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half of one per cent on the average amount so returned of the investments of such associations other than in loans to individuals and corporations on real estate and on shares of the association.'

Approved February 25, 1909.

### Chapter 25.

An Act in relation to supplies furnished any person or family while placed in quarantine by the Board of Health.

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

Board of health shall assist persons placed in quarantine.

Section 1. Whenever any person or family is placed in quarantine by a board of health, to protect the public against small pox, scarlet fever, diphtheria, or any other dangerous or contagious disease, it shall be the duty of said board to assist such person or family, if indigent or in a needy condition while in quarantine, in such a manner as in the judgment of the board may be deemed wise and necessary.

Expenses incurred shall be deemed legitimate, and charged to town.

Section 2. All expenses including all supplies of food and medicine including antitoxin incurred in carrying out the provisions of section one of this act, or incurred in furnishing families or persons affected with tuberculosis with burnable spitcups, or other supplies needed to prevent the spread of infection, or such part thereof as the board may determine, shall be deemed a legitimate expenditure for the protection of the public health and shall be charged to the account of incidental expenses of the town, but not to any pauper account, nor shall any person so quarantined and assisted, be considered a pauper, or be subject to disfranchisement for that cause unless such persons are already paupers as defined by the revised statutes.

Approved February 25, 1909.

### Chapter 26.

An Act amending Section thirty-eight of Chapter sixty-one of the Revised Statutes, relating to the registration of Vital Statistics.

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

Section 38, chapter 61, R. S., amended.

Section thirty-eight of chapter sixty-one of the revised statutes is hereby amended by adding after the word "death," in the eighth line thereof, the words 'or marriage;' and after

the word "physicians," ending in the ninth line, the words, 'justices of the peace and ministers of the gospel;' and after the word "death," in the last line, the word 'marriage,' so that the same as amended shall read as follows:

'Section 38. The clerk of each city or town shall enforce, so far as comes within his power, sections ten, twenty, twenty-two, twenty-five, twenty-eight and thirty-one of this chapter, and when he knows of any birth, marriage or death, which is not reported to his office in accordance with the provisions of this chapter, he shall collect so far as he is able to do so, the facts called for in the blank certificates of birth, of marriage or of death, as furnished by the state registrar, and shall record them as is herein prescribed; for each birth or death or marriage duly reported to the town clerk, physicians or justices of the peace and ministers of the gospel shall receive twenty-five cents from the town in which the birth or death or marriage has occurred.'

Duties of clerks.

—clerk shall obtain facts as to births, deaths and marriages not reported.

—fees.

Approved February 25, 1909.

### Chapter 27.

An Act to amend Section one hundred and twelve of Chapter fifteen of the Revised Statutes, relating to Normal Schools and Training Schools.

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

Section one hundred and twelve of chapter fifteen of the revised statutes is hereby amended by striking out all words after the word "tuition" in line five of said section, so that said section, when amended, shall read as follows:

Section 112, chapter 15, R. S., amended.

'Section 112. Applicants for admission shall be sixteen years of age if females, and seventeen if males, and shall signify their intention to become teachers and come under obligation to teach in this state for at least one year, and if they receive a diploma, two years after they have graduated; on these conditions they shall be received without charge for tuition.'

Applicants for admission, qualification of.

Approved February 26, 1909.