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CHAP. 181

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

Approved April 9, 1925.

Chapter 181.

An Act to Reimburse Towns for Supplies Furnished Certain Indians.

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

Relief of Indians not members of Penobscot or Passamaquoddy tribes; overseers of poor to transmit to governor and council a statement of such cases; contents of statement. Whenever any Indian, not a member of the Penobscot or Passamaquoddy tribe of Indians or any member of the family of such Indian, is found destitute and in distress, and is relieved by the overseers of the poor of the town required by law to provide relief for such person, the overseers of the poor shall transmit to the governor and council a statement specifying the nature, dates and amounts of the supplies furnished, together with a statement of fact relating to the condition, tribe, length of time in the state of Maine so far as may be ascertained, and such other data as may be required concerning such Indian, whereupon the state shall reimburse said town for the relief so furnished to such extent as the governor and council adjudge to have been expended necessarily therefor.

Approved April 9, 1925.

Chapter 182.

An Act Relating to Apportionment of Moneys for Highways.

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

R. S., c. 25, sec. 20; P. L., 1917, c. 258, sec. 4; relating to apportionment of state aid highway money to towns, amended. Section twenty of chapter twenty-five of the revised statutes, as amended by section four of chapter two hundred and fifty-eight of the public laws of nineteen hundred and seventeen, is hereby further amended by striking out the whole of said section and inserting in place thereof the following:

'Sec. 20. Classifications changed and amounts increased. The commission, from the fund for state aid construction provided by this chapter, shall to each town which has conformed to the provisions of sections eighteen and nineteen, for each dollar so appropriated, apportion the following amounts: To each town having a valuation of two hundred thousand dollars, or less, three dollars and fifty cents for each dollar appro-

priated by said town; to each town having a valuation of over two hundred thousand dollars and not over eight hundred thousand dollars, two dollars for each dollar appropriated by said town; to each town having a valuation of over eight hundred thousand dollars, and not over one million dollars, one dollar and seventy-five cents for each dollar appropriated by said town; to each town having a valuation of over one million dollars, and not over one million two hundred thousand dollars, one dollar and twenty-two cents for each dollar appropriated by said town; to each town having a valuation of over one million two hundred thousand dollars, and not over one million four hundred thousand dollars, one dollar and thirteen cents for each dollar appropriated by said town; to each town having a valuation of over one million four hundred thousand dollars, and not over one million six hundred thousand dollars, one dollar and seven cents for each dollar appropriated by said town; and to each town having a valuation of over one million six hundred thousand dollars, one dollar for each dollar so appropriated by said town. The money appropriated by towns applying for state aid as hereinbefore provided, with the amount apportioned by the commission as hereinbefore provided, shall constitute a joint fund for the construction and permanent improvement of the state aid highways in such towns.'

Approved April 9, 1925.

Chapter 183.

An Act Relating to Certain State Parks.

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

Sec. 1. Certain state lands created state parks. All that portion of the state lands comprising Fort Machias at Machiasport; Fort Knox at Prospect; Fort Edgecomb at Edgecomb; Fort St. George's at St. George; Fort McClary at Kittery; Fort Baldwin, Fort Popham and the North and South Sugar Loaf Islands at Phippsburg, are hereby created public parks.

Sec. 2. Supervision of. The supervision, direction and control of the same are hereby vested in the governor and council.

Sec. 3. Governor and council authorized to receive gifts or legacies for state parks. The governor and council are hereby authorized to receive moneys by gift or legacy and shall hold same as trustees for the purposes stated in section one of this act.

Sec. 4. Expenditure of moneys for state parks. The expenditure of all moneys provided for in this act shall be under the direction of the governor