

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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SEVENTY-SEVENTH LEGISLATURE

HOUSE

NO. 943

House of Representatives, March 25, 1915.

*Reported by Mr. Pierce from Committee on Judiciary and
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C. C. HARVEY, Clerk.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD ONE THOUSAND NINE
HUNDRED AND FIFTEEN

AN ACT to amend Chapter seven of the Private and Special
Laws of nineteen hundred and three Relating to the Bar Har-
bor Municipal Court.

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

Section 1. Section three of the Private and Special Laws
2 of nineteen hundred and three is hereby amended so that it
3 shall read as follows:

'Sect. 3. The Governor by and with the consent of the
5 council, shall appoint a recorder of said court, who shall be
6 a resident of the town of Eden and a member of the Han-
7 cock County Bar, and hold his said office for the term of
8 four years. Said recorder shall be sworn to the faithful dis-
9 charge of his duties, and shall give bonds in such sum as

10 the county commissioners shall approve. He may admin-
11 ister oaths and shall have such powers and perform such
12 duties in civil matters as are possessed and performed by
13 clerks of the Supreme Judicial Courts, and in case of the
14 absence of the judge or when the office of the judge shall
15 be vacant, the said recorder shall have and exercise all the
16 powers of judge by this act relating to both civil and crimi-
17 nal proceedings as fully and with the same effect as the
18 judge could do if he were acting in the premises; and the
19 signature of the recorder, as such, shall be sufficient evi-
20 dence of his right to act instead of the judge. Said recorder
21 shall receive as compensation for his services the sum of six
22 hundred dollars a year to be paid quarterly from the treas-
23 ury of the county of Hancock, which will be in full for his
24 services.

Sect. 2. Section twenty of said Act of the private and
2 special laws of nineteen hundred and three is hereby
3 amended so that it shall read as follows:

'Sect. 20. The judge of said court shall receive as com-
5 pensation a salary of one thousand dollars a year to be paid
6 quarterly from the treasury of the county of Hancock,
7 which shall be in full for his services. The fees in civil
8 cases shall be for every blank writ signed by the judge or
9 recorder, four cents, for entry of civil action, sixty cents,
10 for trial of issue, two dollars, all other fees not herein speci-
11 fied shall be the same as allowed by law to trial justices and
12 the clerks of the supreme judicial courts, for similar serv-

13 ices. All costs in criminal cases shall be taxed the same and
14 paid into court in the same manner as in trial justice courts,
15 except each warrant issued shall be taxed at one dollar, and
16 each trial of issue shall be taxed at two dollars.'