

ACTS AND RESOLVES

OF THE

SEVENTY-SIXTH LEGISLATURE

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE

1913

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PRIVATE AND SPECIAL LAWS

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE

As Passed by the Seventy-Sixth Legislature

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MAINE BAPTIST CONVENTION .--- CORP'N SOLE.

Chapter 152.

An Act to Amend Chapter Two Hundred and Twenty of the Private and Special Laws of Eighteen Hundred and Sixty-seven, Entitled "An Act to Unite the Maine Baptist Convention and the Maine Baptist Missionary Society."

Be it enacted by the People of the State of Maine, as follows:

Chapter two hundred and twenty of the private and special laws of eighteen hundred sixty-seven is hereby amended by adding thereto the following sections, to wit:

'Section 6. Said corporation is hereby authorized and empowered to take, hold and possess any real or personal estate to the value of five hundred thousand dollars and to give and grant, bargain and sell or lease the same.'

'Section 7. All acts and proceedings of the said corporation and its officers heretofore taken in receiving funds, and holding, managing and expending the same in the interests of the purposes of this corporation in pursuance of said organization, or informalities, if any, are hereby ratified, confirmed and made valid.'

Approved March 21, 1913.

Chapter 153.

An Act to Amend Chapter One Hundred Fifty-one of the Private and Special Laws of Eighteen Hundred Eighty-seven Entitled "An Act to Create the Roman Catholic Bishop of Portland and His Successors a Corporation Sole," as Amended by Chapter Forty-seven of the Private and Special Laws of Eighteen Hundred Ninety-one.

Be it enacted by the People of the State of Maine, as follows:

Chapter one hundred fifty-one of the private and special laws of the state of Maine for the year eighteen hundred eightyseven, entitled "An Act to Create the Roman Catholic Bishop of Portland and his Successors, a Corporation Sole" as amended by chapter forty-seven of private and special laws for the state of Maine for the year eighteen hundred ninety-one, is hereby amended by adding thereto the following:

'(I) Any unincorporated Roman Catholic church in the state of Maine within the diocese of Portland may become incorporated as a church by executing, acknowledging and filing a certificate of incorporation with the secretary of state for the state of Maine, stating the corporate name by which such church shall be known and the county, town, city or village where its principal place of worship is or is intended to be located. Such certificate shall be executed and acknowledged by the Roman

Chapter 151 of P. & S. laws of 1887, as amended by chapter 47, of P. & S. laws of 1891, further amended.

How an unincorporated church may be incorporated.

---certificate shall be acknowledged by bishop.

Chapter 220 of P. & S. laws of 1867 amended.

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Corporation may hold property to the value of \$500,000.

Former proceedings in management of funds made valid.