

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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AS PASSED BY THE

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OF THE

STATE OF MAINE

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## Chapter 27.

AN ACT to Authorize the Old Town Herbert Gray School District to Refund Any of Its Bonds Falling Due in the Years 1933 and 1934.

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

P. & S. L., 1925, c. 78, relating to Old Town Herbert Gray School District authorized to refund certain bonds. The Old Town Herbert Gray School District, a quasi-municipal corporation created by chapter 78 of the private and special laws of 1925, is hereby authorized and empowered to refund any of its serial bonds falling due during the years 1933 and 1934 for a period of not exceeding 20 years, upon such terms and conditions as the trustees of said district may determine.

Approved March 13, 1933.

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## Chapter 28.

AN ACT Relating to Police Pensions in the City of Portland.

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

P. & S. L., 1927, c. 75, § 1, amended. Section 1 of chapter 75 of the private and special laws of 1927 is hereby amended to read as follows:

'Sec. 1. The city of Portland is hereby authorized to provide, by ordinance, for the retirement, upon pension not exceeding half pay, of all the members of its police force, including the chief of police, deputy chief of police, captains, lieutenants, sergeants and patrolmen, who have been honorably discharged from the police force by reason of,

First: having served on said police force not less than 25 consecutive years, or

Second: having served on the police force not less than 20 consecutive years and having reached the age of 65 years, or

Third: having been permanently disabled in the performance of duty.'

Approved March 13, 1933.

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## Chapter 29.

AN ACT Authorizing the Town of Bristol to Raise Money for the Purpose of Helping Keep in Repair the Cemeteries in Said Town.

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

Authorized to raise money for care of cemeteries; how expended. The inhabitants of the town of Bristol, a municipal corporation in the county

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of Lincoln, are hereby authorized to raise money, under an appropriate article in the town warrant, to help keep in good repair and condition all monuments, headstones, markers and graves in any or all of the cemeteries of said town and also to keep all bushes and grass cut and the trees and shrubs properly trimmed. The sums so raised may be expended by the said town or its servants or agents or by a committee consisting of citizens thereof, and any church organization or society interested in keeping such burying ground in proper condition and repair.

Approved March 13, 1933.

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## Chapter 30.

### AN ACT to Incorporate the Maine Reinsurance Company.

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

**Sec. 1. Corporators; corporate name; general authority.** In order to provide additional opportunity for sound insurance on farm property and to enable the existing domestic fire companies to function more efficiently and economically in respect to rural risks, Thomas C. White of Lewiston, Jacob B. Ham of Lewiston, Harvey F. McGlauffin of Presque Isle, Dana O. Dudley of Woodstock and Alton C. Wheeler of Auburn are hereby made a body corporate by the name of the Maine Reinsurance Company and by that name shall sue and be sued; may have a common seal, establish by-laws, rules and regulations for the management of its affairs not repugnant to this charter and the laws of this state, and may purchase, hold and convey all such property, real and personal, as may be deemed necessary for the use and accommodation of the business of the company and generally do and perform all legal acts incident to similar corporations.

**Sec. 2. Purposes and powers.** In addition to the general purposes named in section 1 the powers of said corporation shall be to make insurance, upon the stock or mutual principle, for a term, not exceeding 7 years, on dwelling houses, stores, shops and other buildings, and on household furniture, merchandise and other property, against loss or damage by fire originating in any cause other than by design on the part of the assured, and to write and effect fire reinsurance in any form.

**Sec. 3. Location.** The said corporation shall be located and have its legal location in the city of Auburn, in the county of Androscoggin and state of Maine.

**Sec. 4. Provisions as to capital and guaranty fund.** Before issuing any policies of insurance said corporation shall establish a guaranty fund or capital of not less than \$10,000 which shall have all the characteristics and