

## ACTS AND RESOLVES

OF THE

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OF THE

## STATE OF MAINE

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## PUBLIC LAWS

OF THE

# STATE OF MAINE.

1897.

TOWN OFFICERS.

Inconsistent acts, repealed.

CHAP. 280 in a sardine factory or a relative of such an owner in the town where such factory is located.

> Sect. 7. All acts or parts of acts, that conflict with this act, are hereby repealed.

> > Approved March 25, 1897.

#### Chapter 280.

An Act to amend Section thirteen of Chapter three of the Revised Statutes, in relation to election of Town Officers.

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

Section thirteen of chapter three of the revised statutes, as amended by chapter ten of the public laws of eighteen hundred and eighty-seven, is hereby further amended by striking out, after the word "ballot" in the third line, the words "or other method agreed on by yote of the town" and substitute instead thereof the words 'or to be appointed by the selectmen,' so that said section, as amended, shall read as follows:

Moderator, town clerk, selectmen, assessors, 'Sect. 13. and overseers of the poor, treasurer, auditor, school committee, and town agent shall be elected by ballot, and the other said officers by ballot or to be appointed by the selectmen. The town agent shall act under the direction of the selectmen and receive such compensation for his services as fixed by vote of the town; otherwise, as the selectmen shall allow to be paid out of the treasury of the town.'

Approved March 25, 1897.

Section 13, chapter 3, R. S., as amended by chapter 10. laws, 1887, further amended.

Officers chosen by ballot.

-town agent, appointment and compensation.