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OF THE

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1917

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nominated by the city clerk as hereinbefore provided, and the offices and terms for which they are candidates, as they are to appear on the official ballots to be used at such election. He shall also, at the same time, cause the chief of police or a police officer to post a copy of said call for election and list of candidates, printed in like form, at all the polling places in the city, and make return of his doings.'

Sec. 5. P. & S. L., 1913, c. 24, amended. Section twenty-four of said act is hereby amended by adding the following: 'or by declaration of the city clerk,' at the end of said section, so that the last sentence of said section shall read as follows:

'Name of persons declared nominated by city clerk to be printed on ballot. The name of no candidate other than that of the person whose removal is sought shall be printed on the official ballots to be used at such election, unless such candidate be nominated as hereinbefore provided at a preliminary election for nominations, or by declaration of the city clerk.'

Sec. 6. Referendum provision. This act shall take effect as to the city of Gardiner upon its acceptance by a majority of the voters of the city of Gardiner voting thereon at the first special or annual election of the city of Gardiner that is held for any purpose at which this act may be legally voted upon. The vote shall be taken by ballot in answer to the question: "Shall an Act passed by the legislature in the year nineteen hundred seventeen entitled 'An Act to Amend Chapter Two Hundred Forty-Four, entitled "An Act to Provide a Charter for the City of Gardiner" of the Private and Special Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen,' be accepted?" which shall be printed on the official ballot.

Sec. 7. Referendum not applicable to Sec. 16. This act shall take effect in ninety days after the final adjournment of the legislature, so far as is necessary for the election as authorized by section six.

Approved March 29, 1917.

Chapter 127.

An Act to Extend the Charter of the Casco Bay Water Company.

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

Sec. 1. Charter extended two years. The charter granted to the Casco Bay Water Company by chapter two hundred seventy-four of the private and special laws of nineteen hundred eleven is hereby extended for two years from the time this act takes effect.

Sec. 2. Existing statutes continued in force. Nothing herein contained is intended to repeal or shall be construed as repealing the whole or any part of any existing statute. And all the rights and duties herein mentioned shall be exercised and performed in accordance with all the applicable provisions of chapter fifty-five of the revised statutes.

Approved March 29, 1917.