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OF THE

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PRIVATE AND SPECIAL LAWS

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE.

1903.

CHAP. 420**Chapter 420.**

An Act in regard to use of the Roads in town of Eden.

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

Certain roads may be closed to auto. mobiles.

Section 1. The town of Eden in the county of Hancock, at any legal meeting of the voters thereof may close to the use of automobiles the following streets within its limits: Ocean Drive, Bay View Drive, from Duck Brook bridge to Hull's Cove bridge, the Eagle Lake roads as far as Eagle Lake and the Green Mountain drive. Any street so closed shall be marked at the entrance thereof by sign boards in large letters "No automobiles allowed on this road."

—term automobile defined.

The term "automobile" as used in this section applies to all motor vehicles propelled by power. For the violation of this act the town of Eden may vote at said meeting what punishment shall be inflicted for the violation thereof, but for the first offense, not over twenty-five dollars and cost of prosecution; for the second offense, not over twenty-five dollars or thirty days' imprisonment, or both and cost of prosecution.

—penalty.

Section 2. This act shall take effect when approved.

Approved March 28, 1903.

Chapter 421.

An Act to maintain and operate a Draw Bridge at the outlet of Long Lake in the town of Naples.

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

Town of Naples authorized to maintain draw bridge.

Section 1. The town of Naples, in the county of Cumberland, is hereby authorized to maintain and operate the draw bridge at the outlet of Long lake, in said town, to allow the passage of steam and other boats through the same.

Keeper of toll bridge.

Section 2. The municipal officers of said town of Naples, on or before the first day of April annually, shall appoint a suitable person to act as keeper or tender of said bridge, and he or his duly qualified assistant shall have exclusive charge of the opening and closing of said bridge. Such keeper, or his assistant, shall be in constant attendance from the hour of seven o'clock in the morning until six o'clock at night during the months of June, July, August, and September, for the purpose of opening and closing said bridge to allow the passage of all boats and

—hours of attendance of keeper.

vessels through the bridge during said hours. And such draw-tender, or his assistant, shall be in attendance to open and close such bridge for the passage of any boat at such additional time and hour as may be necessary, upon the request of any captain, agent or owner of said boat.

Section 3. Said bridge shall at all times be so opened and closed as not to unnecessarily hinder or obstruct navigation through, nor travel over it.

Opening and closing shall not obstruct travel or navigation.

Section 4. Said municipal officers shall annually appoint a competent assistant to tend said bridge when the regular tender is unavoidably absent.

Keepers' assistant.

Section 5. No person, unless the duly appointed draw-tender or keeper or his qualified assistant, shall be allowed to open such bridge at any time, under a penalty of ten dollars for each offense, the same to be collected in an action of debt, in any competent court of jurisdiction.

Unauthorized persons shall not open draw.

Section 6. This act shall take effect when approved.

Approved March 28, 1903.

Chapter 422.

An Act in relation to the salary of the Recorder of the Municipal Court of the City of Biddeford.

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

Chapter twenty-four of the private and special laws of eighteen hundred and ninety-nine is hereby amended as follows, namely: by striking out section two and inserting instead thereof the following:

Chapter 24, private and special laws of 1899, amended.

'Section 2. For all services rendered, except when there is a vacancy in the office of judge, the recorder shall be paid from the county treasury the sum of three hundred dollars annually, payable on the first days of January, April, July and October, which shall be in full of all services rendered as such recorder.'

Salary of recorder

Approved March 28, 1903.