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CHAP. 92.**Chapter 92.**

An act to authorize cities and towns to hold money in trust for certain useful purposes.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in Legislature assembled, as follows :*

Cities or towns authorized to receive money in trust for certain purposes.

SECT. 1. Any city or town is authorized to receive money, by donation or legacy, in trust, for benevolent, religious, or educational purposes; *provided* that the city or town, in its appropriate mode of legal procedure, shall give its consent.

Interest shall be allowed if fund be used.

SECT. 2. Interest shall be allowed if the fund shall be used by the city or town; otherwise it shall be placed at interest or income, the city or town being hereby made responsible for its security.

Fund, how applied.

SECT. 3. The city or town, by its officers or agents, shall apply the fund or its income in accordance with the written directions of the donor or testator, made known at the time the fund was accepted.

—to revert to donor in case city or town fail to apply the same.

SECT. 4. If the city or town shall fail to apply the fund or its income at the times and for the purposes prescribed in said directions, it shall revert to the donor, if living; if deceased, to his heirs.

Approved February 1, 1873.

**Chapter 93.**

An act to increase the salaries of the judge and the register of probate in the county of Androscoggin.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in Legislature assembled, as follows :*

Salary of judge of probate increased.

SECT. 1. The salary of the judge of probate in the county of Androscoggin be and the same is hereby increased to three hundred and fifty dollars, instead of three hundred, being the sum now established by law; also the salary of the register of probate in said county be and the same is hereby increased to five hundred dollars, instead of four hundred, being the sum now established by law.

—register of probate increased.

SECT. 2. All acts, and parts of acts, inconsistent with the provisions of this act be, and the same are hereby repealed.

Certain acts repealed.

SECT. 3. This act shall take effect when approved.

Approved February 1, 1873.