

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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EIGHTY-FIRST LEGISLATURE

HOUSE

NO. 194

House of Representatives, February 26, 1923.

Referred to Committee on Legal Affairs and 500 copies ordered printed. Sent up for concurrence.

CLYDE R. CHAPMAN; Clerk.

Presented by Mr. Boulter of Kittery.

STATE OF MAINE

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

AN ACT to Amend Section Fifty-eight of Chapter Four of the Revised Statutes, Relating to the Purposes for Which Cities and Towns May Raise Money.

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

Section fifty-eight of chapter four of the revised statutes
2 is hereby amended by adding to said section the following:
3 'They may also raise money to be expended under the di-
4 rection of the American Legion for the observance of Arm-
5 istice Day or any other day set apart by said American
6 Legion as a memorial day, or for such other patriotic pur-
7 poses as the local branch of the American Legion may de-
8 termine,' so that said section as amended shall read as fol-
9 lows:

'Sect. 58. *Other purposes for which cities and towns may*
2 *raise money. R. S., c. 4, #72. 1905, c. 96. 1909, c. 160.*
3 *1915, c. 280.* Cities and towns may raise money to procure
4 the writing and publication of their histories, to celebrate
5 any centennial or other anniversary of the settlement or
6 incorporation of such city or town, and to publish the pro-
7 ceedings of any such celebration; to defray the expenses
8 of the observance of Memorial day, firemen's memorial
9 Sunday, and of old home week; and a sum not exceeding
10 five thousand dollars in any one town for erecting a suit-
11 able monument in memory of the soldiers and sailors who
12 sacrificed their lives in defense of their country in the war
13 of eighteen hundred and sixty-one, and a reasonable sum
14 to secure, grade and care for a lot appropriate for such a
15 monument. They may also raise money to be expended for
16 exterminating or controlling brown-tail and gipsy moths and
17 other insect pests.

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