

NEW DRAFT.

Seventieth Legislature.

HOUSE.

No. 387

STATE OF MAINE.

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD ONE THOUSAND NINE HUNDRED AND ONE.

AN ACT to amend chapter one hundred and sixty-seven of the laws of 1858, incorporating Mount Hope Cemetery corporation.

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

Section 1. Section two of chapter one hundred and sixty-2 seven of the laws of 1858 incorporating Mt. Hope Cemetery 3 Corporation is hereby amended by striking out the words "not 4 exceeding twenty-five thousand dollars" so that said section 5 as amended shall read as follws:

'Sect. 2. Said corporation may take and hold in fee simple 7 the grounds of the cemetery of Mount Hope aforesaid, and

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8 any other lands that may be convenient for cemetery purposes 9 in the neighborhood thereof, and may also take and hold 10 any personal estate, to be applied to purposes connected with 11 and appropriate to the objects of said corporation.'

Sect. 2. Section 9 of said chapter is hereby amended by ad-2 ding at the end of said section the following words, 'any and 3 all lots on the public grounds of said cemetery are included 4 in said provision, the said corporation being hereby author-5 ized to receive monies in trust for the said lots, in all respects 6 the same as aforesaid provided,' so that said section as 7 amended shall read as follows:

'Sect. 9. Said corporation may take and hold any grant, 9 donation or bequest of property, upon trust, to apply the in-10 come thereof, under the direction of the executive committee, 11 for the improvement of said cemetery, or any lots therein, 12 or of any buildings, structures or fences erected or being 13 erected upon the lands of said corporation, or of any indi-14 vidual proprietor of a lot in the cemetery, or for the repair, 15 preservation or renewal of any tomb, monument, gravestone, 16 fence or railing, or other erection in or around any cemetery 17 lot, or for the planting and cultivation of trees, shrubs, flow-18 ers or plants, in or about any cemetery lot, according to the 19 terms of such grant, donation or bequest; and the supreme 20 judicial court shall have full powers and jurisdiction, to com-21 pel the due performance of said trusts, or any of them, upon 22 a bill filed by a proprietor of any lot in the said cemetery, 23 for that purpose.

Any and all lots on the public grounds of said cemtery 25 are embraced in said provision, the said corporation being 26 hereby authorized to receive monies in trust for the said lots, 27 in all respect the same as aforesaid provided.'

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IN HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,

AUGUSTA, March 13, 1901.

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

W. S. COTTON, Clerk.