

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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**EIGHTY-SECOND LEGISLATURE**

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**S. P. No. 59**

**S. D. No. 44**

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In Senate, Jan. 29, 1925.

Referred to Committee on Towns and 1000 copies ordered printed. Sent down for concurrence.

ROYDEN V. BROWN, Secretary.

Presented by Senator Hussey of Aroostook.

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**STATE OF MAINE**

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

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AN ACT Relating to Purposes for which Cities and Towns  
May Raise Money.

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

Section fifty-eight of chapter four of the revised statutes,  
2 as amended by chapter one hundred thirty-eight of the pub-  
3 lic laws of nineteen hundred nineteen, and as amended by  
4 chapter one hundred one of the public laws of nineteen  
5 hundred twenty-three, is hereby further amended by insert-  
6 ing after the word "week" in the sixth line thereof the  
7 following words: 'to hire a public nurse, to subsidize a  
8 physician to induce him or her to settle in said town, and  
9 to aid in the maintenance of a hospital'; so that said section  
10 as amended shall read as follows:

'Sect. 58. Cities and towns may raise money to procure  
2 the writing and publication of their histories, to celebrate  
3 any centennial or other anniversary of the settlement or  
4 incorporation of such city or town, and to publish the pro-  
5 ceedings of any such celebration; to defray the expenses  
6 of the observance of memorial day, armistice day, or any  
7 other day set apart for patriotic commemoration, firemen's  
8 memorial Sunday, and of old home week; to hire a public  
9 nurse, to subsidize a physician to induce him or her to settle  
10 in said town, and to aid in the maintenance of a hospital;  
11 and a sum not exceeding five thousand dollars in any one  
12 town for erecting a suitable monument in memory of the  
13 soldiers and sailors who sacrificed their lives in defense of  
14 their country in the war of eighteen hundred and sixty-one,  
15 and a reasonable sum to secure, grade and care for a lot  
16 appropriate for such a monument. They may also raise  
17 money to be expended for exterminating or controlling  
18 brown tail and gipsy moths and other insect pests.'