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ACTS AND RESOLVES

AS PASSED BY THE

Eightieth Legislature

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE

1921

Including Acts and Resolves of the Special Session held in 1920.

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Private and Special Laws

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE

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Chapter 1.

An Act to appropriate moneys for the cost of the Eightieth Legislature, for the payment of all salaries fixed by law, for clerk hire, for general departmental expenses of the State Government and for the ordinary current expenses of the State institutions, required for the period prior to the adjournment of the present Legislature.

Emergency preamble. Whereas, there are no existing appropriations out of which the money for carrying on the government of the State of Maine can be paid, and the appropriation of money for such purpose being an emergency measure immediately necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health and safety, now therefore,

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

Sec. 1. Appropriation for legislative expenses and expenses of government; to provide for payment before regular appropriations are available. In order to provide for the cost of the eightieth legislature, convening on January fifth, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one, for the payment of all salaries fixed by law, for clerk hire, for the general departmental expenses of the state government and for the ordinary current expenses or maintenance of the state institutions, required for the period prior to the adjournment of the present legislature, as estimated by the state auditor acting under the provisions of chapter one hundred

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and seventy-two of the public laws of nineteen hundred and seventeen, \$1,213,318.83, is hereby appropriated. All payments hereunder are to be charged to the regular appropriations for the same when made.

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

Approved January 19, 1921.

Chapter 2.

An Act to Amend Chapter One Hundred and Seventy-one of the Private and Special Laws of Eighteen Hundred and Seventy-nine, Entitled "An Act Amendatory to 'An Amended Act Incorporating the Kennebec Log Driving Company,' Approved March Fifth, Eighteen Hundred and Sixty-nine," as Amended by Chapter Fourteen of the Private and Special Laws of Nineteen Hundred and Seventeen.

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

P. and S. L., 1879, c. 171, § 1; relating to tolls that may be charged by Kennebec Log Driving Co. for the passage of logs and lumber over its dams and improvements, amended. Section one of chapter one hundred and seventy-one of the private and special laws of eighteen hundred and seventy-nine is hereby amended by inserting after the word "called" in the fifth line of said section the following: 'and immediately after the close of the drive on Moose River,' so that said section, as amended, shall read as follows:

'Sec. 1. Moose River drive included. The directors of said Kennebec Log Driving Company are hereby authorized to assess the tax for driving logs, contemplated in said charter, immediately after the close of the drive on Dead River and immediately after the close of the drive on the East Branch, so-called, and immediately after the close of the drive on Moose River and in anticipation in either of said assessments of the actual cost of driving on the Main River, so-called. And if after said logs and other timber shall have been driven and all expenses ascertained and estimated, it shall be found that said assessment shall be more than sufficient to pay said expenses, then the balance so remaining shall be by the directors refunded to said owner or owners, in proportion to said sum to them respectively assessed.'

Approved February 10, 1921.

Chapter 3.

An Act to Extend an Act Entitled "An Act to Incorporate the Odd Fellows' Home of Maine."

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

Charter of Odd Fellows Home of Maine, extended. The act of incorporation of the Odd Fellows' Home of Maine, being chapter one hundred and ten of the private and special laws of nineteen hundred and