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STATE OF MAINE

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of nineteen hundred twenty-seven and the charter granted thereby and extended by chapter twenty-three of the private and special laws of nineteen hundred twenty-nine are hereby extended for two years from the date when the same would otherwise expire by law, with the same force and effect in all respects as if said incorporation were hereby granted.

Approved February 27, 1931.

Chapter 16.

AN ACT Relating to the Right of Warren Memorial Foundation to Hold Property.

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

Warren Memorial Foundation; authority to hold property. Warren Memorial Foundation, a charitable corporation duly organized and existing is hereby authorized to take and hold real and personal estate and donations, grants, devises or bequests to the amount of one million dollars.

Approved February 27, 1931.

Chapter 17.

AN ACT Additional to the Acts Which Constitute the Charter of Colby College, Formerly Colby University.

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

P. & S. L., 1813, c. CXXXI, sec. 4; relating to the establishing of a literary institution in Maine. That section four of chapter CXXXI, enacted by the senate and house of representatives in general court assembled of the commonwealth of Massachusetts and approved by the governor February twenty-seven, eighteen hundred thirteen, entitled: "An act to establish a literary institution in the district of Maine within this commonwealth" is amended by striking out, in section four of said act, the words, "by the name of the President and Corporation of the Maine Literary and Theological Institution" and inserting in place thereof the words 'by the name of the President and Trustees of Colby College' and by striking out at the end of said section the words "Provided, nevertheless, that the annual clear income of the same shall not exceed the sum of thirty thousand dollars", so that said section, as amended, will read:

'Sec. 4. Powers of corporation. Be it further enacted, That the said corporation may have one common seal, which they may change, break,

or renew, at their pleasure; and that all deeds signed and delivered by the treasurer, and sealed with their seal, by the order of the corporation, shall, when made in their corporate name, be considered in law as the deed of the said corporation; and that the said corporation may sue and be sued, in all actions real, personal, and mixed, and may prosecute and defend the same to final judgment and execution, by the name of the President and Trustees of Colby College; and that said corporation shall be capable of having, holding, and taking in fee simple, or any less estate, by gift, grant, devise, or otherwise, any lands, tenements, or other estates, real or personal.'

Approved February 27, 1931.

Chapter 18.

AN ACT to Repeal Section Two of Chapter Ten of the Private and Special Acts of Eighteen Hundred Eighty-seven.

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

P. & S. L., 1887, c. 10, sec. 2; relating to charter of Colby University; repealed. Section two of chapter ten of the private and special acts of eighteen hundred eighty-seven entitled:

"An act additional to the acts which constitute the charter of Colby University"

and reading:

"In addition to the property so held, said president and trustees of Colby University may take and hold, for the purposes specified in its charter, property real and personal to an amount, that the annual, clear income of the same shall not exceed the sum of fifty thousand dollars instead of the amount specified in its charter"

is hereby repealed.

Approved February 27, 1931.

Chapter 19.

AN ACT Relating to the Bangor Theological Seminary.

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

Sec. 1. No limitation on amount of property taken and held. All provisions of law limiting the amount of property which may be taken and held, or the amount of income which may be received by the Bangor Theological Seminary, a corporation now located at said Bangor in the county of Penobscot and state of Maine, are repealed, and that corporation