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by chapter one hundred and ninety-six of the public laws of nineteen hundred and seventeen is hereby amended so that said section shall read as follows:

'Sec. 16. Treasurer's salary increased and wording of statute relative to salary of chief clerk made to conform to provisions of 1915, chap. 215. The treasurer of state shall receive an annual salary of three thousand dollars; he shall receive no other fee, emolument or perquisite.

'The chief clerk in the office of the treasurer of state shall be designated as "Deputy Treasurer of State" and his salary shall be fixed in accordance with chapter two hundred and fifteen, section one, of the public laws of nineteen hundred and nineteen.'

Approved April 7, 1921.

Chapter 156.

An Act to Repeal Section Six of the Emergency Act Enacted at the Present Session of the Legislature under the Title "An Act Amendatory of and Additional to Chapter Nine of the Revised Statutes, Relating to the Assessment and Payment of Excise Taxes," which has become Chapter Seventy-one of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred and Twenty-one.

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

Emergency preamble. Whereas, House document number forty-five of the present session of the legislature has been enacted into law under the title of "An Act Amendatory of and Additional to Chapter Nine of the Revised Statutes, Relating to the Assessment and Payment of Excise Taxes," and,

Whereas, in its present enacted form said act contains the following section:

"Sec. 6. State and county taxes hereafter assessed upon lands in unincorporated townships, in accordance with provisions of existing law, shall be due and payable to the treasurer of state on June fifteenth, annually, and shall bear interest from that date," and,

Whereas, the members of the committee by which this act was considered and reported back to the legislature are at a loss to understand how this section was inserted in said act, and,

Whereas, it was not the intention of the members of said committee that said act should contain this section, and,

Whereas, the members of the legislature were not aware that said section was contained in this act and had no opportunity to consider its merits, and,

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Whereas, this act was enacted as an emergency measure, contained the emergency clause and was signed by the governor on March thirty, nineteen hundred and twenty-one and is now in full force and effect and has been denominated by the engrossing department of the secretary of state's office chapter seventy-one of the public laws of nineteen hundred and twenty-one, and

Whereas, the facts recited above, in the opinion of this legislature, constitute an emergency which renders the immediate passage of this act necessary in order to preserve the public peace, health and safety of the state, now therefore,

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

Sec. 1. 1921, c. 71; providing that taxes on wild lands shall be paid June 15th, repealed. Section six of chapter seventy-one of the public laws of nineteen hundred and twenty-one is hereby stricken out of said chapter in its entirety and sections seven and eight of said chapter are renumbered sections six and seven respectively.

Sec. 2. Emergency clause. In view of the emergency cited in the preamble, this act shall take effect when approved.

Approved April 7, 1921.

Chapter 157.

An Act Authorizing Married Women and Widows to use Family Name as Part of Name by which They Shall be Registered as Voters.

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

Name under which women voters may register. Any married woman or widow may use her family name as a part of the name by which she shall be registered as a voter.

Approved April 7, 1921.

Chapter 158.

An Act to Amend Section Five of Chapter One Hundred and Twenty-eight of the Revised Statutes, Relating to Removal or Concealment of Mortgaged or Attached Personal Property.

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

R. S., c. 128, § 5; relating to removal or concealment of mortgaged personal property, amended. Section five of chapter one hundred and twenty-eight of the revised statutes is hereby amended by inserting after the word "property" in the second line of said section, the words