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ACTS AND RESOLVES

OF THE

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OF THE

STATE OF MAINE

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PRIVATE AND SPECIAL LAWS

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STATE OF MAINE

As Passed by the Seventy-fourth
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CHAP. 308

—records of board of public works and of fire commissioners shall be completed and deposited with city clerk.

the time when said repeal takes effect, and not inconsistent with the provisions of this act, shall continue in force until the same are repealed or amended. Upon this act taking effect the records of the board of public works of said city, and of the board of fire commissioners of said city shall be completed by the secretaries of said boards, and shall be deposited by them with the city clerk of said city.

Approved March 24, 1909.

Chapter 308.

An Act amending and extending the provisions of Chapter three hundred and seventy-five, Private and Special Laws of nineteen hundred and five, entitled "An Act to Authorize the Town of Castine to construct for itself and for persons and corporations a system of Water Works in said town."

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

Section 8, Chapter 375, special laws, 1905, amended.

Section 1. Section eight of said act is hereby amended by striking out the word "aqueduct" in the sixth and eighth lines and inserting instead thereof the words 'Acadia Aqueduct,' so that said section eight shall read as follows:

May purchase rights, franchises, etc., of Castine Water Co.

'Section 8. Said town is hereby authorized to purchase, and the Castine Water Company is hereby authorized to convey, any or all of the stock or bonds of the Castine Water Company and any or all of the rights, property, franchises and privileges of said Castine Water Company. Said town is also hereby authorized to purchase, and the Castine Acadia Aqueduct Company is hereby authorized to convey, any or all of the property, franchises and privileges of said Castine Acadia Company.'

—and the Castine Acadia Aqueduct Co.

Section 11, amended.

Section 2. Section eleven of said act is hereby amended by striking out the word "six" in the third line and inserting in its stead the word 'ten' so that said section eleven shall read as follows:

Act shall be void if Castine Water Company completes its system before Oct. 20, 1910.

'Section 11. This act shall be null and void if the Castine Water Company, on or before October thirtieth, in the year nineteen hundred and ten, shall complete its system of water works so as to enable it to reasonably perform the terms of a certain contract made between itself and said town, dated October sixth in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six. The determination of the question as to whether said Castine Water Company has thus completed its system shall be left to a competent engineer who shall be chosen by any justice of the supreme judicial court, in term time or vacation, upon application in writing made by said town or

said Castine Water Company, and the determination of said engineer shall be final.'

Section 3. For the purposes aforesaid said town is hereby authorized to take and use water from any pond or lake in said town of Castine, to conduct and distribute the same into and through the said town, to survey for, locate, lay, erect and maintain suitable dams, reservoirs, machinery, pipes, aqueducts and fixtures; to carry its pipes or aqueducts under or over any water course, bridge, street, highway or other way; and said town is further authorized to enter upon and excavate any highway or other way in such manner at least to obstruct the same, to enter, pass over and excavate any land and to take and to acquire by purchase or by the exercise of the right of eminent domain, any rights of way or of water, and in general to do any acts necessary, convenient or proper for carrying out any of the purposes hereinbefore specified. And said town is further authorized, for the purpose of making all needed repairs, or service connections, to lay its pipes through any public or private lands or ways, with the rights to enter upon the same and dig therein, and said town may establish written regulations for the use of said water.

Approved March 24, 1909.

Authorized to take water from any water source in town of Castine, and distribute the same in said town.
 —maintain dams and reservoirs, etc.
 —may lay pipes over or under water course, street, bridge, etc.
 —enter upon and excavate any highway, but shall not obstruct same.
 —enter on land.
 —acquire by purchase or by right of eminent domain rights of way or of water.
 —lay pipes through public or private lands or ways.

Chapter 309.

An Act to incorporate the Brewer Water Company.

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

Section 1. Leon F. Higgins, Charles A. Harlow, William B. Snow, Frank A. Floyd, Albert G. Dole, John E. Littlefield, Albert A. Kenney, Frank H. Nickerson, Calvin P. Thomas, George W. Patten, Edward B. Burr, Charles H. Small, Lyman B. Currier and George H. Reed, their associates, successors and assigns, are hereby made a corporation by the name of the Brewer Water Company, for the purpose of supplying the inhabitants of Brewer and the towns of Veazie, Orrington, Eddington and Holden, and all said municipalities with pure water for domestic, sanitary, and municipal purposes.

Corporators.

—corporate name.

—purposes.

Section 2. Said company, for said purposes, may retain, collect, take, store, use, and distribute the waters of the following ponds: Hopkins pond, Parks pond, and Fitz pond, in the town of Clifton; Hatcase pond in the town of Dedham; and may locate, construct, and maintain cribs, reservoirs,

May take and store water and distribute same.

—maintain reservoirs,