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'May make loan in anticipation of taxes and proceeds of bond sales; made to conform to constitution as amended, loan to be paid during year; amount increased to \$800,000. The treasurer of state is authorized, in any year in which he, and the governor and council may deem the same necessary, to negotiate a temporary loan in anticipation of and pending the receipt of taxes levied for such year, and of the proceeds of bonds authorized to be issued, as provided by article nine, section fourteen, of the constitution of Maine, as amended by article forty-two of the constitution. The treasurer of state and the governor and council are hereby authorized and directed to pay such loan during such year, and, for the purpose of such loan and the payment thereof there is hereby appropriated for any year in which the treasurer of state and the governor and council may deem it necessary to borrow as aforesaid, the sum of eight hundred thousand dollars.'

Approved April 7, 1925.

Chapter 178.

An Act Relating to the Passamaquoddy and Penobscot Indian Tribes.

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

Sec. 1. R. S., c. 14, sec. 6; relating to annual reports of Indian agents, amended. Section six, of chapter fourteen, of the revised statutes, is hereby amended by striking out the whole of said section and by substituting in place thereof the following:

'Sec. 6. Reports to be submitted on or before July 15. The agents shall submit annual reports to the governor and council, on or before the fifteenth day of each July.'

Sec. 2. R. S., c. 14, sec. 47; relating to payment of interest on tribal funds, amended. Section forty-seven of chapter fourteen, of the revised statutes, is hereby amended by striking out the whole of said section and by substituting in place thereof the following:

'Sec. 47. Amounts due Indians to be certified to state auditor by agent; auditor to prepare warrants for payment of fund. Out of the interest accruing upon the funds belonging to said tribe, the agent shall certify to the state auditor the amounts due to said Indians in conformity to resolves of the legislature and for any further amounts that the legislature may appropriate and the state auditor shall prepare warrants for the same, making all payments so far as possible direct to the person to whom such payment is due.'

Sec. 3. R. S., c. 14, sec. 53; relating to examination and allowance of

accounts of Indian agents, amended. Section fifty-three, of chapter fourteen, of the revised statutes, is hereby amended by striking out the word "money," in the second line of said section, and inserting in place thereof, the word 'appropriations'; also by striking out the words "and allowance," in the third line of said section, so that as amended said section shall read as follows:

'Sec. 53. Agents to keep an account of appropriations paid out and present a certificate to governor and council. Agents shall keep an account of appropriations so paid out, and present it duly certified to the governor and council in January annually for examination.'

Approved April 8, 1925.

Chapter 179.

An Act to Amend Section One of Chapter One Hundred and Sixty-nine, as Amended, Relating to the Support of Dependents of Soldiers, Sailors and Marines.

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

P. L., 1919, c. 169, sec. 1; 1921, c. 183; 1923, c. 113; relating to authority of towns to raise money for relief of dependents of soldiers and sailors, amended. Section one of chapter one hundred and sixty-nine of the public laws of nineteen hundred and nineteen, as amended by chapter one hundred and eighty-three of the public laws of nineteen hundred and twenty-one, as amended by chapter one hundred and thirteen of the public laws of nineteen hundred and twenty-three, is hereby further amended by striking out the whole of said section and inserting in place thereof the following:

'Sec. 1. Must have been in the service of the United States; sum payable to wife, father or mother increased to \$5.00 per week; minor children and other dependents increased to \$2.00 per week. The cities, towns and plantations in this state shall raise money by taxation or otherwise to relieve the necessitous circumstances of the wife, children under the age of sixteen years, the infirm and dependent father, mother or other member of the family incapable of self-maintenance, of any soldier, sailor, or marine killed in battle or dying, or who has become disabled as a result of the casualties of war or of sickness contracted in the line of his duty and not of his own fault, during the world war, in the service of the United States, provided, that on April first, nineteen hundred and nineteen, such soldier, sailor or marine was a resident of this state. The money so raised shall be paid directly to the dependents entitled thereto under the provisions of this act, or to the parent or legal guardian of any such dependents who are minors or under guardianship, by the municipal officers of the