

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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Sixty-Fifth Legislature.

HOUSE.

No. 57.

STATE OF MAINE.

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD ONE THOUSAND EIGHT HUNDRED
AND NINETY-ONE.

AN ACT to incorporate the Maine Homœopathic
Hospital.

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

SECTION 1. Geo. S. Hunt, John E. DeWitt, W.
2 G. Davis, Fred E. Richards, Geo. W. Woodman,
3 Joseph W. Symonds, S. C. Strout, S. C. Dyer,
4 Chas. S. Fobes, A. A. Strout, D. W. Clark, James
5 N. Winslow, Lyman N. Cousins, H. C. Peabody,
6 S. E. Sylvester, M. C. Pingree, J. W. Whidden,
7 E. F. Vose, Geo. A. Clark, their associates and
8 successors, are hereby incorporated and made a

9 body politic by the name of the Maine Homeopathic
10 Hospital, and by that name may sue and be sued,
11 have a common seal, and have all the immunities
12 and privileges of like corporations. Said corpor-
13 ators and their associates shall have power to vote
14 in associate corporators, but no personal liability
15 shall attach to said corporators by reason of any
16 acts of said corporation.

SECT. 2. Said corporation may take, receive,
2 purchase, hold and possess land and tenements in
3 fee simple or otherwise, and dispose of and sell
4 the same, and may receive of and from all persons
5 and corporations disposed to aid in its benevolent
6 purposes, any grants and devises of real estate, and
7 any donations, subscriptions and bequests of money
8 and other property to be used for the erection,
9 support and maintenance of a general homœopathic
10 hospital for the sick, to be erected within the city
11 of Portland.

SECT. 3. Said hospital shall be under the direc-
2 tion and management of thirteen trustees, who shall
3 be chosen annually, and shall remain in office until
4 others are chosen and qualified in their stead. Said
5 trustees shall be chosen by said corporation, and all
6 vacancies occurring in the board shall be filled by
7 the corporation.

SECT. 4. One-fourth in number of said corpora-
2 tors shall constitute a quorum for the transaction of
3 business. Said corporation shall have the power to
4 make and establish such regulations and by-laws as
5 may be necessary for the choice of all proper officers;
6 to prescribe their duties and powers, and to provide
7 generally for the internal government and economy
8 of the hospital, such by-laws not being repugnant
9 to the laws of this State.

SECT. 5. The governor of the State, the presi-
2 dent of the senate, the speaker of the house of
3 representatives and the mayor of the city of Port-
4 land, for the time being, shall be a board of visit-
5 ors of the said hospital, with authority to visit the
6 same annually, and as much oftener as they think
7 proper, to inspect the establishment and the actual
8 condition of the sick therein, to examine the by-laws
9 and regulations of the corporation, and generally
10 to see that the design of the institution is carried
11 into effect.

SECT. 6. The first meeting of said corporation
2 shall be called by any three of said corporators by
3 publication of the notice of the time and place of
4 such meeting, in one of the daily papers published
5 in Portland, Lewiston, Bath, Augusta and Bangor,

6 said publication to be at least seven days before the
7 time of said meeting.

SECT. 7. This act shall take effect when
2 approved.

STATE OF MAINE.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
February 5, 1891.

Tabled pending first reading, by Mr. DRUMMOND of Portland, and
ordered printed.

W. S. COTTON, *Clerk.*