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OF THE

SEVENTY-SIXTH LEGISLATURE

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE

1913

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OF THE

STATE OF MAINE

As Passed by the Seventy-Sixth
Legislature

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—trustees of lodge may manage said hall.

Voters of town of Dexter shall assent.

to keep said building in repair so far as it now rests on said selectmen or said inhabitants of Dexter is to be assumed by said lodge. The trustees of said lodge are given full power to use and manage the same in any proper way for the benefit of the cause of temperance. The rights in and to the use of said hall by the Good Templars or by the Women's Christian Temperance Union of said Dexter as now existing shall remain.

Section 2. This act shall not be operative until the inhabitants of the town of Dexter shall assent hereto at a legally called town meeting.

Approved March 18, 1913.

Chapter 128.

An Act to Amend Chapter Two Hundred and Fifteen of the Resolves of Maine for Eighteen Hundred and Ninety-seven as Amended by Chapter One Hundred and Eight of the Private and Special Laws of Nineteen Hundred and Three, Relating to the Tuition of Students in Agriculture at the University of Maine.

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

Chapter 215, resolves of 1897, as amended by chapter 108, P. & S. laws of 1903, amended.

Chapter two hundred and fifteen of the resolves of the State of Maine passed and approved in the year eighteen hundred and ninety-seven as amended by chapter one hundred and eight of the private and special laws of the year nineteen hundred and three, is hereby amended by adding the words 'and in Home Economics' so that the last paragraph of said resolve as amended will read as follows:

Trustees may abate tuition in certain cases.

'That said trustees are hereby directed to charge all students a reasonable tuition, but they may abate said tuition to such worthy pupils resident in the state as may be financially unable to pay the same, and to students pursuing the courses in agriculture and in Home Economics.'

Approved March 18, 1913.

Chapter 129.

An Act to Incorporate the Washington County Light and Power Company.

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

Corporators.

—corporate name.

Territory in which corporation may operate.

Section 1. John C. McFaul, Edwin M. Frye, John R. Trimble, James M. Beckett, Stillman E. Woodman and Jasper Wyman, their associates, successors and assigns, are hereby made a body corporate by the name of the Washington County Light and Power Company.

Section 2. Except as otherwise herein provided, the said

corporation is hereby authorized to purchase, make, generate, transmit, supply, sell and distribute electricity for light, heat and power in and through Columbia, Columbia Falls, Harrington, Addison, Jonesport, Jonesboro, Cherryfield, Milbridge, Steuben, Deblois and Township number eighteen, West Division, all in the county of Washington, but no electricity shall be sold for any purpose in Cherryfield without the consent of all persons, firms or corporations supplying, selling and distributing or authorized to supply, sell and distribute electricity in said Cherryfield.

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Section 3. All locations upon streets, roads, bridges, or ways in said towns and township numbered eighteen, necessary for the purposes of this act, are hereby granted and the municipal officers of said towns named herein shall designate the streets, roads or ways so to be occupied, the places where the poles shall be set, and may establish reasonable restrictions as to kind of poles, their construction and maintenance, the height of wires and the use of guard wires.

Municipal officers shall designate locations.

Section 4. Except as otherwise provided herein, sections three, four, five, six, seven, eight, ten, eighteen, nineteen, twenty, twenty-one, twenty-two, twenty-three and twenty-four of chapter fifty-five of the revised statutes, are hereby made applicable to the corporation hereby created.

Certain sections of R. S. made applicable to the corporation.

Section 5. The capital stock of said corporation shall not exceed three hundred thousand dollars, to be fixed from time to time by the stockholders thereof.

Capital stock.

Section 6. The said corporation, for the purposes of this act, is hereby authorized to issue bonds, from time to time, and to secure the same by appropriate mortgages of its property and franchises.

Corporation may issue bonds.

Section 7. Said corporation is authorized to acquire by purchase or lease, plants, property, franchises, rights, privileges and locations of other corporations or individuals for the purpose of this act and it, its successors and assigns, shall have, hold, possess, exercise and enjoy all the locations, powers, privileges, rights, immunities, franchises, property and assets which at the time of such transfer or transfers shall then be had, held, possessed or enjoyed by the company or companies, individual or individuals, selling or leasing the same.

Corporation may purchase franchises, etc., of other corporations.

Section 8. Said company is authorized to locate, construct and maintain a dam or dams on Pleasant river in the town of Columbia aforesaid, provided that suitable sluices are constructed and maintained by said company in said dam or dams, at its own expense, for the passage of logs and other lumber down said river.

Company may maintain dams.

—proviso.

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First meet-
ing, how
called.

Section 9. Any corporator named in this act may call the first meeting of the corporation by mailing a written notice signed by him, postpaid, to each of the other corporators named, seven days at least before the day of the meeting, naming the time, place and purpose of such meeting.

Approved March 18, 1913.

Chapter 130.

An Act to Extend the Charter of the Farmington and Augusta Railway Company.

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

Charter
extended.

The time within which the Farmington and Augusta Railway Company shall actually commence business under its charter is hereby extended two years from date when this act shall take effect.

Approved March 18, 1913.

Chapter 131.

An Act to Incorporate the Brownfield Electric Company.

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

Corpora-
tors.

—corporate
name.

—pur-
poses.

Section 1. Charles E. Hill, Augusta A. Hill, and Albert R. Hill, their associates, successors and assigns are hereby incorporated under the name of the Brownfield Electric Company, for the purpose of making, generating, selling and supplying electricity for lighting, heating, power, manufacturing or mechanical purposes in the towns of Brownfield, Denmark and Hiram in the county of Oxford, and the town of Sebago in the county of Cumberland, or for any or either of such purposes, and for distributing, supplying and selling electricity for any and all of said purposes to any corporation, firm or individual within said towns desiring to purchase the same, subject to the rights and liabilities incident to similar corporations as fixed by the general statutes relating thereto, provided, however, that said Brownfield Electric Company shall not have authority to sell or distribute electricity in said towns of Denmark or Hiram, without the consent of any other corporation, person or firm engaged in such business or authorized to engage in such business in said towns of Denmark or Hiram.

—proviso.

Corpora-
tion may
maintain
dams.

Section 2. Said corporation is authorized to locate, construct and maintain a dam or dams, on any brooks or streams lying wholly or partly within said towns, provided, that they shall not