

# Sixty-Eighth Legislature.

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## STATE OF MAINE.

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

AN ACT to extend the rights and powers of the corporation organized December 16, 1892, under the Revised Statutes of Maine, chapter 55, as "The Bangor General Hospital" and now named "Eastern Maine General Hospital."

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

Section 1. The organization of said corporation as now 2 existing, is hereby ratified, confirmed and made valid.

Sect. 2. The change of name to "Eastern Maine General 2 Hospital" is hereby ratified, confirmed and made valid, but 3 all gifts, bequests or devises under either name shall be 4 valid and binding, and the trustees shall have the power

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5 to cause proper transfers and conveyances to be made in 6 order to place title in the proper name.

Sect. 3. In addition to the trustees elected by the cor-2 poration, there shall be three trustees chosen by the board 3 of visitors, hereinafter provided for, and said board shall 4 have sole power of removal of, and of filling vacancies 5 among said three trustees.

Sect. 4. The governor of the State, the president of the 2 Senate and the speaker of the House of Representatives, 3 for the time being, shall constitute a "board of visitors" of 4 said hospital, with authority to inspect the condition of the 5 institution and its patients, examine its by-laws, records and 6 regulations, and generally to investigate its affairs, and see 7 that the design of the institution is carried into effect, and 8 the bounty of the State well and judiciously expended.

Sect. 5. Said corporation may receive and hold property 2 and estate to any amount, whether real, personal or mixed, 3 whether now owned by it or which may hereafter be pur-4 chased by, or given, granted, bequeathed or devised to it 5 for hospital purposes, and by it thus accepted.

Sect. 6. This act shall take effect when approved.



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IN HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, February 17, 1897.

Reported by Mr. STETSON of Bangor, from Committee on Financial Affairs, and ordered printed under joint rules.

W. S. COTTON, Clerk.