

NEW DRAFT.

Sixty-Eighth Legislature.

HOUSE.

No. 221.

STATE OF MAINE.

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

AN ACT to amend chapter 229 of the Private and Special Laws of 1849, entitled "An Act incorporating the trustees of the fund for the support of the Episcopate of the Protestant Episcopal Church in the diocese of Maine," as amended by chapter 311 of the laws of 1864, as amended by chapter 214 of the laws of 1880, and as amended by chapter 106 of the laws of 1895.

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

Section 1. Chapter 229 of the Private and Special Laws of 2 1849, as amended by chapter 311 of the laws of 1864, as 3 amended by chapter 214 of the laws of 1880, and as amended

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4 by chapter 106 of the laws of 1895, is hereby further amended5 so as to read as follows:

'Section I. The trustees of the diocesan funds in the dio-7 cese of Maine shall have power to take and hold real and 8 personal estate contributed for parochial endowments or 9 other church purposes to the amount of two hundred thou-10 sand dollars and to manage and dispose of the same in 11 accordance with the terms of the several gifts, grants or 12 endowments, and said trustees shall keep an account with 13 each endowment or gift comprising said fund and report 14 their doings in managing the same and the condition thereof 15 to the convention of the diocese annually.'

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

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IN HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,

March 4, 1897.

Reported by Mr. HILL of Portland, from Committee on Legal Affairs, and ordered printed under joint rules.

W. S. COTTON, Clerk.