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TO REMOVE UNWORTHY ATTORNEYS.

commissioner, who shall attend to the posting and publication of the proclamation. All expense thereof and all the expense of enforcing the provisions of the proclamation shall be paid by said commissioner, after allowance by the state auditor, mations, from any funds in the state treasury not otherwise appropriated.

Section 4. If after the issuing of the proclamation as provided in section one, by reason of rains or otherwise, the governor is satisfied that the occasion has passed for the issuance of the proclamation, he may annul it by another proclamation issued as provided in this act for the issuance of the first proclamation.

Approved March 11, 1909.

Chapter 53.

An Act to amend Section thirty-seven, of Chapter eighty-one of the Revised Statutes, relating to the removal of unworthy Attorneys.

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

Section thirty-seven of chapter eighty-one of the revised section 37, statutes is hereby amended by inserting after the words R. S., "committee of the bar," in the third line of said section, the words 'or bar association,' so that said section as amended, shall read as follows:

'Section 37. Whenever an information is filed in the clerk's Information office of the supreme judicial court in any county, by the attorney general, or by a committee of the bar or bar association of such county, charging that an attorney at law has become and is disqualified for the office of attorney and counselor at law, for reasons specified in the information, any justice of said court, in term time or in vacation, may, in the name of the state, issue a rule requiring the attorney informed against, to appear on a day fixed, to show cause why his name should not be struck from the roll of attorneys, which rule, with an attested copy of the information, shall be served upon such attorney in such manner as the justice directs, at least fourteen days before the return day, and shall be made returnable, either in the county where such attorney resides or where it is charged that the misconduct was committed.'

Approved March 11, 1909.

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-forest commissioner shall publish and procla-

When When pro-clamation may annulled.

amended.

may be filed by attorney general committee of bar against attorney. any

-rule to show cause. -rule to

-service.

where returnable.