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CHAP. 297

—proviso.

—State employees.

—county and city employees.

—town employees.

—act not to apply in certain cases.

—penalty for violation of this act.

provided, that when an employee is discharged he shall be paid the wages due him on demand; and the State, its officers, boards and commissions shall so pay every mechanic, workman and laborer who is employed by it or them, and every county and city shall so pay every employee who is engaged in its business the wages or salary earned by him, unless such mechanic, workman, laborer or employee requests in writing to be paid in a different manner; and every town shall so pay each employee in its business if so required by him; but an employee who is absent from his regular place of labor at a time fixed for payment shall be paid thereafter on demand. The provisions of this section shall not apply to an employee engaged in cutting and hauling logs and lumber, nor the driving of same until it reaches its place of destination for sale or manufacture; nor to an employee of a cooperative corporation or association if he is a stockholder therein unless he requests such corporation to pay him weekly. No corporation, contractor, person or partnership shall by a special contract with an employee or by any other means exempt himself or itself from the provisions of this act. Whoever violates the provisions of this act shall be punished by a fine of not less than ten nor more than fifty dollars.'

Approved April 1, 1915.

Chapter 297.

An Act Relating to the Appointment of Appraisers by the Probate Courts.

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

Appraisers of property may be appointed by judge or register of probate.

Appraisers of the property of deceased persons, or persons under guardianship, and of property held by testamentary trustees, may be appointed by the judge or register of probate; and the judge or register may appoint only one appraiser, if in his opinion, the nature of the property makes it advisable so to do.

Approved April 1, 1915.