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ACTS AND RESOLVES

AS PASSED BY THE

Eighty-first Legislature

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE

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dent shall take clams within the limits of said town for any purpose, provided said town has voted to restrict the taking of clams to the inhabitants thereof. A resident of another town or state, however, while temporarily residing in said town of Sorrento shall have the same rights to take clams within the limits of said town during such temporary residence as any inhabitant thereof under the provisions of this act.

Sec. 3. Penalty for violation. Whoever takes clams contrary to the provisions of this act, shall for each offense, be fined not more than ten dollars or imprisoned for not more than thirty days.

Approved March 10, 1923.

Chapter 49.

An Act Authorizing and Empowering the Inhabitants of the Town of Kennebunk to Create a Sinking Fund and Raise Money Therefor by Taxation for the Retirement of Its "High and Grade School House Bonds."

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

Sec. 1. Authorized to create a sinking fund to retire school house bonds. The inhabitants of the town of Kennebunk are hereby authorized and empowered to create a sinking fund and to raise money therefor by taxation for the retiring before or at their maturity of its bonds known as "high and grade school house bonds," dated October first, nineteen hundred and twenty-one, and running for twenty-five years, unless sooner called after ten years from date of issue.

Sec. 2. Sinking fund to be deposited in savings banks. All money raised under the authority of this act for said sinking fund shall be invested by depositing same in savings banks at interest, or in the purchase of the above named bonds at not more than their par value.

Sec. 3. Use of fund limited. This fund is to be used for no other purpose than named in the above sections and such part thereof as is not used in retirement of bonds shall be held and accumulate as long as any of this issue of bonds remain outstanding.

Approved March 13, 1923.

Chapter 50.

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 seventeen, and as extended two years by the provisions of chapter thirteen of the private and special laws of nineteen hundred nineteen, and as further extended two years by the provisions of chapter three of the private and special laws of nineteen hundred twenty-one, is hereby extended for two years from the date when this act becomes effective with the same force and effect in all respects as if said incorporation were hereby granted.

Approved March 13, 1923.

Chapter 51.

An Act to Amend Section Thirty-two of Chapter Seventy-five of the Private and Special Laws of Nineteen Hundred and Nineteen, Relating to the Board of Education of the City of Augusta.

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

P. & S. L., 1919, c. 75, sec. 32; relating to "town meeting" in Augusta for purpose of raising money for school purposes, amended. Section thirty-two of chapter seventy-five of the private and special laws of nineteen hundred and nineteen is hereby revised and amended so as to read as follows:

'Sec. 32. Date of meeting changed to third Monday in April; board of education to prepare a budget; meeting of mayor, board of education and finance committee to consider budget, provided for; budget report to be printed; books of board of education to be audited. On the third Monday of April at half past seven o'clock in the evening, annually, a general meeting of the citizens of said city, qualified to vote at municipal elections therein, and without regard to their political affiliations, shall be convened in the city hall of said city. Such meetings shall be called in the manner prescribed for calling ward meetings in section thirty of this charter, except that there shall be but one original warrant, true and attested copies whereof shall be posted by the city marshal or any constable of said city at least seven days before the day of the meeting, and in at least two public and conspicuous places in each ward. The marshal or said constable shall deliver the original warrant, with a return of his doings thereon, to the moderator of said meeting when elected, and the secretary of the meeting shall make a record thereof. The chairman of the board if present, or in his absence any member of the board, or if no such member is present any citizen qualified to vote at municipal elections in said city may call the meeting to order and preside until the election of a moderator. The meeting shall immediately proceed, by ballot or otherwise, to the choice of a moderator and a secretary. The moderator shall preside with the power of moderators of town meetings, and together with the secre-