

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

The following document is provided by the  
**LAW AND LEGISLATIVE DIGITAL LIBRARY**  
at the Maine State Law and Legislative Reference Library  
<http://legislature.maine.gov/lawlib>



Reproduced from scanned originals with text recognition applied  
(searchable text may contain some errors and/or omissions)

ACTS AND RESOLVES

AS PASSED BY THE

Eighty - Third Legislature

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE

1927

---

Published by the Secretary of State, in accordance with the Resolves of the Legislature approved June 28, 1820, March 18, 1840, and March 16, 1842.

---

KENNEBEC JOURNAL PRINT SHOP  
AUGUSTA, MAINE

1927

**PUBLIC LAWS**  
OF THE  
**STATE OF MAINE**

As Passed by the Eighty-third Legislature

**1927**

[supplied from page 1 of volume]

**CHAP. 102**

of shares owned by each, shall be entered of record at the first meeting. The capital may be subsequently increased as provided in sections forty-one and forty-two by adding to the number of shares.'

Approved April 7, 1927.

---

**Chapter 102.**

An Act to Change the Salary of the Superintendent of the State School for Boys.  
*Be it enacted by the People of the State of Maine, as follows:*

R. S., c. 117, sec. 29; P. L., 1917, c. 130, sec. 6; 1925, c. 50; relating to salary of superintendent of state school for boys, amended. Section twenty-nine of chapter one hundred and seventeen of the revised statutes, as amended by section six of chapter one hundred and thirty of the public laws of nineteen hundred and seventeen, as amended by chapter fifty of the public laws of nineteen hundred and twenty-five is hereby amended by striking out the words "eighteen hundred dollars" and inserting in place thereof the words 'twenty-two hundred dollars,' so that said section, as amended, shall read as follows:

'Sec. 29. Salary increased. The superintendent of the state school for boys shall receive an annual salary of twenty-two hundred dollars.'

Approved April 7, 1927.

---

**Chapter 103.**

An Act Relating to Eastern Standard Time.

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

Sec. 1. P. L., 1925, c. 57; relating to standard time, amended. Chapter fifty-seven of the public laws of nineteen hundred twenty-five is hereby amended by inserting as section two thereof, the following:

'Sec. 2. All courts, public institutions, employers of labor, contracts, etc., to be governed by U. S. eastern standard time. All courts, all schools, all state, county and town officers, all institutions which receive any financial aid from the state, all persons and corporations employing clerks or other labor, all proceedings in law or equity, all decrees, orders, rules and regulations and all contracts or choses in action made to be performed in this state, unless it is otherwise provided in such contract, or relating to the time in which any rights shall accrue or determine, or within which any act shall or shall not be performed, shall be governed by, and shall

compute the hours of the beginning, duration and ending of each day by and according to said time known and designated as United States Standard Eastern Time.'

**Sec. 2. Sec. 2, renumbered.** Section two of said chapter is hereby renumbered section three, and amended by adding the letter "s" to the word "section" in the third line, so that said section, as amended and renumbered, shall read as follows:

**'Sec. 3. Jurisdiction of courts; procedure.** The supreme judicial court in equity, by writ of injunction or otherwise, may restrain or annul proceedings in any town or city in violation of the preceding sections upon application of ten or more taxable citizens of the state and a writ of temporary injunction may issue forthwith without the filing of a bond by such petitioners.'

(This Act became effective without the approval of the Governor.)

## Chapter 104.

An Act Amending an Act Relating to the Care and Support of Paupers and Other Dependent Persons Having No Settlement within the State.

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

**R. S., c. 29, sec. 25; P. L., 1925, c. 153; relating to relief of paupers in unincorporated places; state paupers, amended.** Section twenty-five of chapter twenty-nine of the revised statutes as amended by chapter one hundred fifty-three of the public laws of nineteen hundred twenty-five is hereby amended by adding to said section as so amended the following words: 'They may acquire property adjoining any state institution and erect suitable houses thereon, or may erect such houses on land owned by the state, for the occupancy of such persons, and may order such persons placed therein and cared for and employed in or at such institution or elsewhere under the direction of the superintendent of any such institution, and the expense of acquiring such property or erecting such houses shall be paid from the appropriation for support of paupers and other dependent persons having no settlement within the state. Whenever such persons are so employed elsewhere than in or at such institution said superintendent shall contract for the payment of wages for such employment which shall be collected by him, paid into the state treasury, and credited to said appropriation for support of paupers and other dependent persons having no settlement within the state and used, under the direction of the governor and council, for the support of the families of such persons,' so that said section, as amended, shall read as follows: