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OF THE

SEVENTY-SIXTH LEGISLATURE

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE

1913

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PRIVATE AND SPECIAL LAWS

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE

As Passed by the Seventy-Sixth
Legislature

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CHAP. 183 of the private and special laws of nineteen hundred and five, are hereby extended to January first, nineteen hundred and fourteen, and said corporation is hereby given until said first day of January for the construction of its works as so authorized.

Approved March 25, 1913.

Chapter 183.

An Act to Authorize the Auburn Water Commissioners to Sell Certain of their Property.

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

Auburn Water Commissioners authorized to sell certain parts of its property.

The Auburn Water Commissioners are hereby authorized to sell the following described property owned by them in the city of Auburn, to wit: the site of the old reservoir on Lake street; the gravel pit on Gamage avenue; and the twelve twenty-fifth parts now owned by the commissioners in the property known as the Willis Parsons mill privilege, provided, in case of the last named property, that the sale thereof shall in no way materially impair or hinder the exercise by the commissioners of their right, at any time, to take water from Taylor pond. The proceeds of the sale of any or all of the above described property, shall be invested as a part of the sinking fund of the Auburn Water Commissioners.

—proceeds of sale shall be part of the sinking fund.

Approved March 25, 1913.

Chapter 184.

An Act to Amend the Charter of the Central Maine Power Company.

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

Action of Central Maine Power Company declared valid.

Section 1. The action of said Central Maine Power Company in purchasing the plants, property, rights, privileges and franchises of the Waterville and Fairfield Railway and Light Company, the Union Gas and Electric Company, the Bingham Electric Company, the Clinton Electric Company, the Dexter Electric Company, the Kennebec Light and Heat Company and the Vassalborough Electric Light and Power Company is hereby ratified, approved and declared legal and valid, and said Central Maine Power Company shall have, possess, exercise and enjoy in its own name all said plants, property, rights, privileges and franchises as though originally granted to it, except that it shall have no authority to issue further stock, securities or obligations of any kind in the name of any of said companies.

Section 2. The Waterville and Fairfield Railway and Light Company and the Union Gas and Electric Company or either of them may be dissolved in accordance with law.

Approved March 25, 1913.

CHAP. 185

Dissolution of Waterville and Fairfield Ry. & Lt. Co. and Union Gas and El. Co. authorized.

Chapter 185.

An Act to Amend the Charter of the Camden and Rockland Water Company.

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

Section 1. That section one of chapter two hundred twelve of the private and special laws of eighteen hundred eighty as amended by section one of chapter three hundred forty-four of the private and special laws for the year eighteen hundred and ninety-three be and is hereby amended by striking out between the words "Hope" and "Rocky," the word "and," and by inserting after the word "Rockport" the words 'Spring brook in the town of Camden, and Oyster river' and by inserting after the words "tributaries of said ponds," the following: 'brook and river, including Spruce Mountain brook, so called,' by inserting after the words "withdraw the water from said ponds" the words 'brooks, river'; and by inserting after the word "therefrom" the words, 'or by artificial water ways'; and by adding to said section the following: 'Nothing herein contained shall in any way increase or extend the rights of said company in or to the waters of Hobbs', Fish's, Grassy or Rocky ponds or the tributaries thereof beyond what already exist'; so that said section as now amended shall read as follows:

Section 1 of chapter 212 of P. & S. laws of 1880, as amended by section 1 of chapter 344 of P. & S. laws of 1893, further amended.

'Section 1. The Camden and Rockland Water Company is hereby authorized and empowered for the purposes named and embraced in its act of incorporation, and amendments thereto, to take, detain, use, store and appropriate water from Hobbs' pond, Fish's pond and Grassy pond in the town of Hope; Rocky pond in the town of Rockport; Spring brook in the town of Camden, and Oyster river; in the county of Knox, and all of the tributaries of said ponds, brook and river, including Spruce Mountain brook, and all of the streams and ponds leading into, or tributary to any stream connecting said Fish's and Hobbs' ponds. The authority herein and hereby granted, shall also include and give the right to said corporation to withdraw the water from said ponds, brooks, river and tributaries; and reservoirs or basins that may be constructed for the purposes aforesaid by pipes and aqueducts laid directly therefrom; or by artificial water ways to supply Oyster River pond; also to

Sources of water supply granted to the Camden and Rockland Water Co.