

HOUSE No. 946.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, Feb. 23, 1898.

The committee on Manufactures, to whom was referred the petition (with accompanying bill House, No. 271) of Frank L. Cady and others for legislation to authorize the Mansfield water supply district to furnish electricity for light and power, report the accompanying bill.

For the Committee,

H. L. BOUTWELL.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

In the Year One Thousand Eight Hundred and Ninety-eight.

AN ACT

To authorize the Mansfield Water Supply District to furnish
Electricity for Light and Power.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives
in General Court assembled, and by the authority of the
same, as follows:*

1 SECTION 1. The Mansfield water supply district in
2 the town of Mansfield is hereby authorized to establish
3 an electric plant and to manufacture and sell electricity
4 for light and power to the inhabitants of said town and
5 for public uses within said town, with all the powers and
6 privileges and subject to all the duties, restrictions and
7 liabilities of towns authorized to manufacture and sell
8 electricity for light and power so far as the same may be
9 applicable to said water supply district and not incon-
10 sistent with the provisions of this act.

1 SECTION 2. Said district, in order to meet the ex-
2 penses of establishing an electric plant as aforesaid, may
3 issue bonds, notes or certificates of debt, to be de-
4 nominated on the face thereof "Mansfield Electric
5 Loan," to an amount not exceeding fifteen thousand

6 dollars. Said bonds, notes or certificates of debt shall
7 be issued upon the same terms and conditions, and with
8 the same powers as are provided in chapter three hun-
9 dred and thirty-six of the acts of the year eighteen
10 hundred and eighty-six for the issue of the Mansfield
11 water loan.

1 SECTION 3. The officers of said water supply district or
2 such other officers as said district may from time to time
3 determine subject to such orders, rules and regulations
4 not inconsistent with law as said district may prescribe
5 shall, so far as is consistent with the provisions of this
6 act have and exercise all the powers and be subject to
7 all the duties of the officer provided for in section eight
8 of chapter three hundred and seventy of the acts of the
9 year eighteen hundred and ninety-one and acts amend-
10 atory thereof and supplementary thereto.

1 SECTION 4. This act shall take effect upon its passage
2 but shall become void unless accepted by the voters of
3 said water supply district as provided in section thirteen
4 of chapter three hundred and thirty-six of the acts of the
5 year eighteen hundred and eighty-six, being an act en-
6 titled "An act to supply the village of Mansfield with
7 water."

