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# Acts and Resolves

As Passed by the

## Seventy-Ninth Legislature

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# STATE OF MAINE

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**'Sec. 41. Appropriation not fixed at any stated sum; payable upon warrants of governor and council.** The legislature shall from time to time appropriate sums in favor of the commissioner of agriculture, division of inspections, and the same shall be expended by the commissioner in executing the laws relating to the collection, examination, inspection and analysis of agricultural seeds, concentrated commercial feeding stuffs, commercial fertilizer, and foods and drugs. Payments of said appropriation shall be made upon the warrants of the governor and council. The commissioner shall annually publish a classified account of all receipts and expenditures under this section.'

Approved April 4, 1919.

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## Chapter 226.

An Act to Amend Section Seven of Chapter One Hundred and Seventeen of the Revised Statutes, Relating to Compensation of Judges upon Retirement.

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

**R. S., c. 117, § 7; relating to compensation of judges upon retirement, amended.** Section seven of chapter one hundred and seventeen of the revised statutes is hereby amended by striking out the word "consecutive" in the third line thereof; also by striking out in the tenth line thereof the word "serving" and inserting in place thereof the words 'having served'; also by striking out in the eleventh line thereof the word "consecutive"; also by striking out in the fourteenth line of said section the word "consecutive"; so that said section, as amended, shall read as follows:

**'Sec. 7. Service need not be consecutive.** Any justice of the supreme judicial court or superior court who, having attained the age of seventy years and having served as such justice for at least ten years, resigns his said office or ceases to serve at the expiration of any term thereof, shall during the remainder of his life receive an amount equal to one-half of the salary which is by law payable to him at the time of such resignation or termination of service; to be paid by the state in the same manner as salaries of justices of said court are paid. The provisions of this paragraph shall apply to present and former justices of said courts. Provided, however, that such justice shall within one year after attaining the age of seventy years and having served as such justice for at least ten years cease to serve as such justice. Any justice of the supreme judicial court or superior court who, having attained the age of seventy years and having served as such justice for at least ten years, continues to serve as such justice for more than one year, shall waive his right to the compensation hereinbefore mentioned and shall make no claim therefor at the close of his term of service as such justice, whether such term of service is ended by resignation or by the expiration of the term for which he is appointed.'

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