

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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ACTS AND RESOLVES

OF THE

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OF THE

STATE OF MAINE.

1891.

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PUBLIC LAWS
OF THE
STATE OF MAINE.

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Chapter 116.

An Act relating to the salary of the chairman of the Railroad Commissioners and the clerk of the board.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in Legislature assembled, as follows:

Commencing with January first, eighteen hundred and ninety-one, the salary of the chairman of the board of railroad commissioners, shall be twenty-five hundred dollars per annum, and that of the clerk shall be fifteen hundred dollars per annum.

Salary of chairman and clerk, increased.

Approved March 28, 1891.

Chapter 117.

An Act additional to that part of chapter twenty-two of the Revised Statutes, relating to Dikes and Dams.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in Legislature assembled, as follows:

SECT. 1. In addition to the provisions of law for repairing dikes and dams, as now provided in the forty-third and the eighteen following sections of the twenty-second chapter of the revised statutes, the proprietors of any meadow, swamp, marsh, beach or other low lands, after the completion of the dams, dikes, and removal of obstructions as provided in said twenty-second chapter, may hold regular meetings when they adjudge proper, make such rules for the maintenance and preservation of such dikes and dams as their common interest require.

Ch. 22, R. S., amended.

—owners may hold meetings, and make rules for maintenance of dikes.

SECT. 2. Upon written application of any three or more of said proprietors to any justice of the peace, he shall issue his warrant to one of the applicants requiring him to call a meeting of the proprietors, expressing in said warrant the time, place and purposes thereof.

Meetings, how called.

SECT. 3. Notice of said meeting shall be served at least fourteen days previous to the time appointed therefor, when all the proprietors reside in the town where the land lies, by reading the warrant to each proprietor, or giving him a copy in hand, or by leaving a copy at his usual place of abode; and in case one or more of the proprietors reside without the town or plantation, notice of such meeting shall be given

Notice of meetings, how given.