said section three the following:

Section 3, chapter 509, special laws of 1885 amended.

"Said commissioners are authorized to elect annually a superintendent, who may be one of their number, and who shall perform such duties as the commissioners prescribe. The commissioners shall set aside a reasonable portion of the appropriation for cemeteries and public grounds as the compensation of said superintendent, and the same shall be paid to him in equal monthly payments," so that same section, as amended, shall read as follows:

'Section 3. Said commissioners shall have charge and control of all the cemeteries, other than Evergreen cemetery, together with the parks, promenades, squares and other grounds, which are or may hereafter be reserved for ornamental uses,

Election and compensation of a superintendent.

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belonging to the city; and under their direction, all appropriations made for said cemeteries and grounds, shall be expended. Said commissioners are authorized to elect annually a superintendent who may be one of their number, and who shall perform such duties as the commissioners prescribe. The commissioners shall set aside a reasonable portion of the appropriation for cemeteries and public grounds, as the compensation of said superintendent, and the same shall be paid to him in equal monthly payments.'

Approved February 8, 1901.

Chapter 243.

An Act amending Chapter three hundred and sixty-five of Private and Special Laws of eighteen hundred and ninety-three, in relation to the Rumford Falls Light and Water Company.

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

Section 2,
chapter 365,
special laws
of 1893
amended.

Section two of chapter three hundred and sixty-five of the private and special laws of eighteen hundred and ninety-three, in relation to the Rumford Falls Light and Water Company is hereby amended by inserting after the word "of" in the fifth line the word 'Rumford' so that said section, as amended, shall read as follows:

Authorized to
take land.

'Section 2. Said corporation is hereby authorized for the purposes of its organization, to take and hold, by purchase or otherwise any lands or real estate necessary therefor, and may enter upon and excavate through any lands when necessary for said purposes in the towns of Rumford, Mexico and Peru, in the county of Oxford, or either of them. And for the purposes of its organization, said corporation is hereby authorized to take water from any stream, pond or river in said towns, or any one of them.'

—may take
water.

Approved February 8, 1901.