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AS PASSED BY THE

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OF THE

STATE OF MAINE

1921

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And the inhabitants of said cities, towns and plantations shall vote by ballot on said question, those in favor of the amendment voting "Yes" upon their ballots and those opposed to the amendment voting "No" upon their ballots and the ballots shall be received, sorted, counted and declared in open ward, town and plantation meetings and return made to the office of the secretary of state in the same manner as votes for governor and members of the legislature and the governor and council shall count the same and if it shall appear that a majority of the inhabitants voting on the question are in favor of the amendment, the governor shall forthwith make known the fact by his proclamation and the amendment shall thereupon as of date of said proclamation become a part of the constitution.

Ballots to be provided by secretary of state. Resolved: That the secretary of state shall prepare and furnish to the several cities, towns and plantations ballots and blank returns in conformity with the foregoing resolve accompanied by a copy thereof.

Approved April 9, 1921.

Chapter 142.

Resolve, in Favor of the Maine School for the Deaf.

Emergency preamble. Whereas, the institution hereinafter referred to cannot be properly and adequately maintained for the fiscal period ending June thirtieth, nineteen hundred and twenty-one without assistance from the state, and

Whereas, the proper maintenance of said institution during that period is immediately necessary in the interests of public peace, health and safety, and

Whereas, the foregoing facts in the judgment of this legislature constitute an emergency within the meaning of the constitution of this state, now therefore, be it

Maine School for Deaf, maintenance and personal services. Resolved: That there be, and hereby is, appropriated for the Maine School for the Deaf for maintenance, fourteen thousand four hundred twenty-five dollars for the period from January first, nineteen hundred twenty-one, to June thirtieth, nineteen hundred twenty-one; fifteen thousand eight hundred eighty-seven dollars and fifty cents for the year from July first, nineteen hundred twenty-two; fifteen thousand eight hundred eighty-seven dollars and fifty cents for the year from July first, nineteen hundred twenty-two to June

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thirtieth, nineteen hundred twenty-three: That there be appropriated for personal services in the forenamed institution, sixteen thousand dollars for the period from January first, nineteen hundred twenty-one, to June thirtieth, nineteen hundred twenty-one; twenty-six thousand dollars for the year from July first, nineteen hundred twenty-one, to June thirtieth, nineteen hundred twenty-two; and twenty-six thousand dollars for the year from July first, nineteen hundred twenty-two, to June thirtieth, nineteen hundred twenty-three.

Emergency clause. In view of the emergency cited in the preamble, this resolve shall take effect when approved.

Approved April 9, 1921.

Chapter 143.

Resolve, in Favor of the Maine School for Feeble-Minded for Additions and Improvements,

Emergency preamble. Whereas, the fiscal year of the State of Maine now ends on June thirtieth instead of December thirty-first, and no money is available under a regular appropriation for the first six months of the year nineteen hundred and twenty-one, and whereas, the appropriation for the first six months in nineteen hundred and twenty-one in favor of the Maine School for Feeble-Minded is an emergency measure, immediately necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health and safety, therefore,

Maine School for Feeble-minded, additions and improvements. Resolved: That there be appropriated for the Maine School for Feeble-Minded for new construction and improvements for the period from January first, nineteen hundred twenty-one to June thirtieth, nineteen hundred twenty-two, the sum of two hundred fifty thousand dollars to be spent by the trustees of the institution, under the direction of the governor and council.

Provided further, that the sums herein appropriated shall be expended approximately as follows:

- (1) Build a heating and power house and necessary equipment, forty thousand dollars, \$40,000.00
- (2) Build one new dormitory, provide necessary equipment, with necessary heat, light, water and sewerage connections, one hundred fifty thousand dollars, 150,000.00
- (3) Build an addition to the congregate dining room and furnish with necessary equipment, fifty thousand dollars, 50,000.00