

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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Seventy-first Legislature.

HOUSE.

No. 136

STATE OF MAINE.

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

AN ACT authorizing the city of Rockland to accept donations of money and property to establish and maintain a free public library in Rockland, and to accept conveyances of land for a site therefor.

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

Section 1. The city of Rockland is hereby authorized to
2 receive and accept donations and bequests of money and
3 property to an amount not exceeding one hundred thousand
4 dollars for the purpose of establishing and maintaining a free
5 public library in said Rockland, and of erecting a suitable
6 building therefor, and also to accept conveyances of land for
7 a site for said building, which shall be forever held by said

8 city for the purpose aforesaid. And all acts and votes of
9 said city, or of the city council, for the establishment and
10 maintenance of a free public library in said city are hereby
11 ratified and confirmed, and made valid.

Sect. 2. The management and control of said library, and
2 of the buildings and grounds connected therewith, shall be
3 vested in a board of trustees, to be designated "trustees of the
4 Rockland Public Library," consisting of the mayor, who shall
5 be *ex officio* a member thereof, and of such a number of other
6 trustees, inhabitants of the city of Rockland, as the city coun-
7 cil may determine upon, to be elected by ballot in joint con-
8 vention, all of whom shall serve as trustees without compen-
9 sation.

Sect. 3. All acts or parts of acts inconsistent with this act
2 are hereby repealed.

Sect. 4. This act shall take effect when approved.

STATE OF MAINE.

IN HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,

AUGUSTA, February 18, 1903.

Reported by Mr. LITTLEFIELD of Rockland, from Committee on the
Judiciary, and ordered printed under joint rules.

W. S. COTTON, *Clerk.*