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OF THE
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Chapter 71.

An Act relating to Plumbers and Plumbing.

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

Section 1. In water districts and in cities and towns which own and control municipal water works, either by direct ownership of the plant or by ownership of the majority of the stock thereof, no plumbing shall hereafter be done on any pipes or fixtures for the use of water from such water works, unless done by a plumber or other person licensed by the water board of such district or the board of water commissioners of such cities or the municipal officers of such towns. Said water boards and municipal officers are hereby authorized to grant and revoke licenses.

Plumbers in water districts and in cities and towns which own water works, shall be licensed.

Section 2. Every plumber or the person who shall set up any pipes or fixtures for the use of water from such municipal water works, or from any other water works in the state of Maine, or shall make repairs upon, additions to, or alterations of, any pipes or fixtures set up previous thereto, shall, between the first and tenth days of the succeeding month, after the same shall be completed, fill up and return to the superintendent of the water works on which such work, repairs or alterations are made, a report, stating particularly what new pipes and fixtures he has set up and what repairs, additions and alterations he has made upon or to those previously set up, describing all fixtures both new and old for the use of water on the premises.

Persons shall report fixtures set up, etc., to superintendent of water district or works.

Section 3. For any misrepresentation or omission in the report of the work done, such plumber or other person shall be liable, if licensed, to suspension or to have his license revoked by said board or municipal officers, and whether licensed or not to pay a fine of not less than five nor more than twenty dollars, to be recovered in an action of debt in the name of the city or town treasurer in which such work is done, before the municipal court of such city or a trial justice in such town.

Suspension of license or revocal to follow misrepresentation by plumber.

Section 4. If any plumber or person not duly licensed shall set up any pipes or fixtures for the use of water from any water works designated in section one of this act, or make any repairs upon, additions to, or alterations of, any pipes or fixtures previously thereto set up, he shall forfeit and pay a sum of not less than five nor more than twenty dollars, to be recovered by complaint, or in an action of debt in the name of the treasurer of the water district or the city or town in which such work is done, before the municipal court of such city or a trial justice in such town.

Penalty for violation of this act.

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This act shall not affect inconsistent provisions in city charters.

Section 5. This act shall not affect provisions in city charters and ordinances, which provisions are inconsistent herewith.

Section 6. This act shall take effect when approved.

Approved March 15, 1905.

Chapter 72.

An Act to amend Section one of Chapter fifty-seven of the Revised Statutes, by providing for the incorporation of Yacht Clubs.

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

Section 1,
chapter 57, R.
S., amended.

Section 1. Section one of chapter fifty-seven of the revised statutes is hereby amended by inserting after the word "society" in the ninth line the words 'as a yacht club,' so that said section as amended, shall read as follows:

Libraries,
certain
societies for
charitable
purposes,
literary
purposes,
etc., how
incorporated.

'Section 1. When seven or more persons desire to be incorporated as proprietors of a social, military, literary, scientific or county law library; as a Masonic lodge or chapter of any order or degree; as a lodge of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows; as a division of the Sons of Temperance; as a tent of Rechabites; as a grange of Patrons of Husbandry; as a council of the Sovereigns of Industry; as a Grand Army post; as a relief or benefit association for mutual assistance; as a monument or memorial association; as a society to promote temperance; as a village improvement society; as a yacht club, or for any literary, scientific, musical, charitable, educational, social, military, agricultural, moral, religious or benevolent purpose; they may apply in writing to any justice of the peace in the county, who may issue his warrant, directed to one of said applicants, requiring him to call a meeting thereof at such time and place as the justice may appoint.'

--secret
societies.

--yacht club.

Notice of
meeting, how
given.

Section 2. This act shall take effect when approved.

Approved March 15, 1905.