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five hundred dollars a year,' so that said section, as amended, shall read as follows:

'Sec. 11. Salary of stenographer of Cumberland superior court increased from \$2100 to \$2500. The salaries of the stenographers of the superior courts to be paid quarterly from the treasuries of their counties, in full for all services formerly chargeable to the counties are as follows: Cumberland, twenty-five hundred dollars a year; Kennebec, eighteen hundred dollars a year. They shall also receive from the county in which the court is held, their expenses when in attendance upon court away from their places of residence, but not otherwise; a detailed statement of such expense actually and reasonably incurred shall be approved by the presiding justice.'

Approved April 4, 1921.

Chapter 105.

An Act to Amend Section Thirty-seven of Chapter Two Hundred and Nineteen of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred and Seventeen, as Amended by Chapter One Hundred and Thirty-one of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred and Nineteen,, Relating to the Protection of Moose.

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

Sec. 1. R. S., c. 33, § 37; 1917, c. 219, sec. 37; 1919, c. 131; relating to the protection of moose, amended. Section thirty-seven of chapter two hundred and nineteen of the public laws of nineteen hundred and seventeen, as amended by chapter one hundred and thirty-one of the public laws of nineteen hundred and nineteen, is hereby amended by striking out all of said section and substituting therefor the following section:

'Sec. 37. Close time on moose for a period of four years; penalty for violation; provides for importation of moose legally killed outside of state, but prohibits the sale; customs officers to issue importation license. Whoever, at any time, for a period of four years from the date this act becomes effective, hunts, pursues or kills any moose, or has in possession any part or parts thereof, whenever or wherever taken, caught or killed, shall pay a fine of not less than two hundred nor more than three hundred dollars and costs for each offense, or be imprisoned not exceeding four months or shall be subject to both said fine and imprisonment.

'Provided, however, that the commissioner of inland fisheries and game, upon application from any person who has legally killed a moose beyond the limits of this state, may issue a special importation license permitting the importation of such moose, or part thereof, for consumption or mounting within this state, under such rules and regulations as said commissioner may establish; provided, however, that no moose, or part thereof, imported

by virtue of this act shall be sold or offered for sale at any time, and provided, further, that said commissioner shall appoint the customs officers or other persons at convenient points along the Maine boundary as agents to issue the importation licenses above named.'

Sec. 2. Inconsistent statutes repealed. All acts or parts of acts inconsistent with this act are hereby repealed.

Approved April 4, 1921.

Chapter 106.

An Act to Amend Section Nine of Chapter Twenty-nine of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter Two Hundred and Two of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred and Seventeen, Prohibiting the Treatment of World War Veterans as Paupers.

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

R. S., c. 29, § 9; 1917, c. 202; prohibiting the treatment of soldiers as paupers, amended. Section nine of chapter twenty-nine of the revised statutes, as amended by chapter two hundred two of the public laws of nineteen hundred seventeen, is hereby further amended so that said section, as amended, shall read as follows:

'Sec. 9. Is applicable only to veterans of Civil War, Spanish War and World War and their families. No soldier, sailor or marine who served in the army, navy or marine corps of the United States, in the war of eighteen hundred and sixty-one, in the war with Spain or in the World War, and who has received an honorable discharge from said service, and who has or may become dependent upon any town, shall be considered a pauper, or be subject to disfranchisement for that cause; but the time during which said soldier, sailor or marine is so dependent, shall not be included in the period of residence necessary to change his settlement; and overseers of the poor shall not have authority to remove to, or support in, the poorhouse any such dependent soldier, sailor or marine, or his family. The word "family" here used shall be held to include the soldier, sailor or marine, his wife, his unmarried minor children living with him and dependent upon him for support, and such other unmarried children of his dependent upon him for support who by reason of mental incapacity or physical disability are unable to provide for themselves; but the town of his settlement shall support them at his own home in the town of his settlement or residence, or in such suitable place other than the poorhouse as the overseers of the town of his settlement may deem right and proper. In case of violation of this section the overseers of the poor shall be subject to a fine of twenty-five dollars. And for every day they allow them to remain in such poorhouse, after reasonable notice, they shall be subject