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SEVENTY-FIFTH LEGISLATURE

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*In Senate March 21, 1911.*

*Reported by Mr. Gowell from Committee on Judiciary and ordered printed under joint rules.*

*W. C. HANSON, Secretary.*

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STATE OF MAINE

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

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AN ACT to amend section four of chapter fifty-seven of the Revised Statutes relating to the organization of libraries and charitable societies.

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*Be it enacted by the People of the State of Maine, as follows:*

Section 1. Section 4 of chapter 57 of the Revised Statutes is hereby amended so that said section, as amended, shall read as follows:

'Sect. 4. Before commencing business the president, treasurer and majority of the directors or trustees of every corporation organized under the foregoing sections shall prepare a certificate setting forth the name and purpose of the corporation, the town where located, the number and names of the officers, and shall sign and make oath to it; and after it has been examined by the Attorney General, and been by

11 him certified to be properly drawn and signed and to be  
12 conformable to the constitution and laws, it shall be recorded  
13 in the registry of deeds in the county where said corporation  
14 is located, in a book kept for that purpose, and within sixty  
15 days after the day of the meeting at which such corporation  
16 is organized, a copy thereof certified by such register shall  
17 be filed in the secretary of state's office, who shall enter the  
18 date of filing thereon, and on the original certificate to be  
19 kept by the corporation, and shall record said copy in a book  
20 kept for that purpose. No fee shall be hereunder required  
21 by the attorney general or secretary of state, but registers  
22 of deeds shall receive for recording such certificate the fees  
23 provided by section eighteen of chapter one hundred seven-  
24 teen of the Revised Statutes.'