

ACTS AND RESOLVES

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OF THE

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MAINE HISTORICAL SOCIETY.

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Chapter 206.

An Act to amend the charter of the Maine Historical Society, permitting said society to hold real and personal estate to the value of five hundred thousand dollars.

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

Section 1. Section one of chapter one hundred and eighteen of the private and special laws of eighteen hundred twenty-two is hereby amended by striking out after the word "estate," in the twenty-fifth line of said section, the words, "to an amount not exceeding the yearly value of five thousand dollars and personal estate not exceeding at any one time fifty" and inserting in lieu thereof the words 'and personal property, to an amount not exceeding five hundred,' so that said section as amended, shall read as follows:

'Section I. Be it enacted by the senate and house of representatives in legislature assembled, that William Allen, Albion K. Parris, Prentiss Mellen, William P. Preble, Ichabod Nichols, Edward Payson, Joshua Wingate, Junior, Stephen Longfellow, Junior, George Bradbury, Ashur Ware, Edward Russell, Benjamin Orr, Benjamin Hasey, William King, Daniel Rose, Benjamin Ames, Isaac Lincoln, Benjamin Vaughan, Nathan Weston, Junior, Daniel Coney, Robert H. Gardiner, Sanford Kingsbery, Eliphalet Gillet, Thomas Bond, John Merrick, Peleg Sprague, James Parker, Ariel Mann, Ebenezer T. Warren, Benjamin Tappan, Reuel Williams, James Bridge, Hezekiah Packard, Samuel E. Smith, William Abbott, Leonard Jarvis, John Wilson, William D. Williamson, Jacob McGaw, David Sewall, John Holmes, Jonathan Cogswell, Josiah W. Seaver, William A. Haves, Joseph Dane, Ether Shepley, Enoch Lincoln, Horatio G. Balch and Judah Dana, with their fellows, or associates, and successors be, and they hereby are, made a body politic and corporate, by the name of the Maine Historical Society; and by that name may sue and be sued, plead and be impleaded; and may have a common seal, which they may alter at pleasure; and may hold real estate and personal property to an amount not exceeding five hundred thousand dollars; and may choose a president, librarian, treasurer, and such other officers as they may think proper; and may make and ordain by-laws for the government of said society; provided the same are not repugnant to the constitution and laws of this state.'

Section 2. This act shall take effect when approved.

Approved March 19, 1903.

Section 1 of chapter 118, private and special laws of 1822, amended.

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