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ACTS AND RESOLVES

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jail, reformatory, or other state institution shall not change during such period of service, confinement or imprisonment, but his settlement shall remain as it was at the time of the beginning of such service, confinement or imprisonment.'

Approved March 8, 1939.

Chapter 46

AN ACT Relating to the All Maine Fair Association.

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

R. S., c. 39, § 22, amended. Section 22 of chapter 39 of the revised statutes is hereby amended to read as follows:

'Sec. 22. Election of officers. The ~~Maine state agricultural society~~ All Maine Fair Association, at its annual meeting, shall elect, by ballot, a president, secretary, treasurer, trustees, and other necessary officers.'

Approved March 8, 1939.

Chapter 47

AN ACT Relating to Apportionment of School Equalization Fund.

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

R. S., c. 19, § 210, ¶ V, amended. Paragraph V of section 210 of chapter 19 of the revised statutes, is hereby amended to read as follows:

'V. Such amount of the school equalization fund not apportioned as provided for by the 4 preceding paragraphs shall be apportioned to towns wherein a rate of taxation considerably in excess of the average rate for the state fails to produce a school revenue sufficient to secure a reasonable standard of educational efficiency; provided, that the rate of taxation hereinbefore named shall be reckoned on the basis of the amount or amounts actually raised by taxation by the town for the support of elementary and secondary schools for the purposes named in section 212, exclusive of any amounts received from the state, ~~provided, further, that no town shall receive an apportionment out of the school equalization fund unless its municipal tax rate for all purposes shall be in excess of a rate which is 3 mills less than the average of such rates for all the towns of the state.~~ The commissioner of education shall cause a special investigation to be made of the educational facilities of such towns and, whenever it appears