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may have been made or which may hereafter be made by any person or persons whatever to either of said corporations or bodies by its original name or otherwise, prior to a time when this act shall take effect, and to use and improve the same for the uses and purposes of this corporation. And each of said corporations is authorized and empowered to convey and deliver all and every of its property to the said Portland Seamen's Friend Society.

Sec. 5. May take and hold property to value of \$100,000. Said corporation is authorized to take, hold, receive and possess real and personal estate to an amount not exceeding one hundred thousand dollars upon a full valuation.

Sec. 6. Repealing clause. All acts and parts of acts of incorporation or amendments thereof, inconsistent with the provisions of this act are hereby repealed.

Sec. 7. Continuance of present corporations; organization of new corporation. All of the corporations and organizations to be united shall continue their present organizations until this act shall have been accepted by each at a legal meeting. If so accepted, the first meeting of the new corporation shall be held at the office of the Bible Society of Maine in Portland on such day and at such hour as shall be designated therefor by the president of the Portland Seamen's Friend Society, a notice of which shall be given in writing by the secretary of said society at least seven days prior to the date mentioned for such meeting. At this meeting the president and treasurer of the Portland Seamen's Friend Society shall officiate as president and secretary until a president and secretary shall be chosen in their stead, after which the said corporation may choose all other proper officers and exercise all the powers conferred upon it by law and this act.

Approved April 2, 1931.

Chapter 103.

AN ACT Amending the Charter of the City of Belfast.

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

Sec. 1. P. & S. L., 1929, c. 115, art. 7, sec. 2; relative to fiscal year and annual audit, amended. Section two of article seven of chapter one hundred fifteen of the private and special laws of nineteen hundred twenty-nine is hereby amended by striking out all of said section and inserting in place thereof the following:

'Sec. 2. Fiscal year and annual audit. The fiscal year of the city shall terminate the last Saturday before the third Monday of each March and all of the accounts of the city shall be audited at least once during each fiscal year by the city auditor.'

Sec. 2. P. & S. L., 1929, c. 115, art. 7, sec. 5, amended. Section five of article seven of chapter one hundred fifteen of the private and special laws of nineteen hundred twenty-nine is hereby amended by striking out the second sentence of said section.

Sec. 3. P. & S. L., 1929, c. 115, art. 7, sec. 6, amended. Section six of article seven of chapter one hundred fifteen of the private and special laws of nineteen hundred twenty-nine is hereby amended by adding after the word "school fund" the words 'and public library fund.'

Sec. 4. P. & S. L., 1929, c. 15, art. 7, sec. 10, repealed. Article seven of chapter one hundred fifteen of the private and special laws of nineteen hundred twenty-nine is hereby amended by striking out all of section ten and renumbering sections eleven, twelve, thirteen and fourteen sections ten, eleven, twelve and thirteen respectively.

Sec. 5. P. & S. L., 1929, c. 115, art. 9, sec. 2, amended. Section two of article nine of chapter one hundred fifteen of the private and special laws of nineteen hundred twenty-nine is hereby amended by striking out the words "officer or" in the first and second sentences of said section.

Approved April 2, 1931.

Chapter 104.

AN ACT to Enable the County of Franklin to Raise Money by Taxation for the Promoting of the Health of the Citizens of Said County.

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

Sec. 1. Franklin county may be taxed for Franklin County Memorial Hospital. The county commissioners of the county of Franklin shall in each year from and after the adoption of this act by the inhabitants of said county, as hereinafter provided, include in the county estimates of said county, an amount not exceeding one mill upon a dollar upon the taxable property situated in said county of Franklin, to be devoted to the promoting of the health of the inhabitants of said county and to be expended by and under the direction of the trustees of Franklin County Memorial Hospital, for the care and treatment at said hospital of persons, residents of said county, requiring medical and surgical treatment at said