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ACTS AND RESOLVES
OF THE
SEVENTY-FIFTH LEGISLATURE

OF THE
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OF THE

STATE OF MAINE

As Passed by the Seventy-fifth
Legislature

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CHAP. 56**Chapter 56.**

An Act to extend the charter of the Central Aroostook Electric Company.

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

Charter extended for two years.

The time within which the Central Aroostook Electric Company, chartered under chapter two hundred and sixty-four, private laws of one thousand nine hundred and seven, shall actually commence business under its charter, is hereby extended two years from the date when this act shall take effect.

Approved February 28, 1911.

Chapter 57.

An Act to improve certain State Lands.

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

Public park created.

Section 1. All that portion of the state lands situate in the city of Augusta and lying between State street on the west and the location of the Maine Central Railroad Company, on the east is hereby created a public park.

Supervision of park.

Section 2. The supervision, direction and control of same is hereby vested in a commission of three to be appointed by the governor.

Commissioners, tenure of office.

Section 3. The commissioners provided for in section two of this act shall be appointed for a term of four years and shall serve without compensation.

One commissioner shall be resident of Augusta.

Section 4. One of the commissioners provided for in section two of this act shall be a resident of the city of Augusta recommended to the governor for appointment by the city council of Augusta.

Appropriations.

Section 5. To effectuate the purposes of this act, there is hereby appropriated the sum of six hundred dollars for the year nineteen hundred and eleven and the sum of six hundred dollars for the year nineteen hundred and twelve, provided that the city of Augusta for the corresponding period appropriates for such purposes an amount equal to fifty per cent of the sum so appropriated by the state.

Commissioners authorized to receive gift or legacy.

Section 6. The commissioners provided for in section two of this act shall be and hereby are authorized to receive moneys by gift or legacy and shall hold same as trustees for the purposes stated in section one of this act.

Expenditure of money.

Section 7. The expenditure of all moneys provided for in this act shall be under the direction of the commissioners pro-

vided for in section two of this act, and an annual report of the same in detail shall be made to the governor and council.

Section 8. All acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed.

Inconsistent
acts
repealed.

Approved February 28, 1911.

Chapter 58.

An Act to incorporate the Bluehill Water Company.

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

Section 1. Forrest B. Snow, Harvey H. McIntyre, Roscoe De Long, their associates, successors and assigns, are hereby made a corporation by the name of the Bluehill Water Company, for the purpose of supplying the town of Bluehill, in the county of Hancock, and the inhabitants of said town, with pure water for domestic, sanitary, municipal and public purposes, including extinguishment of fires.

Corporators.

—corporate
name.
—purposes.

Section 2. Said company, for said purposes, may retain, collect, take, store, use and distribute water from any springs, except such springs as are in actual use for domestic purposes, ponds, streams, or other water sources, in said Bluehill, and may locate, construct and maintain cribs, reservoirs, aqueducts, gates, pipes, hydrants and all other necessary structures therefor.

May take and
store water.

—maintain
reservoirs,
etc.

Section 3. Said company is hereby authorized to lay, construct and maintain in, under, through, along and across the highways, ways, streets, railroads and bridges in said town, and to take up, replace and repair all such sluices, aqueducts, pipes, hydrants and structures as may be necessary for the purposes of its incorporation, so as not to unreasonably obstruct the same, under such reasonable restrictions and conditions as the selectmen of said town may impose. It shall be responsible for all damages to persons and property occasioned by the use of such highways, ways and streets, and further shall be liable to pay to said town all sums recovered against said town for damages for obstruction caused by said company, and for all expenses, including reasonable counsel fees incurred in defending such suits, with interest on the same, provided said company shall have notice of such suits and opportunity to defend the same.

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penses and
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Section 4. Said company shall have power to cross any water course, private and public sewer, or to change the direction thereof when necessary for the purposes of its incorporation, but in such manner as not to obstruct or impair the use

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