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ACTS AND RESOLVES
OF THE
SEVENTY-THIRD LEGISLATURE
OF THE
STATE OF MAINE
1907.

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RESOLVES

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE.

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Chapter 14.

Resolve in favor of the Maine Institution for the Blind.

Maine
Institution
for the
Blind,
in favor of.

Resolved, That the sum of twenty thousand dollars be and hereby is appropriated to the Maine Institution for the Blind for the year nineteen hundred and seven, and a like sum for the year nineteen hundred and eight, to be expended by the officers of said institution in the maintenance thereof and in providing suitable buildings, tools, apparatus and instructors for the beneficiaries thereof and particularly to be expended by said officers under such rules and regulations as they may prescribe for the purpose of giving to every blind or partially blind person over eighteen years of age, who is a resident of the state, practical instruction for a period not exceeding three years, in some useful occupation conducive to his or her self-support.

The officers of said institution in furtherance of the purposes of this resolve, may provide or pay for temporary lodgings and temporary support for workmen or pupils received at any industrial school or workshop established by them, and may ameliorate the condition of the blind by devising means to facilitate the circulation of books, by promoting visits among the aged or helpless blind in their homes, and by such other methods as they may deem expedient; provided, that they shall not undertake the permanent support or maintenance of any blind person at the expense of the state.

Approved February 6, 1907.

Chapter 15.

Resolve in favor of the Girl's Orphanage in the city of Lewiston under the auspices of the Sisters of Charity.

Girls'
Orphanage,
in favor of.

Resolved, That the sum of two thousand five hundred dollars be and hereby is appropriated to be paid to the society of the Sisters of Charity of the city of Lewiston for the use of said orphanage for the year nineteen hundred and seven and two thousand five hundred dollars for the use of the orphanage for the year nineteen hundred and eight.

Approved February 6, 1907.