

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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**Chapter 93.**

An Act to authorize Cities and Towns to accept lands and buildings as a public library or art gallery.

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

Any city or town in the state may accept by vote of the people thereof, any land or land and buildings thereon, to be used as a public library or art gallery, or both combined ; also any books, charts or maps and any funds, the income of which to be used to purchase books, maps or charts, and keep the same in order.

Cities and towns authorized to accept land, etc., for purposes of public libraries.

Approved March 11, 1887.

**Chapter 94.**

An Act for the protection of patrons of Agricultural Fairs.

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

SECT. 1. The receipts of the Maine State Agricultural Society, the Eastern Maine State Fair and all county agricultural societies, are hereby exempted from attachment, trustee process and seizure on execution until current expenses of the fair, purses and premiums awarded by the society are paid, provided that the same are paid within three months from the close of the fair.

Receipts of fairs and agricultural societies, exempt from attachment.

SECT. 2. This act shall take effect when approved.

Approved March 11, 1887.

**Chapter 95.**

An Act in reference to Cranberry Culture.

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

When dams are erected and maintained on streams not navigable, for the purposes of cranberry culture, and lands are flowaged thereby and injured by such flowage, the owners thereof shall proceed in the same manner to recover damages for such flowage, as in case of flowage by dams erected and maintained for mill purposes, as provided by chapter ninety-two of the revised statutes of the state of Maine.

Damages by flowage for cranberry culture, how ascertained.

Approved March 11, 1887.