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### ACTS AND RESOLVES

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## **PUBLIC LAWS**

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whether it shall issue such an order, the commission shall make such inquiries for investigation, hold such hearings and examine such witnesses, books, papers, documents or contracts as it may deem of importance in enabling it to reach a determination. No order of the commission authorizing the issue of any stocks, bonds, notes, or other evidences of indebtedness shall limit or restrict the powers of the commission in determining and fixing any rate, fare, toll, charge, classification, schedule, or joint rate as provided in this chapter; provided, however, that no public utility shall be required to apply to the commission for authority to issue stocks, bonds, notes or other evidences of indebtedness for the acquisition of property, for the purposes of carrying out its corporate powers, the construction, completion, extension or improvement of its facilities, or the improvement or maintenance of its service outside the state, and this proviso shall apply also to the following section.

Without in any way restricting the general language hereof, this section shall be construed to authorize any municipal or quasi municipal corporation included within this chapter to issue, upon vote of its trustees or similar governing board, bonds, notes or other evidences of indebtedness for the purposes herein specified and subject to the approval of the commission as herein provided. The trustees or similar governing boards of any such corporations may issue notes or other evidences of indebtedness payable at periods of less than twelve months after the date thereof when necessary to carry out the purposes of such corporations.

No railroad corporation engaged in interstate commerce shall be required to make application to the commission, or to procure its authority, consent, approval or order, in respect of any of the matters set forth in this section or in sections thirty-eight and thirty-nine of this chapter, while and so long as such corporation is required by federal law to make application to and procure authority from the interstate commerce commission as a condition precedent to such proposed action, but nothing herein contained shall exempt any such corporation from filing with the secretary of state due notice of increases in its capital stock or from the payment of any fees required by statute.'

Approved April 6, 1927.

### Chapter 83.

An Act Relating to the Taking of White Perch in Certain Waters in Washington and Kennebec Counties.

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

P. L., 1925, c. 161, sec. 3; relating to daily limit for white perch in certain waters, amended. Section three of chapter one hundred sixty-one

of the public laws of nineteen hundred twenty-five is hereby amended by striking out in the fourth line thereof the words "said waters," and inserting in place thereof the words 'Lake Cobbosseecontee in the county of Kennebec,' so that said section, as amended, shall read as follows:

'Sec. 3. Daily limit under general law in so far as relates to Lake Cobbosseecontee, not affected. This act shall not be construed as repealing that portion of the existing general law establishing a daily limit of fifteen pounds of white perch or not exceeding twenty-five white perch which may be taken in any one day in Lake Cobbosseecontee in the county of Kennebec.'

Approved April 6, 1927.

#### Chapter 84.

An Act to Name the State Park at Kittery, in the County of York. Be it enacted by the People of the State of Maine, as follows:

State park at Kittery named John Paul Jones Memorial Park. The state park at Kittery, situate between Hunter Avenue and Newmarch Street and between Water and Government Streets in the town of Kittery, county of York, shall forever be known and designated as "John Paul Jones Memorial Park" in memory of the commander of the first American warship.

Approved April 6, 1927.

### Chapter 85.

An Act Relating to Salary and Expenses of the County Commissioners of Lincoln County.

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

R. S., c. 117, sec. 42, as amended; relating to salaries and expenses of county commissioners, amended. Section forty-two of chapter one hundred and seventeen of the revised statutes, as amended by chapter one hundred and seventy-three of the public laws of nineteen hundred and seventeen, as amended by chapters two hundred and fourteen and two hundred and forty-one of the public laws of nineteen hundred and nineteen, as amended by chapter two hundred and nineteen of the public laws of nineteen hundred and twenty-one, as amended by chapter one hundred and three of the public laws of nineteen hundred and twenty-three, and as amended by chapter thirty-nine of the public laws of nineteen hundred and twenty-five is hereby further amended by striking out the words "three hundred and fifty" in the twelfth line of said section and inserting