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ACTS AND RESOLVES

OF THE

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OF THE

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proceedings in law and equity, shall be governed by the eastern division of standard time.

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Approved February 18, 1887.

Chapter 30.

An Act to repeal section four of chapter fifty-two of the revised statutes, relative to returns by treasurers of Steam Navigation Companies.

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

Section four of chapter fifty-two of the revised statutes is hereby repealed.

Sec. 4, ch. 52, R. S., repealed.

Approved February 21, 1887.

Chapter 31.

An Act to amend sections twenty-nine and thirty of chapter twenty-four of the Revised Statutes, relating to persons in unincorporated places needing relief.

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

SECT. 1. Chapter twenty-four, section twenty-nine of the revised statutes is hereby amended by striking out the words, "and have not lived in the town furnishing them relief," in the thirteenth line of said section, so that the whole section, when amended, shall read as follows :

Sec. 29, ch. 24, R. S., amended.

SECT. 29. Persons found in places not incorporated and needing relief, are under the care of the overseers of the oldest incorporated adjoining town, or the nearest incorporated town where there are none adjoining, who shall furnish relief to such persons, as if they were found in such towns ; and such overseers may bind to service, the children of such persons as they may those of paupers of their own town, and may bind out persons described in section twenty-seven, in manner therein provided, residing in such unincorporated place, as if in their own town, and such persons shall be entitled to a like remedy and relief. When relief is so provided, the towns so furnishing it, have the same remedies against the towns of their settlement as if they resided in the town so furnishing relief. And when such paupers have no legal settlement in the state, the state shall reimburse said

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—they and their children may be bound out.

—remedy of towns, so relieving state paupers.

CHAP. 32

town for the relief furnished, to such an amount as the governor and council adjudge to have been necessarily expended therefor.'

Sec. 30,
amended.

SECT. 2. Section thirty of chapter twenty-four of the revised statutes, is hereby amended by striking out after the word "town," in the third line, the words "in which they have never resided before such removal," so that said section as amended, shall read as follows :

Towns relieving
persons remov-
ing from unin-
corporated
place, to be re-
imbursed by
state.

'SECT. 30. When persons residing in an unincorporated place, and having no pauper settlement in the state, remove from such place to any town, and there need relief, and the same is furnished to them by such town, the state shall reimburse said town for such relief so furnished, in the same manner and under the same restrictions as to the amount reimbursed, as provided in the preceding section.'

Approved February 21, 1887.

Chapter 32.

An Act to amend chapter seventy of the revised statutes, relating to Insolvency Proceedings.

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

Sec. 62, ch. 70,
R. S., amended.

Section sixty-two of chapter seventy of the revised statutes is hereby amended, by adding thereto the following words :
'and said certificate shall not issue, until all the priorities provided in section forty are paid or secured to the satisfaction of the court.'

Certificate shall
not issue until
all priority is
paid.

Approved February 21, 1887.

Chapter 33.

An Act to provide for the burial expenses of honorably discharged Soldiers and Sailors of Maine.

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

State shall pay
burial expenses
of destitute
soldiers and
sailors.

SECT. 1. Whenever any person who served in the army, navy or marine corps of the United States during the rebellion, and was honorably discharged therefrom shall die, being at the time of his death a resident of this state and being in destitute circumstances, the state shall pay the necessary expenses of his burial ; such expenses shall not exceed the sum of thirty-five