

HOUSE . . . . . No. 102.

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HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, Jan. 30, 1894.

[Bill accompanying the petition of E. W. Roberts and others for the incorporation of the Rufus S. Frost General Hospital, and for a change of the name of the Children's Day Nursery, Children's Home and General Hospital. Mercantile Affairs.]

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Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

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In the Year One Thousand Eight Hundred and Ninety-four.

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AN ACT

To incorporate the Rufus S. Frost General Hospital, and to Change the Name of the Chelsea Day Nursery, Children's Home and General Hospital.

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

1 SECTION 1. Rufus S. Frost, William G. Wheeler,  
2 M.D., Charles Leeds, M.D., Samuel P. Tenney, John  
3 K. Hodgdon, Jabez K. Montgomery, Dennis A. O'Brien,  
4 Edward H. Lowell, Alphonso S. Harris, N. Semantha  
5 Sparhawk, Annie M. Mitchell and Ruth J. Wyeth, their  
6 associates and successors, are hereby made a corporation  
7 by the name of Rufus S. Frost General Hospital, for the  
8 purpose of establishing and maintaining a hospital in the  
9 city of Chelsea, for the care and treatment of sick and  
10 disabled persons, with all the powers and privileges and

11 subject to all the duties, restrictions and liabilities set  
12 forth in the general laws which now are, or may here-  
13 after, be enforced relating to such corporations.

1     SECT. 2. The corporation shall consist of the afore-  
2 said incorporators and of such persons as may at any  
3 legal meeting of the corporation be elected members  
4 thereof by ballot.

1     SECT. 3. Said corporation may receive and hold real  
2 and personal estate which may from time to time be  
3 given, granted, bequeathed or devised to it and accepted  
4 by the corporation, or that may be purchased by it, to an  
5 amount not exceeding one hundred thousand dollars, for  
6 the uses and purposes of said hospital; *provided, always,*  
7 that said estate shall be appropriated according to the  
8 terms of the donation, devise or bequest.

1     SECT. 4. Chapter one hundred and sixteen of the  
2 acts of the year eighteen hundred and ninety is hereby  
3 amended by striking out the words "and general hos-  
4 pital" in the name of the corporation therein mentioned,  
5 and said general hospital shall hereafter be separate  
6 and distinct, as provided in this chapter, and shall be  
7 known as the said Rufus S. Frost general hospital. The  
8 Chelsea day nursery, children's home and general hos-  
9 pital mentioned in said chapter one hundred and sixteen  
10 shall be hereafter known as the Chelsea day nursery and  
11 children's home, and shall continue a corporation with  
12 all the rights and privileges mentioned in said chapter  
13 one hundred and sixteen, except as herein amended.

1     SECT. 5. The said Chelsea day nursery and children's  
2 home may convey any real estate which has been appro-  
3 priated to the uses of the said general hospital while  
4 the same existed as part of said Chelsea day nursery,  
5 children's home and general hospital, under the pro-

6 visions of said chapter one hundred and sixteen to Rufus  
7 S. Frost of said Chelsea, in trust, however, for the pur-  
8 pose herein provided. Said Rufus S. Frost shall convey  
9 said real estate to the said Rufus S. Frost general hospital,  
10 and said conveyance shall be subject to all the conditions  
11 and limitations mentioned or referred to in deeds of said  
12 real estate from said Frost to the said Chelsea day nursery,  
13 children's home and general hospital, recorded with  
14 Suffolk registry deeds, liber nineteen hundred and  
15 thirty-two folio five hundred and thirty-nine; liber  
16 nineteen hundred and thirty-six folio two hundred  
17 and ninety-five, and liber nineteen hundred and ninety-  
18 two, folio four hundred and ten The said Chelsea, day  
19 nursery and children's home may convey to the said  
20 Rufus S. Frost general hospital any personal property  
21 which has been appropriated to the uses of the said  
22 general hospital while the same existed as part of said  
23 Chelsea day nursery, children's home and general hos-  
24 pital, under the provisions of said chapter one hundred  
25 and sixteen. The Rufus S. Frost general hospital shall  
26 hold said property in the same manner and for the same  
27 purposes for which it is authorized to hold other prop-  
28 erty mentioned in this chapter.

1 SECT. 6. The said Chelsea day nursery and children's  
2 home shall assume all debts incurred, to the time of the  
3 passage of this act, for the use of that department while  
4 it existed as part of the said Chelsea day nursery, chil-  
5 dren's home and general hospital, and the said Rufus S.  
6 Frost general hospital shall assume all debts incurred, to  
7 the time of the passage of this act, for the use of the  
8 general hospital while it existed as part of the said  
9 Chelsea day nursery, children's home and general hos-  
10 pital.

1 SECT. 7. This act shall take effect upon its passage.

