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do said licensed person, or if a charge was made, said licensed person shall cancel the same, provided that said person, seeking employment through such agency, does not break any agreement he may make with said licensed person, relative to time of entering into the employment sought for. The man to be employed must be furnished with a duplicate card showing name, last residence, and name and residence of nearest relative or friend. Any licensed person shall not by himself, agent, or otherwise, induce or attempt to induce any employee to leave his employment with a view to obtaining other employment through such agency.'

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Approved March 10, 1915.

Chapter 39.

An Act to Amend Section Seventy-one of Chapter Seventy-nine of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter One Hundred Ninety-six of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Eleven, as Amended by Section One of Chapter One Hundred Seventy-four of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Thirteen, Relating to the Jurisdiction of the Superior Court for Cumberland County in Divorce Cases.

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

Ch. 79, Sec. 71, R. S., as amended by Ch. 196 P. L., 1911, further amended.

Section 1. Section seventy-one of chapter seventy-nine of the Revised Statutes, as amended by chapter one hundred nine-ty-six of the Public Laws of nineteen hundred eleven, and as further amended by section one of chapter one hundred seventy-four of the Public Laws of nineteen hundred thirteen is hereby amended by inserting after the word "divorce" in the fourth line the following words: 'including any petition for annulment of marriage or petition for modification of a decree of divorce whether such decree was granted in the Superior or the Supreme Judicial court of said county;' so that said section as amended shall read as follows:

—exclusive jurisdiction by Superior court.

Cumberland county. 'Section 71. Within said county, said Superior court has exclusive jurisdiction of civil appeals from municipal and police courts and trial justices; exclusive original jurisdiction of libels for divorce, including any petition for annulment of marriage or petition for modification of a decree of divorce, whether such decree was granted in the Superior or the Supreme Judicial court of said county; actions of scire facias on judgments and recognizances not exceeding five hundred dollars; of bastardy trials, and of all other civil actions at law not exclusively cognizable by municipal and police courts and trial justices where the damages demanded do not exceed five hundred dollars, except complaints for flowage, real actions and actions of tres-

pass quare clausum; and concurrent original jurisdiction of ac- Chap. tions of trespass quare clausum, and of proceeding in habeas corpus; and of all other civil actions at law where the damages exceed five hundred dollars, except for complaints for flowage and real actions.'

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Section 2. All acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed.

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Approved March 10, 1915.

Chapter 40.

An Act to Amend Section Twenty-five of Chapter Twenty-eight of the Revised Statutes, Relating to the Appointment of Inspectors of Buildings.

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

Section twenty-five of chapter twenty-eight of the Revised Statutes is hereby amended by adding after the words "of more than two thousand inhabitants," in the first line, the words 'and in every town of two thousand inhabitants or less if such town shall so vote at an annual town meeting,' so that said section as amended shall read as follows:

Ch. 28, 3, 25, R. S., Sec. amended.

'Section 25. In every town and city of more than two thousand inhabitants, and in every town of two thousand inhabitants or less if such town shall so vote at an annual town meeting, the municipal officers shall annually in the month of April appoint an inspector of buildings, who shall be a man skilled in the construction of buildings, and shall determine his compensation. The municipal officers shall define the limits within which the inspector of buildings shall have jurisdiction, which shall include the thickly settled portion of each such city, or of each village in each such city or town.'

Towns may appoint in-spector of buildings.

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Approved March 10, 1915.

Chapter 41.

An Act to Repeal Certain Obsolete Sections of Chapter Twenty-six of the Revised Statutes, Relating to Fences of Common Fields.

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

Sections fifteen to thirty-six, both inclusive, of chapter ch. 26, sections 15-36, twenty-six of the Revised Statutes are hereby repealed.

repealed.

Approved March 10, 1915.