

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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ACTS AND RESOLVES

PASSED BY THE

FORTY-THIRD LEGISLATURE

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE.

1864.

Published by the Secretary of State, agreeably to Resolves of June 28, 1820,
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PUBLIC LAWS

OF THE

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SECT. 4. Any sum paid as bounty from any source, except from the United States, to any such soldier, shall be deducted from the amount to be paid from the state treasury.

SECT. 5. Cities, towns and plantations are hereby authorized to raise a sum of money not exceeding twenty-five dollars for each man of its proportion of troops required by any call by the president, to be used in paying recruiting agents, and other expenses of enlistment, which shall be assessed and collected in the same manner as other moneys raised for necessary municipal purposes.

Cities, &c., authorized to raise money.

SECT. 6. Any city, town or plantation is hereby authorized to make temporary provision for, and pay to its recruits, such bounty, under the aforesaid conditions, which shall be reimbursed to it from the state treasury, but payment of a greater sum than three hundred dollars per man, shall operate as a forfeiture of the right to reimbursement, in the case of each person so overpaid.

—may make temporary provision, &c.

SECT. 7. This act shall take effect on its approval by the governor.

Approved February 20, 1864.

Chapter 228.

An act to amend section nineteen of chapter fifty-one of the revised statutes, for the better protection of travellers upon public ways contiguous to railroads and at railroad crossings.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in Legislature assembled, as follows :

SECT. 1. Chapter fifty-one of the revised statutes is hereby amended by striking out all of the nineteenth section after the word "way" in the fifth line and inserting the words, *and whenever an engine, with or without a train, approaching a crossing of any way on the same level, runs contiguous to, or crosses over any such way, the steam whistle shall be sounded at the distance of at least one hundred rods from the place of crossing on, running beside of, or over, every such way.*

Chap. 51, sec. 19, R. S., amended.

Steam whistle to be sounded.

SECT. 2. This act shall take effect upon its approval by the governor.

Approved February 24, 1864.