

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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Seventy-first Legislature.

HOUSE.

No. 140

STATE OF MAINE.

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

AN ACT to amend the charter of the Northport Wesleyan Grove
Campmeeting Association.

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

Section 1. Chapter three hundred and nineteen of the
2 Private and Special Laws of the State of Maine, for the year
3 eighteen hundred and seventy-three, being an act to incorpo-
4 rate the Northport Wesleyan Grove Campmeeting Associa-
5 tion, as amended by chapter four hundred and fifty-eight of
6 the Private and Special Laws of the State of Maine, for the
7 year nineteen hundred and one, is hereby further amended by
8 adding after the word "same" in the twentieth line of section
9 one, the following words, 'and to erect and maintain fences

10 on all lines bounding the lands of the association, with gates
11 at public entrances, with full power to control the same;’ and
12 to add to said section after the word “state” in the twenty-
13 seventh line, the following words, ‘and the association is
14 authorized to appoint a health officer whose jurisdiction shall
15 be within the bounds of the lands of the said association in
16 the town of Northport, who shall have authority to act, and
17 be subject to the same restrictions, as is provided by statute
18 with reference to local health officers;’ so that said section
19 as amended, shall read as follows :

‘Sect. 1. Isaac H. W. Wharff, Henry B. Dunbar, Frank H.
21 Nickerson, Norris E. Bragg, Gardner L. Ferrand, Nathan
22 A. Nickerson and Thomas F. Jones, trustees, their associates
23 and successors ; the preachers of the East Maine Conference
24 of the Methodist Episcopal church, their associates and suc-
25 cessors ; with one representative from each Methodist Episco-
26 pal church or society having a cottage or lot on the camp-
27 ground, said representative to be elected or selected as set
28 forth in section two of this act, are hereby constituted a body
29 politic and corporate by the name of the Northport Wesleyan
30 Grove Campmeeting Association, with full power by that
31 name to sue and be sued, to plead and be impleaded, to take
32 and hold by gift or purchase, property, real and personal, to
33 the amount not exceeding fifty thousand dollars, to build and
34 maintain streets, paths, walks, by-ways, parks, and sewers for
35 the drainage of cottages and lands situated within the bounds
36 of the lands of said association and full power to control the
37 same ; and to erect and maintain fences on all lines bounding
38 the lands of the association, with gates at public entrances,

39 with full power to control the same; with full control over
40 the laying of all pipes for furnishing water or gas, and set-
41 ting poles for supplying electricity for any purposes what-
42 soever, and also full control of establishing of all electric
43 railroads within the bounds of the property of said associa-
44 tion, to sell and convey the same and to establish such by-laws
45 and regulations as are necessary for the further and proper
46 management of their affairs, consistent with the laws of the
47 State. And said association is authorized to appoint a
48 health officer whose jurisdiction shall be within the bounds
49 of the lands of said association in the town of Northport, who
50 shall have the same authority to act, and be subject to the
51 same restrictions, as are provided by statute with reference to
52 local health officers.

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

STATE OF MAINE.

IN HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,

AUGUSTA, February 18, 1903.

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

W. S. COTTON, *Clerk.*