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### Chapter 30.

An Act to authorize the Great Northern Paper Company to hold stock of the West Branch Driving and Reservoir Dam Company.

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

Section 1. The Great Northern Paper Company is hereby authorized and empowered to acquire and hold shares of the capital stock of the West Branch Driving and Reservoir Dam Company, and while a holder of such stock to have and exercise all the powers of a stockholder in said West Branch Driving and Reservoir Dam Company.

Section 2. This act shall take effect when approved.

Approved February 14, 1905.

#### Great Notthern Paper Co., authorized to hold shares of West Branch Driving and Reservoir Dam Co.

### Chapter 31.

An Act to authorize the Houlton Water Company to generate, sell and distribute Electricity.

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

Section 1. The Houlton Water Company is hereby specially authorized and empowered to make, generate and use electricity upon its property in the town of Houlton, in the county of Aroostook, or other property hereafter acquired by said Houlton Water Company for the purpose, and to transmit, conduct and distribute such electricity to, into and throughout the town and village of said Houlton, and sell and supply the same for lighting such public streets and such buildings and places therein, public and private, as may be agreed upon by said company and the owners or those having control of such streets and places to be lighted, and may transmit, sell and supply the same for heating, motive power, manufacturing or mechanical purposes in said town.

Section 2. Said company is hereby authorized and empowered to build, erect and operate manufactories and works, for making, generating, distributing and supplying electricity upon said property, to use the same therein, and to erect, lay down, construct, maintain and operate lines of wires or other material for the transmission of electricity under, over and across any stream or river, and under, along, upon and over the streets, ways and bridges in said town of Houlton.

Houlton Water Company authorized to make and use electricity.

-to transmit same.

-to sell same

May build works, etc.

—may operate wires. CHAP. 32 May erect poles, etc.

-limitations.

May hold real and personal estate to amount of \$35,000.

—may issue bonds. Section 3. In erecting poles and lines of wires along, upon and over streets, ways and bridges, and in constructing and laying lines of wires and conduits under any stream, river, street or highway, said company shall be subject to the general laws of the state applicable to corporations which are authorized to make, generate, sell, distribute and supply electricity for power, lighting, heating, manufacturing and other purposes, and shall have all the rights and powers of such corporations.

Section 4. Said company or corporation may lease, purchase, acquire and hold real and personal estate, necessary and convenient for the purposes aforesaid, to an amount not exceeding thirty-five thousand dollars; may sell and convey the same; and may issue, negotiate and sell its bonds to an amount not exceeding thirty-five thousand dollars for the purposes stated in this act, and said bonds to the amount of thirty-five thousand dollars may be purchased and held by the savings banks and trust companies of Maine.

Section 5. This act shall take effect when approved.

Approved February 14, 1905.

### Chapter 32.

An Act to amend the charter of the Limerock Railroad Company.

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

Section I. That section one of the charter of the Limerock Railroad Company be and hereby is amended by adding thereto the following: 'Said corporation is hereby further authorized and empowered to allow other corporations, persons and firms to stretch wires for the transmission of intelligence, light, heat or power along its right of way and upon its bridges and trestles, under such arrangement as may be mutually agreed upon; and any permission heretofore given is hereby authorized, made legal and valid.'

Section 2. This act shall take effect when approved.

Approved February 14, 1905.

Section 1, of charter, amended.