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dollars for every day necessarily and actually employed in the services of the town. Towns having three thousand or more inhabitants may vote to pay their selectmen a compensation not exceeding five dollars a day for time actually spent in the service of the town, and towns having less than three thousand inhabitants may, by major vote at its annual town meeting fix the compensation of its board of selectmen, allowing such sum as may be commensurate with the duties of the office.'

Approved March 17, 1911.

Chapter 47.

An Act in addition to Chapter ninety-three of the Revised Statutes, relating to liens on Lands.

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

Whoever performs labor or furnishes labor or materials in the laying out, or construction of any road, path or walk, or in improving or beautifying any land in a manner commonly known as landscape gardening, by virtue of a contract or by consent of the owner, has a lien thereon to secure payment thereof, with costs. Such lien may be preserved and enforced in the same manner and under the same restrictions as liens on buildings and lots are preserved and enforced under sections twenty-nine to forty-three inclusive of chapter ninety-three of the revised statutes. The lien provided for herein is made subject to all the provisions of said sections and acts amendatory thereof, wherever applicable.

Liens on lands.

—how enforced.

Approved March 20, 1911.

Chapter 48.

An Act to further amend Chapter four of the Revised Statutes as amended by Chapter seventy-eight of the Public Laws of nineteen hundred and five, relating to Town and City By-Laws and Ordinances.

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

Chapter four of the revised statutes as amended by chapter seventy-eight of the public laws of nineteen hundred and five is hereby further amended by striking out the word "five" in paragraph twelve and inserting therefor the word 'one' so that said paragraph as amended shall read as follows:

Chapter 4, R. S., as amended by Chapter 78, public laws 1905, further amended.

CHAP. 49

By-laws may be adopted in certain cities and towns to regulate purchases and sales by junk dealers and pawn-brokers.

'12. Cities and all towns of more than one thousand inhabitants may establish and adopt by-laws and ordinances regulating the purchase and sale of articles usually bought of old junk dealers and dealers in second hand articles, and the pawning of articles with pawn-brokers, and may therein prescribe conditions to be observed by buyers and sellers, pawners and pawn-brokers, to prevent or detect the sale or purchase of stolen goods; and suitable penalties may be prescribed in such by-laws and ordinances.'

Approved March 20, 1911.

Chapter 49.

An Act to amend Chapter seventy-nine of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter twenty-eight and one hundred seventy-five of the Public Laws of nineteen hundred and seven, relating to the terms of the Supreme Judicial Court in Aroostook County.

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

Chapter 79, R. S., as amended by chapter 28, and 175, public laws 1907, further amended.

Section 1. Chapter seventy-nine of the revised statutes, as amended by chapter twenty-eight and one hundred seventy-five of the public laws of nineteen hundred and seven is hereby amended by striking out all of the third paragraph of section fifty-one of said chapter seventy-nine, and inserting in its stead the following:

—terms of S. J. C. in Aroostook county.

'Aroostook at Houlton on the first Tuesday of April, and the third Tuesday of November, for civil and criminal business, and at Caribou on the first Tuesday of February and the third Tuesday of September for civil business only. All civil suits and processes which by law should have been entered at the term of the said supreme court next after this act takes effect, shall be returnable to, and be entered on the docket of the said supreme judicial court at the September term of same holden next after this act takes effect, and shall have day in said supreme judicial court, and be heard and disposed of as if originally entered therein, and all indictments and informations, and all parties, grand juries, witnesses and others who have been held to appear at the term of said supreme court which but for the passage of this act would have been held in Houlton in September nineteen hundred and eleven shall be holden to appear at the term of said supreme judicial court to be held at Houlton in said county, in November next after this act takes effect.'

Inconsistent acts repealed.

Section 2. Said chapter twenty-eight and one hundred seventy-five of the public laws of nineteen hundred and seven, and all other acts, or parts of acts, inconsistent herewith, are hereby repealed.

Approved March 20, 1911.