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ACTS AND RESOLVES

OF THE

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OF THE

STATE OF MAINE

1899.

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PRIVATE AND SPECIAL LAWS

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE.

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**Chapter 53.**

An Act to amend Sections one and four of Chapter four hundred and forty-five of the Special Laws of eighteen hundred and seventy-five, entitled "An Act to incorporate the Masonic Trustees of Lewiston," as amended by Chapter three hundred and fifty-four of the Private Laws of eighteen hundred and seventy-seven.

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

Section 1. Section one of chapter four hundred and forty-five of the special laws of eighteen hundred and seventy-five as amended by chapter three hundred and fifty-four of the special laws of eighteen hundred and seventy-seven is hereby amended by striking out the words, "one hundred thousand," and inserting in their place the words 'two hundred thousand,' and by striking out in the fifteenth line of said section the word "fifty" and inserting in its place the words, 'one hundred and fifty,' so that the section as amended, shall read as follows:

Section 1, chapter 445, special laws 1875, as amended by chapter 354, special laws of 1877, further amended.

'Section 1. Henry H. Dickey, William J. Burnham, Ward H. Emerson, Isaac G. Curtis, Dennison Hardin, Augustus Callahan, Joseph P. Gill, Theodore H. Varney, Fessenden I. Day, Charles A. Coombs, and their successors are hereby created a corporation by the name of the Masonic Trustees of Lewiston for the purpose of leasing, fitting up, furnishing and managing halls and other apartments for the use of the different masonic bodies in Lewiston; and for that purpose may borrow money, if they deem it necessary. And said corporation may receive by gift, grant, purchase or otherwise, and may hold real estate and personal estate and property to an amount not exceeding in value two hundred thousand dollars; and for the purpose of acquiring and holding such real and personal estate and property, may issue its bonds to an amount not to exceed one hundred and fifty thousand dollars, bearing interest at a rate not exceeding six per centum per annum.'

Corporators.

—corporate name.

—purposes.

—may issue bonds.

Section 2. Section four of chapter four hundred and forty-five of the special laws of eighteen hundred and seventy-five is hereby amended by adding thereto in the first line in said section after the word "to" the word 'build,' and by adding at the end of said section the following: 'Said trustees are further authorized to receive by gift, grant or otherwise hold money, bonds or property to be used as indicated by will or otherwise for the purpose of purchasing, repairing or keeping in repair burial lots of deceased members of the masonic fraternity.' So that said section, as amended, shall read as follows:

Section 4, chapter 445, special laws of 1875, amended.

'Section 4. Said trustees are empowered to build, take leases, effect insurance and manage the property as they deem most for

Powers.

**CHAP. 54** the interest of all concerned; they shall hold the furniture, fixtures and other personal property in trust for the bodies furnishing the means to buy them, in proportion to the amount furnished by each body; shall issue certificates to each body showing the amount furnished by it, and in making up the quarterly expenses shall add such a rate per cent per quarter upon the amount furnished as they may judge reasonable, taking into account the wear and deterioration of the property, and shall credit each body on its share of the quarter's expenses the same per cent upon the amount of the certificate held by it. Said trustees are further authorized to receive by gift, grant or otherwise hold money, bonds or property, the same to be used as indicated by will or otherwise for the purpose of purchasing, repairing or keeping in repair burial lots of deceased members of the masonic fraternity.'

Approved March 1, 1899.

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### Chapter 54.

An Act to extend the territorial limits of the Dover and Foxcroft Village Fire Company.

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

**Territorial  
limits of  
company,  
defined.**

Section 1. All that part of the territory embraced within the following bounds and limits, namely; beginning on the north side of Essex street, or Morse's road, at Morse's south-west corner, in Dover, thence running northerly on Morse's westerly line to southerly line of the Bangor and Aroostook railroad right of way, about four hundred and ten feet, thence on southerly line of said Bangor and Aroostook railroad right of way about eleven hundred and sixty feet to the east line of lot nine range one in Foxcroft, thence northerly on east line of said lot nine range one about one hundred and forty rods to the south-east corner of lot nine range two, thence northerly on east line of lot nine range two eleven hundred and fifty feet, thence westerly parallel with the south line of lots nine, ten, eleven and twelve range two to the west line of lot twelve range two, thence southerly on west line of lot twelve range two and lot twelve range one to Piscataquis river, thence down said river about one hundred rods to Charles V. Wilson's west line, thence southerly on said Wilson's west line to Pine street or road leading by the residence of Volney A. Gray, thence easterly on said Pine street to the west line of lot two range twelve in Dover, thence south-