

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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EIGHTY-FIFTH LEGISLATURE

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Legislative Document

No. 202

H. P. 594 House of Representatives, Jan. 28, 1931.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary and 500 copies ordered printed. Sent up for concurrence.

CLYDE R. CHAPMAN, Clerk.

Presented by Mr. Sturtevant of Livermore Falls.

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STATE OF MAINE

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IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD ONE THOUSAND NINE  
HUNDRED AND THIRTY-ONE

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AN ACT to amend the charter of the President and Trustees of Colby College, being an act to amend section three of the act entitled: "An act to establish a literary institution in the district of Maine within this commonwealth," passed by the general court of Massachusetts and approved February twenty seven, eighteen hundred thirteen, as amended by chapter one hundred fifty of the private and special acts of nineteen hundred three and as further amended by chapter ninety seven of the private and special acts of nineteen hundred seventeen.

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

Section 1. That section three of the act entitled: "An act to establish a literary institution in the district of Maine within this commonwealth," passed by the general court of Massachusetts and approved February twenty seven, eighteen hundred thirteen, as amended by chapter one hundred fifty of the private and special acts of nineteen hundred three, as further amended by chapter ninety seven of the private and special acts of nineteen hundred seventeen be further amended by striking out all of said section three and inserting in place thereof the following:

'Section 3: Be it further enacted, that for the more orderly conducting of the business of said corporation, the presi-

dent and trustees shall have full power and authority, from time to time as they shall determine, to elect a vice president, treasurer and secretary of said corporation, and to declare the tenure and duties of their respective offices, and also to remove any trustee from the said corporation, when, in their judgment he shall be rendered incapable by age or otherwise, of discharging the duties of his office, and to fill up all vacancies in the said corporation, by electing such persons for trustees for such terms, except as hereinafter provided, as they shall judge best; Provided, nevertheless, that the number of the said corporation, including the president of the said institution, and the treasurer for the time being, shall never be greater than thirty one, nor less than twenty one; And provided also that six of the trustees, in the manner hereinafter prescribed, shall be elected by the Alumni Association of Colby College and shall be known as Alumni Trustees. Three Trustees shall be elected by the Alumnae Association and shall be known as Alumnae Trustees. Each of said Alumni and Alumnae Trustees shall be elected for terms of six years, in such manner and with such conditions of eligibility as the said Alumni and Alumnae Associations may respectively determine. Said Trustees shall be chosen as follows: beginning with the year, nineteen hundred thirty one, the Alumni and Alumnae Associations shall each elect annually one Alumni and one Alumnae Trustee whose successors shall be chosen by such Associations to take office at the expiration of the terms of such Trustees so elected. Both the Alumni and Alumnae Associations shall have the right to fill vacancies among their respective Trustees for unexpired terms. Nothing herein shall be construed to abridge the terms of said Alumni Trustees now in office.'

So that section, as amended, shall read as follows:

'Section 3: Be it further enacted, that for the more orderly conducting of the business of said corporation, the president and trustees shall have full power and authority, from time to time as they shall determine, to elect a vice president, treasurer and secretary of said corporation, and to declare the tenure and duties of their respective offices, and also to remove any trustee from the said corporation, when in their judgment he shall be rendered incapable by age or otherwise, of discharging the duties of his office, and to fill up all

vacancies in the said corporation, by electing such persons for trustees for such terms, except as hereinafter provided, as they shall judge best: Provided, nevertheless, that the number of the said corporation, including the president of the said institution, and the treasurer for the time being, shall never be greater than thirty one, nor less than twenty one; And provided also that six of the trustees, in the manner hereinafter prescribed, shall be elected by the Alumni Association of Colby College and shall be known as Alumni Trustees. Three Trustees shall be elected by the Alumnae Association and shall be known as Alumnae Trustees. Each of said Alumni and Alumnae Trustees shall be elected for terms of six years, in such manner and with such conditions of eligibility as the said Alumni and Alumnae Associations may respectively determine. Said Trustees shall be chosen as follows: beginning with the year, nineteen hundred thirty one, the Alumni and Alumnae Associations shall each elect annually one Alumni and one Alumnae Trustee whose successors shall be chosen by such Associations to take office at the expiration of the terms of such Trustees so elected. Both the Alumni and Alumnae Associations shall have the right to fill vacancies among their respective Trustees for unexpired terms. Nothing herein shall be construed to abridge the terms of said Alumni Trustees now in office.'