

ACTS AND RESOLVES

OF THE

SIXTY-SIXTH LEGISLATURE

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE.

1893.

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PRIVATE AND SPECIAL LAWS

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE.

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Chapter 615.

An Act to amend Section one of Chapter four hundred and eighty-six of the Private Laws of eighteen hundred and eighty-five, regulating the appointment of the members of the Police Force of the City of Portland.

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

Section one of chapter four hundred and eighty-six of the Sec. 1. ch. 486. private laws of eighteen hundred and eighty-five is hereby 1885, amended. amended by inserting after the word "sixty," in the twelfth line of said section the word 'five,' so that said section as amended, shall read as follows:

'SECT. 1. No person shall be appointed to the police or watch of the city of Portland, as policeman, patrolman, watchman or keeper, or for any position of like rank, or for any position of inferior rank thereto, unless such person shall be a citizen of the United States, and not over forty-five years, nor under twenty-five years of age, and shall have successively passed a competitive examination as herein provided, within two years before said appointment, and shall have had a continuous residence in the city of Portland from at least two years before said examination to the time of said appointment. When any policeman, patrolman, watchman or keeper shall have arrived at the age of sixty-five years he shall be honorably discharged. The mayor and aldermen shall, as soon as may be, after the passage of this act, provide for such competitive examination by proper rules and regulations, which rules and regulations may thereafterwards be amended by said mayor and aldermen.'

Approved March 28, 1893.

Chapter 616.

An Act to amend an act entitled "An Act to enable the County of Washington to aid in the construction of the Maine Shore Line Railroad," approved March twenty, cighteen hundred ninety-one.

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

SECT. 1. Section two of chapter two hundred and fifty- Sec. 2, ch. 257, seven of the private and special laws of eighteen hundred 1891, amended. ninety-one, is hereby amended by inserting after the word "of" in the seventh line, the words 'first mortgage bonds,"

Private laws.

Mayor and aldermen, to provide rules for examination

Appointment

of policemen, tor city of Portland,

and qualification

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