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MAINE CONGREGATIONAL CHARITABLE SOCIETY.

Chapter 292.

An Act to amend an act, entitled "An Act to incorporate the Maine Congregational haritable Society."

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in Legislature assembled, as follows:

Section one of chapter forty-five of the special Sec. 1, ch. 45, Special Laws, SECT. 1. laws of eighteen hundred and twenty-nine, is hereby amended ^{1c29}. by inserting after the word "relieving," in the fourteenth line thereof, the following words 'aged or infirm congregational ministers and,' so that said section as amended, shall read as follows:

'SECT. 1. Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Rep- Corporators. resentatives, in Legislature assembled, that Allen Greely, Bennet Tyler, David Thurston, Thaddeus Pomeroy, Asa Mead and Charles Freeman, their associates and successors, be and they hereby are constituted a body politic and corporate, by the name of the Maine Congregational Charitable $\frac{-corporate}{name}$. Society, with power to prosecute and defend suits at law; to privileges. have and use a common seal; to make and establish any by-laws for the management of their affairs, not repugnant to the laws of the state; to take and hold any estate, real or personal, for the purpose of relieving aged or infirm congregational ministers, and the indigent widows and children of deceased congregational ministers, and to give, grant, bargain or sell the same; and with all the powers and privileges usually granted to other societies, instituted for purposes of charity and beneficence; provided, that the value of the real -may hold real estate. estate of said corporation shall never exceed forty thousand dollars, and the annual income of the whole estate of said corporation shall not exceed twenty thousand dollars.'

SECT. 2. This act shall take effect when approved.

Approved January 25, 1889.