

SENATE No. 332

To accompany the petition of Albert Minot Chandler for legislation relative to the powers of the Massachusetts Baptist Convention. Mercantile Affairs.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Thirty-One.

An Act relative to the Powers of the Massachusetts Baptist Convention.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:

1 The Massachusetts Baptist convention is
2 hereby authorized to take and hold by donation,
3 bequest or otherwise real and personal property
4 to an amount not exceeding five million dollars
5 and may in addition take and hold in trust for
6 any of the purposes set forth in its charter or
7 for any purpose germane thereto any real or
8 personal property which may be given, be-
9 queathed or otherwise conveyed or transferred
10 to them upon such trusts. The said corporation
11 shall be eligible to appointment as trustee under
12 any written instrument whereby any trust for
13 any of the purposes set forth in its charter or
14 for any purpose germane thereto is created or
15 established.

Approved by the Senate on the 15th day of June 1898.

THE CONSTITUTIONALITY OF THE PROVISIONS

OF THE ACT OF MARCH 3, 1875, RELATIVE TO THE

APPOINTMENT OF JUDGES OF THE DISTRICT COURTS

IN ANSWER TO A RESOLUTION PASSED BY THE SENATE

ON THE 15TH DAY OF JUNE 1898.

BY

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