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sioner of education shall procure transportation for such child or children or, if transportation is inadvisable, board in lieu thereof, provided that when there shall be reported to the commissioner of education in connection with the annual report a bill of expenses incurred in connection with such transportation or board, the state commissioner of education is hereby authorized to reimburse such towns and plantations for such expenses, the same to be paid from the equalization fund and at the time of the distribution of the state school fund.

Approved March 30, 1925.

#### Chapter 101.

An Act to Provide for Clerk Hire in the Office of Sheriff of Androscoggin County. Be it enacted by the People of the State of Maine, as follows:

R. S., c. 117, sec. 45; clerk hire in the office of sheriff of Androscoggin county, provided for. In accordance with section forty-five of chapter one hundred and seventeen of the revised statutes and acts additional thereto and amendatory thereof, the treasurer of the county of Androscoggin shall pay weekly for clerks employed in the office of the sheriff of the county of Androscoggin, the sum of six hundred dollars as wages and shall take individual receipts therefor. The sheriff of the county of Androscoggin shall certify to the county treasurer of the county of Androscoggin the names of his clerks and the weekly wages at which they may be employed. Such clerks shall be allowed a vacation not to exceed two weeks in any one year without loss of pay and no clerk shall receive more than eighteen dollars per week. Authority is hereby given to the sheriff of the county of Androscoggin to employ clerical assistance in his office and the county treasurer of the county of Androscoggin is authorized to pay said clerks as hereinbefore set forth in this act. And said section forty-five and acts additional thereto and amendatory thereof is hereby amended by providing for clerks, and for clerk hire in the office of the sheriff of the county of Androscoggin in the sum of six hundred dollars.

Approved March 30, 1925.

#### Chapter 102.

An Act Relating to Appropriations for Advertising by Cities and Towns. Be it enacted by the People of the State of Maine, as follows:

R. S., c. 4, sec. 59; P. L., 1917, c. 87; relating to towns raising money for advertising, amended. Section fifty-nine of chapter four of the revised

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statutes, as amended by chapter eighty-seven of the public laws of nineteen hundred and seventeen, is hereby further amended by inserting before the word "such" in the fourth line, the words 'the state or,' so that said section, as amended, shall read as follows:

'Sec. 59. Towns may raise money to advertise the state. Any city or town may appropriate any sum, not exceeding one mill on a dollar, based on the valuation of the preceding year, to be expended and used for advertising the natural resources, advantages and attractions of the state or such city or town.'

Approved April 1, 1925.

#### Chapter 103.

An Act to Amend Section Five of Chapter One Hundred and Twenty-two of the Revised Statutes, Relating to Common Thieves.

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

R. S., c. 122, sec. 5; relating to definition of common thief and punishment of, amended. Section five of chapter one hundred and twenty-two of the revised statutes is hereby amended by striking out the word "four" in the fifth line of said section and inserting in the place thereof the word 'one,' so that said section, as amended, shall read as follows:

'Sec. 5. Minimum sentence fixed at one year imprisonment. Whoever, after being convicted of larceny as principal or as accessory before the fact, is again convicted thereof, or is convicted of three distinct larcenies at the same term of court, shall be deemed a common thief, and be punished by imprisonment for not less than one, nor more than fifteen years.'

Approved April 2, 1925.

#### Chapter 104.

An Act to Amend Section Eighteen of Chapter Fifty-one of the Revised Statutes, as Amended by Chapter Twenty-three of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred and Nineteen, Relating to Proxies.

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

R. S., c. 51, sec. 18; P. L., 1919, c. 23; relating to representation at meetings of shareholders by proxies and powers of attorney, amended. Section eighteen of chapter fifty-one of the revised statutes as amended by chapter twenty-three of the public laws of nineteen hundred and nine-teen is hereby amended by striking out of the second line the words "ninety days" and substituting in place thereof the words 'six months,' so that said section, as amended, shall read as follows: