

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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ACTS AND RESOLVES

OF THE

SEVENTY-FOURTH LEGISLATURE

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE

1909

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STATE OF MAINE

As Passed by the Seventy-fourth
Legislature

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CHAP. 8

observed as a National Holiday, and such action has already been taken by several of the state legislatures, and

Whereas, a proper observance of that day as a holiday will by stimulating patriotism make for the peace and safety of the state and country, and

Whereas, by an act approved on February second, nineteen hundred and nine, purporting to be an emergency measure and to take effect when approved, said day was made a state and bank holiday, but said act as drawn and passed cannot take effect until ninety days after the recess of the legislature, but said act is believed by many persons to have taken effect and as a result presentment of notes and bills of exchange may be deferred and great loss thus occasioned, and

Whereas in the opinion of the legislature the facts above set forth create an emergency making it immediately necessary for the preservation of the public peace and safety that an act be passed making February twelfth, nineteen hundred and nine, a state and bank holiday, so that the same may go into effect on approval, therefore,

Be it enacted by the People of the State of Maine, as follows:

February 12,
1909, to be
known as
Lincoln day

Section 1. February twelfth, nineteen hundred and nine, is hereby declared to be a state and bank holiday, to be known as Lincoln day, and shall be observed by the schools of the state in a manner appropriate to the occasion.

Section 2. This act shall take effect when approved.

Approved February 11, 1909.

Chapter 8.

An Act relating to the issue of Bonds.

Be it enacted by the People of the State of Maine, as follows:

Chapter 71,
Public Laws
1907, de-
fined.

The provisions of chapter seventy-one of the public laws of nineteen hundred and seven shall not be deemed to prevent any county, city, town or water district, or municipal, private or other corporation organized under the laws of this state from issuing bonds and making them payable in the same manner as it might do if the said chapter were not enacted. And no bonds heretofore issued, if valid in other respects, shall be deemed invalid on account of any failure to comply with the provisions of the said chapter.

Approved February 11, 1909.