

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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SEVENTY-SEVENTH LEGISLATURE

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SENATE

NO. 330

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*In Senate, March 12, 1915.*

*Reported by Sen. Durgin from Committee on Judiciary, and  
ordered printed under joint rules.*

*W. E. LAWRY, Secretary.*

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STATE OF MAINE

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

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AN ACT to amend Chapter 211 of the Private and Special  
Laws of 1911, relating to the Congregational Conference and  
Missionary Society of Maine.

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

The second paragraph of section 1, chapter 211, of the  
2 private and special laws approved March 28, 1911, is hereby  
3 amended by striking out the words "two hundred thousand  
4 dollars" in the seventh line, and inserting in lieu thereof the  
5 words 'five hundred thousand dollars,' so that said para-  
6 graph as amended shall read as follows:

'This corporation may be appointed to act as trustee or  
8 custodian of any trust property devised or bequeathed to  
9 any church, parish, or other religious bodies or associations;

10 and it is authorized and empowered generally to receive,  
11 take, and hold by deed, devise, bequest, gift, or otherwise,  
12 whether heretofore or hereafter made, both personal and  
13 real estate, in trust or as donee, to the amount of five hun-  
14 dred thousand dollars to be used and applied in promoting  
15 and securing the objects and purposes of this corporation,  
16 but in so holding, managing and selling or otherwise deal-  
17 ing with the trust property of this corporation, it shall act  
18 through and by a board of three trustees who shall be nomi-  
19 nated by the board of directors and shall be elected by the  
20 corporation, and whose duty it shall be to receive, hold,  
21 manage, invest, re-invest and disburse all trust funds and  
22 the income therefrom which may belong to the corporation  
23 under the direction of the board of directors as provided by  
24 the by-laws, but in accordance with and under the provisions  
25 of the gift and acceptance of such trust property.'