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NINETY-THIRD LEGISLATURE

Legislative Document

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S. P. 200

In Senate, February 6, 1947

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary, sent down for concurrence and ordered printed.

CHESTER T. WINSLOW, Secretary

Presented by Senator Barnes of Aroostook.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED FORTY-SEVEN

AN ACT Amending the Acts Which Constitute the Charter of Colby College, Formerly Colby University.

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

- P. & S. L., 1813, c. CXXXI, § 4, relating to the establishing of a literary institution in Maine, amended. Section 4 of chapter CXXXI enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in general court assembled of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, and approved by the Governor, February 27, 1813, entitled "An act to establish a literary institution in the district of Maine within this Commonwealth", as amended by chapter 17 of the private and special laws of 1931 (Maine), is hereby further amended to read as follows:
- 'Sec. 4. Powers of corporation. Be it further enacted, That the said corporation may have one common seal, which they may change, break, or renew, at their pleasure; and that all deeds signed and delivered by the treasurer, and sealed with their seal, by the order of the corporation, shall, when made in their corporate name, be considered in law as the deed of the said corporation; and that the said corporation may sue and be sued, in all actions, real, personal, and mixed, and may prosecute and defend the same to final judgment and execution, by the name of the President and Trustees of Colby College; and that said corporation shall be capable of

having, holding, and taking in fee simple, or any less estate, by gift, grant, devise, or otherwise, any lands, tenements, or other estates, real or personal. Meetings of the board of trustees of said corporation shall be held at such times and places within the state of Maine as the by-laws of said corporation may designate, or as may be decided upon by the chairman and secretary of said board; provided, however, that one meeting each year may be held on such a day and at such place, either in or out of Maine, as may be designated by the chairman and secretary of said board.'