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CHAP. 184 of the second paragraph of said section two, the words 'and to contract with the Fort Kent Electric Company' so that said section as amended shall read as follows:

May equip and maintain a fire department.

'Section 2. Said corporation is hereby authorized and vested with power at any legal meeting called for the purpose, to raise money to purchase, repair and maintain one or more fire engines, fire hose and all other necessary apparatus, for the extinguishment of fires, to build, repair and maintain engine and hose houses, to construct reservoirs, to contract with individuals or corporations for the supply of water under pressure for the extinguishment of fire and maintain within said limits an efficient fire department; to defray the expenses of a night watch, a police force and all other necessary measures for the better security of life and property, and the promotion of good order and quiet within its limits. Said corporation is also hereby authorized and vested with power, at any legal meeting called for the purpose, to raise money to generate, distribute and sell electricity and to contract with the Fort Kent Electric Company, for heat and lighting purposes within said limits, and to contract with individuals or corporations for the supply of water under pressure for household and family purposes, and the right to do any or all of the above things wholly by said corporation, such as building, repairing, maintaining and supplying water for fire protection and family use.'

—may generate and sell electricity.
—contract for electricity or water supply.

Approved April 1, 1915.

Chapter 184.

An Act Relating to the Appointment of Harbor Masters for the Harbor of Portland.

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

Section 1. The Harbor Commissioners of Portland shall have the sole power to appoint a harbor master for the harbor of Portland. He shall hold office during the pleasure of the Harbor Commissioners. He shall, at all times, be subject to and under the control and direction of the Harbor Commissioners. Such appointee shall have had practical experience in handling steam or sail vessels and must hold a license issued by the United States Local Inspectors as master of steam or sail vessels. He shall receive such compensation for his services as the city council for the city of Portland shall establish.

Harbor Commissioners may appoint a harbor master.
—qualifications.

—compensation.

He shall perform all the duties now required by harbor masters under the provisions of the laws of the State of Maine and such ordinances as the city of Portland may from time to time enact.

CHAP. 185
—duties.

Section 2. Section two of chapter two hundred thirty-two of the Private and Special Laws of eighteen hundred fifty-four relating to the board of trade of Portland is hereby amended by striking out of said section the following words: "And such number of pilots for the harbor of Portland as said board may deem necessary for the safety and convenience of the commerce of said port, and also to fix such compensation for the services of said pilots as said board may deem just and reasonable."

Ch. 232, Sec. 2 P. & S. Laws 1854, amended.

—stricken out.

Section 3. The Harbor Commissioners of the city of Portland may appoint such number of pilots for the harbor of Portland as said board may deem necessary for the safety and convenience of the commerce of said port, and may fix such compensation for services of said pilots as said board may deem just and reasonable. Said pilots shall hold licenses as first-class pilots issued by the United States Local Inspectors of Steam Vessels. Such pilots shall be appointed for a term of one year and given certificates under the hands of the Harbor Commissioners, which may be revoked at any time by the Harbor Commissioners upon satisfactory evidence of negligence, incapacity, intoxication, or other just cause.

Appointment of pilots.

—compensation.
—shall be licensed.

—tenure of office.

Section 4. All acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed.

—inconsistent acts repealed.

Approved April 1, 1915.

Chapter 185.

An Act Authorizing the Mousam Water Company to Increase Its Capital Stock and to Contract with the City of Biddeford for Hydrant Service.

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

The Mousam Water Company is hereby authorized to increase its capital stock one hundred thousand dollars for the purposes and in the manner and subject to the restrictions provided in sections thirty-five and thirty-six of chapter one hundred twenty-nine, of the Public Laws of nineteen hundred thirteen, as amended, for the regulation and control of public utilities; and the city of Biddeford is hereby authorized to contract with said company for hydrant service in that part of said city known as Biddeford Pool and Fortune's Rocks. Said

Mousam Water Company may increase its capital stock.