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House of Representatives, February 26, 1959

Referred to the Committee on Towns and Counties, sent up for concurrence and ordered printed.

HARVEY R. PEASE, Clerk

Presented by Mr. Jalbert of Lewiston.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED
FIFTY-NINE

**AN ACT Increasing Clerk Hire and Salaries of Judge and Recorder of
Lewiston Municipal Court.**

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

Sec. 1. P. & S. L., 1871, c. 636, § 1, amended. Section 1 of chapter 636 of the private and special laws of 1871, as last amended by section 11 of chapter 160 of the private and special laws of 1957, is further amended to read as follows:

'**Sec. 1. Municipal court established; salary of judge.** A municipal court is hereby established for the City of Lewiston, which shall be a court of record, and have a seal, and shall consist of one judge, who shall be a member of the bar in Androscoggin County, who shall be appointed, elected, qualified and hold his office as provided in the Constitution, who shall reside during his continuance in office in said City of Lewiston, and who shall receive in weekly payments an annual salary of ~~\$3,400~~ \$4,000 from the treasurer of the County of Androscoggin, which shall be in full for all fees pertaining to his office.'

Sec. 2. P. & S. L., 1907, c. 444, § 1, amended. Section 1 of chapter 444 of the private and special laws of 1907, as last amended by section 12 of chapter 160 of the private and special laws of 1957, is further amended to read as follows:

'**Sec. 1. Recorder; compensation; clerk hire; fees paid to county.** The recorder of the municipal court for the City of Lewiston shall receive an annual salary of ~~\$3,000~~ \$3,500 with ~~\$3,549~~ \$4,000 additional for clerk hire from the treasurer of the County of Androscoggin in weekly payments, which sum shall be in full compensation for the performance of all duties required of said recorder by law. He shall account quarterly under oath, to wit, on the first days

of January, April, July and October of each year to the treasurer of the County of Androscoggin for all fees received by him or payable to him by virtue of his office, specifying the items, and shall pay the whole amount of the same to the treasurer of the County of Androscoggin quarterly on the days aforesaid.'

Sec. 3. Effective date. The provisions of this act which relate to clerk hire and salaries of the judge and recorder of Lewiston Municipal Court shall be retroactive to January 1, 1959.