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ACTS AND RESOLVES

AS PASSED BY THE

Ninety-fifth Legislature

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE

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Chapter 97

AN ACT Authorizing the Trustees of the University of Maine to Operate a College of Medicine.

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

P. & S. L., 1865, c. 532, § 9-A, additional. Chapter 532 of the private and special laws of 1865, as amended, is hereby further amended by adding thereto a new section, to be numbered 9-A, to read as follows:

'Sec. 9-A. College of medicine authorized; standards of scholarship; degrees. The board of trustees of the University of Maine is hereby authorized to locate, construct, equip and operate a college of medicine and to set, establish and maintain standards of teaching and scholarship therefor; provided, nevertheless, that said location, construction, equipment and operation shall meet the approval of and that the standards of teaching and scholarship be at least equal to standards approved by the Council on Medical Education and Hospitals of the American Medical Association and of the Association of American Medical Colleges; and provided further, that said board of trustees shall be under no duty to perform any function under this section unless and until, in its opinion, the said board has received or is assured of sufficient funds either by gift from any source or by appropriation by the state of Maine to successfully construct and operate such college of medicine.

The board of trustees is authorized to confer the degree of "Doctor of Medicine" upon such students of the college of medicine, when so established, as complete the 4-year course of said college to the satisfaction of said board of trustees.'

Effective August 20, 1951

Chapter 98

AN ACT Relating to Interest of Madawaska Territory School Fund.

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

Sec. 1. P. & S. L., 1861, c. 100, § 2, amended. Section 2 of chapter 100 of the private and special laws of 1861 is hereby amended to read as follows:

'Sec. 2. Trustees; expenditure of interest. The governor and council are hereby constituted trustees of said fund, and they are hereby author-

ized and instructed to pay out and expend in said territory the ~~sum of three hundred dollars~~ interest earned annually for the purpose named in the first section of this act, in such sums and at such times as in their discretion they may deem fit and proper.'

Sec. 2. P. & S. L., 1861, c. 100, § 3, amended. Section 3 of chapter 100 of the private and special laws of 1861 is hereby amended to read as follows:

'Sec. 3. Interest payments in full satisfaction. The above ~~sum of three hundred dollars~~ interest earned annually shall be in full satisfaction for any and all claims which the inhabitants of said territory have upon the state by reason of the aforesaid surplus revenue.'

Effective August 20, 1951

Chapter 99

AN ACT Appropriating Moneys for Anticipated Overdrafts in the Department of Labor and Industry Due to Insufficient Appropriations.

Emergency preamble. Whereas, the funds appropriated for the present function of the department of labor and industry for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1951 are insufficient; and

Whereas, existing statutes provide for these functions as a direct obligation of the state; and

Whereas, in the judgment of the legislature these facts create an emergency within the meaning of the constitution of Maine and require the following legislation as immediately necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health and safety; now, therefore,

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

Emergency appropriation. In order to provide for the necessary expenditures of government for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1951, the following sum or as much thereof as shall be found necessary, as designated in the following tabulation, is hereby appropriated out of any moneys in the general fund not otherwise appropriated:

	1950-51
Department of labor and industry	\$2,000

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

Effective April 2, 1951