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As Passed by the

Seventy-Eighth Legislature

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE

1917

Including Acts and Resolves of the Special Session of the
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RESOLVES

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Chapter 52.

Resolve, in Favor of Certain Private Charitable and Benevolent Institutions for the Care, Support and Education of Indigent Persons and for Other Purposes.

Charitable and benevolent institutions. Resolved: That there be appropriated for the year nineteen hundred seventeen, the sum of one hundred twenty-nine thousand five hundred dollars and for the year nineteen hundred eighteen, the sum of one hundred twenty-nine thousand five hundred dollars, for the purposes and the institutions specified below, namely:

For the Care, Support and Education of Dependent Children in or by the Following Institutions or Organizations:

	1917	1918
Children's Aid Society, Belfast. One thousand six hundred dollars for each year	\$ 1,600 00	\$ 1,600 00
Children's Heart Work Society, Portland. Seven hundred fifty dollars, for each year	750 00	750 00
Children's Protective Society, Portland. Eight hundred dollars, for each year	800 00	800 00
Eastern Maine Orphan's Home, Bangor. One thousand dollars, for each year	1,000 00	1,000 00
Girl's Orphanage, Lewiston. Two thousand five hundred dollars, for each year	2,500 00	2,500 00
Good Samaritan Association, Bangor. Two thousand five hundred dollars, for each year	2,500 00	2,500 00
Healy Asylum, Lewiston. Four thousand five hundred dollars, for each year	4,500 00	4,500 00
Lewiston and Auburn Children's Home, Lewiston. Seven hundred fifty dollars for each year	750 00	750 00
Maine Children's Home Society, Augusta. Fifteen hundred dollars for each year	1,500 00	1,500 00
Maine Home for Friendless Boys, Portland. One thousand five hundred dollars for each year	1,500 00	1,500 00
St. Elizabeth's Roman Catholic Orphan Asylum, Portland. Two thousand five hundred dollars for each year	2,500 00	2,500 00

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	1917	1918
Temporary Home for Women and Children, Portland. Two thousand five hundred dollars for each year	2,500 00	2,500 00
W. C. T. U. Temporary Home, Gardiner. Seven hundred fifty dollars for each year	750 00	750 00
York County Children's Aid Society, Saco. Seven hundred fifty dollars for each year	750 00	750 00
Holy Innocents' Home for Infants, Portland. Two thousand dollars for each year	2,000 00	2,000 00
For the Care, Support and Medical or Surgical Treatment of Indigent Persons by Certain Hospitals, namely:		
Augusta General Hospital, Augusta. Six thousand five hundred dollars for each year	6,500 00	6,500 00
Bar Harbor Medical and Surgical Hospital, Bar Harbor. Two thousand dollars for each year	2,000 00	2,000 00
Bath City Hospital, Bath. Two thousand two hundred and fifty dollars for each year	2,250 00	2,250 00
Central Maine General Hospital, Lewiston. Eight thousand dollars for each year	8,000 00	8,000 00
Children's Hospital, Portland. Twenty-seven thousand five hundred dollars for each year	27,500 00	27,500 00
Daughters of Wisdom, St. Agatha. Five hundred dollars for each year	500 00	500 00
Eastern Maine General Hospital, Bangor. Eight thousand dollars for each year	8,000 00	8,000 00
Hospital of the Young Men's Christian Association, Greenville. One thousand two hundred dollars for each year	1,200 00	1,200 00
Knox County General Hospital, Rockland. One thousand five hundred dollars for each year	1,500 00	1,500 00

	1917	1918
Madigan Memorial Hospital, Houlton. One thousand dollars for each year	1,000 00	1,000 00
Maine Eye and Ear Infirmary, Portland. Three thousand five hundred dollars for each year	3,500 00	3,500 00
Maine General Hospital, Portland. Seven thousand five hundred dollars for each year	7,500 00	7,500 00
Northern Maine General Hospital, Eagle Lake. Two thousand dollars for each year	2,000 00	2,000 00
Presque Isle General Hospital, Presque Isle. Seven hundred fifty dollars for each year	750 00	750 00
Rumford Hospital, Rumford. Seven hundred fifty dollars for each year	750 00	750 00
St. Mary's General Hospital, Lewiston. Eight thousand dollars for each year	8,000 00	8,000 00
Somerset Hospital, Skowhegan. Five hundred dollars for each year	500 00	500 00
Waldo County General Hospital, Belfast. One thousand dollars for each year	1,000 00	1,000 00
Webber Hospital, Biddeford. Four thousand seven hundred fifty dollars for each year	4,750 00	4,750 00
York Hospital, York. One thousand two hundred dollars for each year	1,200 00	1,200 00
Old Town Hospital. One thousand dollars for each year	1,000 00	1,000 00
For Education of the Adult Blind in Order that they May Become Self-Supporting:		
Maine Institute for the Blind, Portland. Fourteen thousand dollars for each year	14,000 00	14,000 00
For Care and Support of Indigent Deaf Persons:		
Maine Mission for the Deaf, Bangor. Two hundred dollars for each year	200 00	200 00

For the Purpose of Maintaining a Home and Reading Room for Working Women:

	1917	1918
Women's Christian Association, Lewiston. One		
thousand dollars for each year	\$1,000 00	\$1,000 00

Provided that no part or any of the foregoing appropriations shall be paid to the institutions named until the state board of charities and corrections shall have certified to the state auditor that the following conditions have been complied with, namely:

That the prices charged by the institution to the general public who are able to pay shall be not less than the average cost of the kind of service rendered.

That in the case of the following named institutions, the management shall have secured subscriptions or satisfactory guarantee of subscriptions from municipal appropriations or private benevolence to be used for the same purposes as the state appropriation amounting to not less than twenty-five per cent thereof, namely:

Bath City Hospital, Bath.

Hospital of the Young Men's Christian Association, Greenville.

Presque Isle General Hospital, Presque Isle.

Rumford Hospital, Rumford.

Somerset Hospital, Skowhegan.

Waldo County General Hospital, Belfast.

That in the case of the **Maine Institution for the Blind**, the board of directors shall be so reorganized as to provide for not less than six nor more than ten directors, one-half of whom shall be appointed by the governor with the advice and consent of the council for overlapping terms. Such appointment shall be non-partisan.

That none of the officers, or employees of any charitable institution, organization, or association who receives a salary, either directly or indirectly, shall be a member of the board of managers, trustees or directors.

Approved March 28, 1917.

Chapter 53.

Resolve, in Favor of the State Juvenile Institutions, for Maintenance and Other Purposes, for the Years Nineteen Hundred Seventeen and Nineteen Hundred Eighteen.

State juvenile correctional institutions. Resolved: That there be, and hereby is, appropriated,

	1917	1918
For personal services , namely, for salaries and wages of all officers and employees except those wholly engaged in repairs of buildings and equipment, for the year nineteen hun-		