

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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ACTS AND RESOLVES

OF THE

SEVENTY-SIXTH LEGISLATURE

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE

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clusive, and one hundred and thirty-three to one hundred and thirty-six, both inclusive.' CHAP. 73

Section 2. Said primary election law is further amended by adding the following section :

Primary election law further amended. Number of ballots to be provided for primary elections.

'Section 31. There shall be provided or furnished by the secretary of state for each voting place or precinct at which an election is to be held, not less than sixty of each party primary nominating ballots for every fifty votes and fraction of fifty votes cast by that party in said voting place or precinct at the next preceding election, city, county, state or national, corresponding to the election for which said primary election is to be held and for which said ballots are provided. If the city, town or plantation clerk deems that more than the above number of ballots may be required by any party on account of an increased enrollment, he shall so certify, on or before the date for filing primary nomination papers, to the secretary of state, who shall add the number so asked for to the number of primary nominating ballots sent to that city, town or plantation.'

—clerk of town may apply for larger supply of ballots.

Approved March 18, 1913.

### Chapter 73.

An Act to Amend Section Thirty-eight of Chapter Forty-seven of the Revised Statutes, Relative to Giving Notice of the Time and Place of Sale of Shares of Stock in Corporations to Pay Assessments.

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

Section thirty-eight of chapter forty-seven of the revised statutes is hereby amended so as to read as follows :

Section 38 of chapter 47, amended.

'Section 38. The treasurer, before the sale, shall give notice of the time and place thereof, of the number of shares on which the assessment is due, and of the amount due on each share, in a newspaper printed in the town, if any, if not in the county where the office of the clerk of such corporation is established, otherwise in the state paper, three weeks successively, and such notice shall likewise be given in one other leading newspaper printed in the state, the notice in said papers to, in all cases, be printed on the financial pages of said papers. Written or printed notice as aforesaid shall also be given to each stockholder of record in the corporation, at his last known address at least ten days before the sale.

Notice of sale, how given; title, how transferred to purchaser.

At said sale the treasurer of the corporation shall announce the market price of the stock to be sold, or if the stock has no market price, the treasurer shall make a statement of the financial condition of the company, showing what the stock is worth.

—notice shall be given each stockholder.  
—treasurer shall announce market price of stock.  
—or state financial condition of company.

## CHAP. 74

If no bids are received treasurer shall bid in stock.

—proviso.

Treasurer's certificate passes the title.

If no bids are received at said sale for said stock, the treasurer of the corporation shall bid in said stock in behalf of the corporation, the same to be again sold by the corporation as the directors may vote. Provided, however, that no rights of creditors of the corporation shall be thereby affected and such stock so long as held by the corporation shall have no voting power.

The treasurer's certificate of the sale of such shares, recorded as other transfers, passes the title to the purchaser.'

Approved March 18, 1913.

### Chapter 74.

An Act to Amend Section Eight of Chapter One Hundred and Ninety-five of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Eleven Relating to the Disposition of Cattle Re-acting to the Tuberculin Test.

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

Section 8 of chapter 195, P. L. of 1911, amended.

Section eight of chapter one hundred ninety-five of the public laws of nineteen hundred eleven is hereby amended by adding thereto the following paragraph :

'Cattle re-acting to the tuberculin test may be sent to establishments maintaining a United States Government meat inspection service, and be killed under federal government inspection, and be disposed of according to the requirements of the Government Meat Inspection Act,' so that said section as amended shall read as follows :

Conditions under which owner of condemned cattle may receive fair compensation for same.

'Section 8. When cattle shipped from Maine to the quarantine station at Brighton, Massachusetts, are subjected to the tuberculin test, and respond to such test, and the inspector for the Cattle Bureau of Massachusetts shall find upon post-mortem examination that such cattle were diseased from tuberculosis, and will so state in writing within twenty days from shipment from the state, to the live stock sanitary commissioner, and shall also give in writing, a description of such animal, the name of the owner, the shipper, the date and name of place from which same was shipped, the name of the party of whom it was bought and the fair cash value of such animal at time condemned, and shall also comply with any other rule or regulation that the live stock sanitary commissioner may require, the owner shall be entitled to receive a fair market value, not to exceed fifty dollars for grade and one hundred dollars for thoroughbred cattle, with a pedigree recorded or recordable ; but in no case shall he be paid for any animal condemned under the provisions of this section, until he has filed with the live stock sanitary commissioner a claim, stating the name of the owner, the shipper,