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# Acts and Resolves

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# STATE OF MAINE

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## CHAP. 124

## Chapter 124.

An Act Prohibiting Weighers of Coal, Hay, Straw, Junk and Other Articles and Measurers of Wood, Bark or Charcoal from giving Certificates of Weight or Measure until they have Qualified for the Faithful Performance of the Duties of their Offices.

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

Weighers and measurers not to give certificate of weight or measure until qualified; penalty. It shall be unlawful for any weigher of coal, hay, straw, junk or other articles offered to be weighed, or for any measurer of wood, bark or charcoal to give a certificate of weight or measure until said weigher or measurer shall have qualified by taking oath for the faithful performance of the duties of his office. Whoever violates the provisions of this act shall be punished by a fine of not less than ten dollars or more than twenty-five dollars for each offense and trial justices and municipal courts shall have concurrent jurisdiction with the supreme judicial court of all prosecutions for violations of this act.

Approved March 28, 1919.

## Chapter 125.

An Act to Amend Section Three of Chapter Two Hundred and Fifty-three of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred and Seventeen, Relating to the Collection of Delinquent Taxes.

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

1917, c. 253, § 3; relating to the sale of personal property in unorganized places for taxes, amended. Section three of chapter two hundred and fifty-three of the public laws of nineteen hundred and seventeen is hereby amended by striking out the following words in lines eleven and twelve: "under such conditions as may be determined by the board of state assessors", and inserting therefor the following: 'When the time for the payment of the tax to the treasurer of state has expired, and it is unpaid, the treasurer of state shall give notice thereof to the delinquent property owner, and unless such tax shall be paid within sixty days, the treasurer of state may issue his warrant to the sheriff of the county, requiring him to levy by distress and sale upon the personal property of said property owner, and the sheriff or his deputy shall execute such warrants,' so that said section, as amended, shall read as follows:

**'Sec. 3. Process to be employed when time for payment has expired.** Taxes levied under the provisions of section one shall be paid to the treasurer of state on or before October first of each year, and the treasurer of state shall at once credit the county treasurer with the amount of county tax so received, and this amount, plus interest after October first, shall be paid by the treasurer of state to the several county treasurers within thirty days from receipt thereof, and the governor and council are hereby author-