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ACTS AND RESOLVES

OF THE

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OF THE

STATE OF MAINE.

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poration to be called, and if this charter shall be accepted at said first meeting of said corporation, by a majority of the legal voters of said corporation, then the same shall take and have complete effect in all its parts. But there shall be but one such meeting called in each year for such purpose.

Approved February 25, 1887.

**Chapter 161.**

An Act to repeal the charter of the town of Mayfield.

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

Charter of the town of Mayfield, repealed.

Proviso.

SECT. 1. The act entitled "An Act to incorporate the town of Mayfield," approved March seven, eighteen hundred and thirty-six, being chapter seventy-nine of the special laws of Maine, of the year eighteen hundred and thirty-six, is hereby repealed; provided, however, that the corporate existence, powers, duties and liabilities of said town shall survive for the purpose of prosecuting and defending all pending suits and causes of suits to which said town is or may be a party, and all claims and demands subsisting in favor of or against said town, and all needful processes growing out of the same, and for the further purpose of providing for payment of any judgment which may be recovered against said town.

Act to apply to school districts.

SECT. 2. The provisions of this act shall apply to any school district in said town, so far as the same is applicable.

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

Approved February 25, 1887.

**Chapter 162.**

An Act to incorporate the Division of Maine, Sons of Veterans.

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

Corporators.

SECT. 1. Frank P. Merrill, Augustus S. Libby, Charles H. Rice, John C. Blake, Edward K. Gould, Charles O. Wadsworth, George A. Fields, Waldo H. Perry, Horace L. Wright, Samuel H. Dill, Fred E. Pottle, David A. Friend, David O. Brown, Albert M. Pitcher, George B. Hodgdon, Edward J. Hatch, Fred W. Plaisted, their associates and successors, be

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and hereby are made a body politic and corporate by the name of the Division of Maine, Sons of Veterans of the United States of America, for the purpose and object of keeping green the memories of the soldiers of the union, and their sacrifices, for its maintenance; to aid the members of the Grand Army of the Republic in caring for helpless and disabled veterans and their widows and orphans, and to encourage the proper observance of memorial day, and also to assist needy members of the Sons of Veterans; said corporation may sue and be sued, defend and be defended, make and have all by-laws and regulations which may be necessary for the management of affairs, not repugnant to the laws of this state, and shall be vested with all the powers and privileges, and be subject to all the liabilities by law incident to corporations of a similar nature.

Corporate name.

Purposes.

By-laws.

SECT. 2. Said corporation may purchase and hold by deed, gift, bequest, devise or otherwise, real and personal estate for the purposes of said corporation, to an amount not exceeding, at any one time, ten thousand dollars, and may improve, use, sell and convey or otherwise dispose of the same.

May hold real estate.

Limit.

SECT. 3. The council of said division, namely; Edward K. Gould, Charles O. Wadsworth, George A. Fields, Waldo H. Perry, Horace L. Wright, Samuel H. Dill, Fred E. Pottle, David O. Brown, Albert M. Pitcher, David A. Friend, Charles H. Rice, Edward J. Hatch, George B. Hodgdon, and their successors in office, are hereby constituted a board of trustees to hold said property in trust, subject to the control of the same, to be determined by a majority vote of all the members present and voting at any regular meeting.

Board of Trustees.

SECT. 4. This act shall take effect when approved.

Approved February 25, 1887.