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ACTS AND RESOLVES

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OF THE

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city or town hall, in any court house or court room, in any factory, in any public library or museum, in any church or theatre, in any lecture or music hall, in any ferryboat or steamboat, in any railroad car, except a smoking car, in any street or inter-urban railway car, in any railroad or railway station, or waiting-room or on any sidewalk or platform connected therewith.

Penalty

Section 2. Whoever violates any provision of this act shall be punished by a fine of not more than twenty dollars.

Approved March 16, 1909.

Chapter 77.

An Act relating to Pleading a Discharge in Bankruptcy.

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

Discharge
in bank-
ruptcy, how
pleaded.

A discharge in bankruptcy may be pleaded by a simple averment that on the day of its date such discharge was granted to the bankrupt, and a certificate of such discharge under seal of the court granting the same, shall be conclusive evidence in favor of such bankrupt of the fact and regularity of such discharge.

Approved March 16, 1909.

Chapter 78.

An Act providing for the better protection of the people of the State of Maine from the disease known as Tuberculosis.

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

A register
of all per-
sons affect-
ed shall be
kept.

Section 1. The state board of health of Maine shall keep a register of all persons in this state who are known to be affected with tuberculosis. The state board of health shall have sole and exclusive control of said register, and shall not permit inspection thereof nor disclose any of its personal particulars except to its own agents or to local officials when in the interest of the public health and safety it is deemed necessary to do so.

Declared to
be an infec-
tious dis-
ease.
—duty of
physician.

Section 2. Tuberculosis is hereby declared to be an infectious and communicable disease, dangerous to the public health. It shall be the duty of every physician in the state of Maine to report in writing on forms to be furnished by the state board of health the name, age, sex, color, occupation, place where last employed if known, and address of every person known by said physician to have tuberculosis, to the secretary