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ACTS AND RESOLVES

OF THE

SEVENTY-FOURTH LEGISLATURE

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE

1909

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cers thereof, if any statement or report which is required by the provisions of this act is made by them which is false in any material representation and which they know to be false; but only the officers who sign such statement or report shall be so liable.

Approved March 19, 1909.

Chapter 114.

An Act to amend Section forty-eight of Chapter eight of the Revised Statutes, relating to taxation of Insurance Companies.

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

Section forty-eight of chapter eight of the revised statutes is hereby amended by striking out the whole of said section and substituting therefor the following:

Section 48,
chapter 8,
R. S.,
amended.

'Section 48. Every insurance company or association which does business or collects premiums or assessments in the state, except those mentioned in section forty-six, including surety companies and companies engaged in the business of credit insurance or title insurance, shall, as hereinafter provided, annually pay a tax upon all premiums received, whether in cash or in notes absolutely payable, on contracts made in the state for insurance of life, property or interest therein, at the rate of one and one-half per cent a year, provided, however, that no tax shall be required on account of any premium paid or assessment levied on policies of insurance issued on farm property.'

Foreign in-
surance
companies
shall pay
tax on
premiums.

—exception.

Approved March 19, 1909.

Chapter 115.

An Act to revise and consolidate the laws relating to the collection, examination, inspection and analysis of Agricultural Seeds, Concentrated Commercial Feeding Stuffs, Commercial Fertilizer, and Foods and Drugs.

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

Section 1. There shall be appropriated annually from the state treasury the sum of nine thousand dollars in favor of the Maine Agricultural Experiment Station, and the same shall be expended by the directors of said station in executing the provisions of the laws relating to the collection, examination, inspection and analysis of agricultural seeds, concentrated commercial feeding stuffs, commercial fertilizer, and foods and drugs. Payments of said appropriation shall be made quarterly upon the order of the governor and council,

Appropriation for
Maine Agri-
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