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OF THE

SEVENTY-SIXTH LEGISLATURE

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE

1913

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As Passed by the Seventy-Sixth
Legislature

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Chapter 124.**CHAP. 124**

An Act to Amend Section Thirty-nine of Chapter Thirty-nine of the Revised Statutes, Relative to the Weights of Certain Commodities.

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

Section thirty-nine of chapter thirty-nine of the revised statutes is hereby amended by inserting in the twelfth line after the words "eleven pounds," the following: 'of strawberries, raspberries and blackberries, forty pounds each, blueberries, forty-two pounds; currants, forty pounds; dried apples, forty-eight pounds; peaches, forty-eight pounds; dried peaches, thirty-three pounds; sweet potatoes, fifty-four pounds; quinces, forty-eight pounds; tomatoes, fifty-six pounds,' and by inserting in the eighteenth line, after the words "forty-five pounds," the following: 'for clover seed, sixty pounds; alfalfa seed, sixty pounds; flaxseed, fifty-six pounds; hemp seed, forty-four pounds; Hungarian grass seed, forty-eight pounds; orchard grass seed, fourteen pounds; red-top seed, fourteen pounds; sorghum seed, fifty pounds; timothy seed, forty-five pounds; millet seed, fifty pounds; bran, twenty pounds;' so that said section as amended shall read as follows:

Section 39
of chap. 39
of R. S.,
amended.

'Section 39. The standard weight of a bushel of potatoes, in good order and fit for shipping, is sixty pounds; of apples in good order and fit for the market, forty-four pounds; of wheat, sixty pounds; of corn, fifty-six pounds; of barley and buckwheat, forty-eight pounds; of carrots, fifty pounds; of onions in good order and fit for shipping, fifty-two pounds; of ruta бага, sugar beets, mangel wurzel, and turnip beets, in like condition, sixty pounds; of English turnips, in like condition, fifty pounds; of parsnips, in like condition, forty-five pounds; of beans, in like condition, sixty pounds; of peas, sixty pounds; of rye and Indian meal, fifty pounds; of oats, thirty-two pounds; of Turk's Island, or other coarse grades of salt, seventy pounds; and of Liverpool, or other fine grades, sixty pounds; and of hair used in masonry, well dried and cleaned, eleven pounds; of strawberries, raspberries and blackberries, forty pounds each; blueberries, forty-two pounds; currants, forty pounds; dried apples, forty-eight pounds; peaches, forty-eight pounds; dried peaches, thirty-three pounds; sweet potatoes, fifty-four pounds; quinces, forty-eight pounds; tomatoes, fifty-six pounds; and the measure of each of these articles shall be determined as aforesaid at the request of the vendor or vendee; and if either party refuses so to do, he forfeits twenty cents for each bushel, to the person prosecuting therefor within thirty days.

Standard
weight
fixed.

CHAP. 125

—weight of
seeds fixed.

'The standard weight of a bushel of herdsgrass seed, when well cleaned and in good condition, is forty-five pounds; for clover seed, sixty pounds; alfalfa seed, sixty pounds; flaxseed, fifty-six pounds; hemp seed, forty-four pounds; Hungarian grass seed, forty-eight pounds; orchard grass seed, fourteen pounds; redtop seed, fourteen pounds; sorghum seed, fifty pounds; timothy seed, forty-five pounds; millet seed, fifty pounds; bran, twenty pounds.'

Weight of a
barrel of
potatoes
fixed.

'The standard weight of a barrel of potatoes, in good order and fit for shipping, is one hundred and sixty-five pounds.'

Approved March 25, 1913.

Chapter 125.

An Act Relating to the Insurance of Property Owned by the State.

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

Insurance
money paid
to state for
loss shall
be imme-
diately
available for
replace-
ment.

Whenever any state officer or state department has taken out fire insurance on property owned by the state, or for which the state is responsible, payable to the state treasurer, and said property has been destroyed, the money paid by the insurance companies on the loss shall, with the approval of the governor and council, be made immediately available for the use of such office or department in replacing the destroyed property, or otherwise as may be needed in furthering the work of the office or department.

Approved March 25, 1913.

Chapter 126.

An Act to Amend Section Thirty of Chapter Fifty-one of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter One Hundred Twenty-seven of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred and Five, as Amended by Chapter Ninety-two of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred and Seven, Relating to Railroad Branch Tracks.

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

Section 30
of chap. 51,
R. S., as
amended by
chap. 127, P.
L. of 1905,
as amend-
ed by chap.
92, P. L. of
1907, fur-
ther amend-
ed.

Section thirty of chapter fifty-one of the revised statutes, as amended by chapter one hundred and twenty-seven of the public laws of nineteen hundred and five, as amended by chapter ninety-two of the public laws of nineteen hundred and seven, is hereby further amended by inserting after the word "yard" in the fifth line of said section as amended, the words 'ware-