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CHAP. 76

'Sec. 35. City council may lay out sidewalks; may cause buildings to be removed for purpose of widening streets. The city council may lay out and establish sidewalks without the limits, and by the sides of any of the public highways, of such width as they shall judge the public convenience to require, which shall be used exclusively for sidewalks, and any damages arising from said laying out shall be appraised for the easement of a sidewalk, in manner provided by this charter for appraising damages on roads laid out in said city; and the laying out and establishing said sidewalks may be conditional in relation to any portion thereof which may be covered with buildings, that when said buildings are removed therefrom the same shall be used as a sidewalk and the damages appraised shall not be payable until said buildings are removed; provided, however, that said city may at any time remove said buildings, and the damages caused thereby shall be appraised in the manner provided for appraising damages caused by the laying out and widening roads in said city.'

'Sec. 36. General meetings of citizens may be called on petition of thirty qualified voters. General meetings of the citizens qualified to vote in city affairs, may, from time to time, be held to consult upon the public good; to instruct their representatives, and to take all lawful measures to obtain redress of any grievances according to the right secured to the people by the constitution of this state; and such meetings may, and shall be duly warned by the mayor and aldermen upon the requisition of thirty qualified voters of said city.'

'Sec. 37. Inconsistent acts modified to conform. All existing acts, public and private, and all ordinances of the city of Augusta inconsistent herewith, are hereby modified so as to conform to the provisions of this act.'

Approved March 26, 1919.

Chapter 76.

An Act Authorizing the Clark Power Company to Construct and Maintain a Dam or Dams on Saco Waters in the Cities of Saco and Biddeford.

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

Authorized to construct dam across Saco river and to generate and sell electricity. The Clark Power Company, incorporated under the provisions of chapter two hundred and fifty of the private and special laws of nineteen hundred and eleven, its successors and assigns, are hereby authorized and empowered to construct and maintain a dam or dams across the Saco river and across branches, canals and waterways leading therefrom, at any point between or within the cities of Saco and Biddeford, in the county of York, upon lands now owned or hereafter acquired by said company, its successors and assigns, for the purpose of developing power for any

and all purposes, and said company and its successors and assigns are also authorized and empowered to transmit, furnish and sell electricity, generated by the water power of said river at said dam or dams, or otherwise, for power and light to the Pepperell Manufacturing Company, its successors and assigns, the York Manufacturing Company, its successors and assigns, the Cumberland County Power and Light Company, its successors and assigns, and the York County Power Company, its successors and assigns.

Approved March 26, 1919.

Chapter 77.

An Act to Incorporate the Calais Power Company.

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

Sec. 1. Corporators and name. William F. Hanson, Reed V. Jewett, and Ashley Saint Clair, their associates, successors and assigns, are hereby made a body corporate by the name of the Calais Power Company, with all the powers, rights and privileges and subject to all the duties and obligations conferred and imposed on corporations organized to sell, distribute and supply electricity for light, heat and power under the general laws of the state, except as otherwise provided herein.

Sec. 2. Authorized to construct dam on Howard Mill stream; proviso. Said company is authorized to locate, construct and maintain a dam or dams on the Howard Mill stream, in the city of Calais, county of Washington, 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 stream.

Sec. 3. Purposes. Said company is authorized and empowered to carry on the business of manufacturing, generating, distributing, selling and supplying electricity for light, heat and power for all lawful purposes in the towns of Charlotte, Baring and Robbinston and for mechanical and manufacturing purposes in the city of Calais.

Sec. 4. Additional purposes. Said corporation is further authorized to transmit, sell and supply electricity to electric light, heat and power or electric railroad companies and to any person or persons, or corporations desiring to purchase and use the same for manufacturing, or mechanical purposes at points in the towns of Calais, Baring, and Robbinston, in the county of Washington, and for the purposes specified in the first three sections of this act said corporation is hereby authorized and empowered to set, build, extend and maintain poles, lines and wires in, upon and over such streets and public ways in the towns of Calais, Baring and Robbinston