

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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# ACTS AND RESOLVES

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## SIXTY-EIGHTH LEGISLATURE

OF THE

## STATE OF MAINE

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**CHAP. 223** for such license shall be twenty dollars, and no fee shall be required for the dogs of such owner or keeper under the age of six months.'

Sect. 2. This act shall take effect when approved.

Approved March 11, 1897.

### Chapter 223.

An Act to to amend Section two of Chapter fifty-eight of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter ninety-four of Public Laws of eighteen hundred and ninety-one, relating to election of members of Board of Agriculture.

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

Section 2, chapter 58, R. S., as amended by chapter 94, public laws 1891, further amended.

Section two of chapter fifty-eight of the revised statutes, as amended by chapter ninety-four of public laws of eighteen hundred and ninety-one is hereby amended by adding the words 'at least two weeks prior to said meeting' after the word "others" in the sixth line of said section, so that said section, as amended, shall read as follows:

If more than one society in a county, convention of delegates from each, to elect member, therefor.

'Section 2. If there is more than one such society in a county the executive officers of the oldest shall designate a time and place for a convention of five delegates, chosen from each society at a regular meeting; and the secretary of such oldest society shall give written notice thereof to the secretary of each of the others, at least two weeks prior to said meeting. The convention shall be held prior to the third Wednesday of January, and shall elect a president and secretary, and by ballot a member of the board of agriculture for that county. If no election is made, the secretary shall immediately send to the governor and council the names of two or more persons having the highest number of votes; and they shall elect one of them. Vacancies in counties, however caused, shall be filled within three months after notice to the secretary of the oldest society in the county where such vacancy exists; if there is more than one at a special meeting, in the same manner as is hereinbefore provided for the election of county members of said board. The written certificate of the secretary of the society or convention electing a member, shall be his credentials in the board.'

—if no election, governor and council shall elect from highest candidates.

—credentials of members.

Approved March 11, 1897.