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ROYDEN V. BROWN, Secretary.

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STATE OF MAINE

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IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED  
FORTY-THREE

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**AN ACT Amending the Charter of the City of Lewiston.**

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

**Sec. 1. P. & S. L., 1939, c. 8, Art. XI, § 11, amended.** The first paragraph of section 11 of Article XI of chapter 8 of the private and special laws of 1939, as amended by chapter 45 of the private and special laws of 1941, is hereby further amended to read as follows:

**'Sec. 11. Police matron.** A police matron shall be appointed by the commission and hold such office until retired or removed by law, and whose duties and powers in general shall be similar to that of a patrolman. She shall be entitled to a vacation of 2 weeks in each calendar year at such time as may be appointed by the chief of police, with pay. The salary of said police matron shall be fixed at ~~\$1,400~~ \$1,700 per annum payable in equal weekly installments by the city treasurer.'

**Sec. 2. P. & S. L., 1939, c. 8, Art. XI, § 12, amended.** Section 12 of Article XI of chapter 8 of the private and special laws of 1939 is hereby amended to read as follows:

**'Sec. 12. Special patrolmen.** Special patrolmen with pay shall be appointed by the chief of police from a list furnished him by the commission, for a period of from 1 to 30 days and such special patrolmen shall receive a salary of ~~\$4~~ \$5 per day, to be paid by the city treasurer upon ap-

proval of the chief of police. Special patrolmen without pay may be appointed by the chief of police for a period of not more than 1 year for private duty.'

**Sec. 3. P. & S. L., 1939, c. 8, Art. XI, § 15, amended.** Section 15 of Article XI of chapter 8 of the private and special laws of 1939, as amended by section 2 of chapter 45 of the private and special laws of 1941, is hereby further amended to read as follows:

**'Sec. 15. Salary of police officials.** Police captains shall each receive a salary of \$2,470 per annum payable in equal weekly installments by the city treasurer. Inspectors shall each receive a salary of ~~\$1,800~~ **\$2,160** per annum payable in equal weekly installments by the city treasurer. The police clerk shall receive a salary not to exceed \$1,600 per annum payable in equal weekly installments by the city treasurer.'

**Sec. 4. P. & S. L., 1939, c. 8, Art. XI, § 16, amended.** Section 16 of Article XI of chapter 8 of the private and special laws of 1939 is hereby amended to read as follows:

**'Sec. 16. Salary of patrolmen.** The salary of each patrolman shall be ~~\$1,600~~ **\$1,920** per annum, until he shall have served 5 years when he shall receive ~~\$1,700~~ **\$2,040** per annum, **except the patrolman who shall act for the department as a radio technician who shall receive \$416 additional per year,** payable in equal weekly installments by the city treasurer. Each patrolman shall be entitled to a vacation of 2 weeks in each calendar year with pay at such time as may be prescribed by the chief of police.'

**'Sec. 5. Limitation.** The changes in salaries indicated in this chapter shall be retroactive as of April 1, 1943 and shall be in effect for a period of 2 years only until December 31, 1944, after which the laws as existing prior to the passage of this act shall again become of full force and effect.'