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AS PASSED BY THE

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ordinances of the said city of Gardiner inconsistent with this act are hereby modified so as to conform to the provisions of this act.

Sec. 20. Act to take effect for purposes of election 90 days after adjournment of legislature. This act shall take effect in ninety days after the final adjournment of the legislature so far as is necessary for the election authorized in section eighteen.

Approved March 15, 1923.

Chapter 59.

An Act to Amend Chapter Three Hundred and Fifty-two of the Private and Special Laws of Nineteen Hundred and Five, as Amended by Section Four of Chapter Three Hundred and Fifty-seven of the Private and Special Laws of Nineteen Hundred and Nine, Relating to the Caribou Municipal Court.

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

P. & S. L., 1905, c. 352; 1919, c. 357, sec. 8; relating to Caribou municipal court, amended. Chapter three hundred and fifty-two of the private and special laws of nineteen hundred and five, relating to the Caribou municipal court, as amended by section eight of chapter three hundred and fifty-seven of the laws of nineteen hundred and nine, is hereby further amended by adding after the word "Caribou" in the tenth line of the original section of nineteen hundred and five, as amended, the following: 'Provided, however, that said court may be held on any Tuesday at the office of the judge at the usual hour for the entering and trial of actions of forcible entry and detainer, and such actions may be returnable accordingly, and be heard and determined, and judgment entered on the return date of the writ, unless continued for good cause,' so that said section, as amended, shall read as follows:

'Sec. 8. Term of court may be held every Tuesday at judge's office for forcible entry and detainer cases. A term of said court for the transaction of civil business shall be held on the first Tuesday of each month at ten o'clock in the forenoon. For the cognizance of criminal actions said court shall be in constant session. In all cases it may be adjourned from time to time by the judge; and in civil actions said judge shall have power for cause shown, upon application from either party, or his attorney, to adjourn the hearing to any place within his jurisdiction, by consent of both parties. Said court shall be held in the office of the judge of said court, in said town of Caribou; provided, however, that said court may be held on any Tuesday at the office of the judge at the usual hour for the entry and trial of actions of forcible entry and detainer, and such actions may be returnable accordingly, and be heard and determined, and judgment entered on the return date of the writ, unless continued for good cause.

All expenses of said court including blank books of record, dockets and blanks necessary for use of said court, shall be paid from the treasury of the county of Aroostook. All criminal or civil cases may be adjourned to the county court house in said Caribou at the discretion of the judge of said court.

Approved March 16, 1923.

Chapter 60.

An Act to Incorporate the Auburn Water District.

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

Sec. 1. Territorial limits; name; purpose. The following territory and the people therein, namely: All the territory and people constituting the city of Auburn except that portion of said city and the people therein within the following boundaries, to wit: Beginning at the junction of the Holland road, so-called, with the South River road, so-called; thence westerly by said Holland road to its junction with the Old Danville road, so-called; thence southerly by said Old Danville road to its junction with the Pownal road, so-called; thence southerly by said Pownal road to the Durham town line; thence northeasterly by said Durham town line to the Androscoggin river; thence northerly by said Androscoggin river to a point opposite said Holland road; thence westerly to the junction of said Holland road and said South River road at the point of beginning; shall constitute a public municipal corporation under the name of the Auburn Water District, for the purpose of supplying the inhabitants of said district and of contiguous territory not already served, with pure water for domestic, sanitary and municipal purposes. All incidental rights, powers and privileges necessary to the accomplishment of the main object herein set forth are granted to the corporation hereby created.

Sec. 2. Title to all property of Auburn Water Commissioners and city of Auburn to vest in Auburn Water District. At the time this act takes effect, the title of the Auburn Water Commissioners, the corporation heretofore charged with the control and management of the water system in said district, and the title of the city of Auburn, to the entire plant, property and franchises, rights and privileges, including all lands, buildings, waters, water rights, dams, reservoirs, pumping-stations, pipes, aqueducts, machinery, fixtures, hydrants, tools, apparatus and appliances, used or capable of being used for the purpose of maintaining a public water supply, together with all sinking funds, current funds, moneys, bills and accounts receivable, and all books, plans and documents shall vest in and become the property of said Auburn Water District. Said city of Auburn and said Auburn Water Commissioners shall each make, execute and de-