

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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# Acts and Resolves

As Passed by the

## Seventy-Eighth Legislature

OF THE

# STATE OF MAINE

1917

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Seventy-Seventh Legislature held in 1916.

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Private and Special Laws

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**CHAP. 162**

inefficiency or other cause at any time by the mayor, by and with the consent of the board of aldermen.

**Sec. 6. P. & S. L., 1909, c. 369 and inconsistent statutes, repealed.** Chapter three hundred sixty-nine of the private and special laws of nineteen hundred nine and all ordinances of the city of Portland inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed.

Approved April 3, 1917.

## Chapter 162.

An Act to Provide for Card Index for Probate Registry of Aroostook County.

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

**Card index of papers and books in probate office, Aroostook County.** The county commissioners of Aroostook county, together with the register of probate for said county, are hereby authorized to make a card index of all papers and books in the probate office of said county, the cost of such index to be paid for by the county.

Approved April 3, 1917.

## Chapter 163.

An Act to Amend Chapter Four Hundred and Fifty-two of the Private and Special Laws of Eighteen Hundred and Ninety-seven, Relating to the Trustees of the Fund for the Support of the Episcopate of the Protestant Episcopal Church in the Diocese of Maine.

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

**P. & S. L., 1897, c. 452, § 1, par. two, amended.** Paragraph two of section one of chapter four hundred and fifty-two of the private and special laws of eighteen hundred and ninety-seven, relating to the trustees of the fund for the support of the Episcopate of the Protestant Episcopal church in the diocese of Maine, is hereby amended by striking out the word "two" in the fourth line of said section, and inserting in place thereof the word 'five', so that said paragraph as amended shall read as follows:

**'Sec. 1. Amount of real and personal estate that may be held increased to \$500,000.** The trustees of the diocesan funds in the diocese of Maine shall have power to take and hold real and personal estate contributed for parochial endowments or other church purposes, to the amount of five hundred thousand dollars, and to manage and dispose of the same in accordance with the terms of the several gifts, grants, or endowments, and said trustees shall keep an account with each endowment or gift comprising said fund, and report their doings in managing the same and the condition thereof, to the convention of the diocese annually.'

Approved April 3, 1917.