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Chapter 149.

An Act Relating to the Salary of the Commissioner of Agriculture.

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

R. S., c. 117, sec. 21; relating to salary and expenses of commissioner of agriculture, amended. Section twenty-one of chapter one hundred and seventeen of the revised statutes, as amended, is hereby further amended by striking out the words "three thousand" in the second line of said section and substituting in place thereof the words 'three thousand five hundred,' so that said section as amended shall read as follows:

'Sec. 21. Salary increased. The commissioner of agriculture shall receive an annual salary of three thousand five hundred dollars. He shall also receive his actual expenses incurred in the performance of his official duties but not exceeding the sum of one thousand dollars a year. He may expend for such clerical labor as may be required, not exceeding one thousand dollars a year to be approved by the governor and council.'

Approved April 12, 1927.

Chapter 150.

An Act to Prevent the Improper Use of the Words "Trust Company."

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

Sec. 1. Use of words trust company, restricted. No person, firm or corporation shall use the words "trust company," "bank or trust company," or abbreviation thereof as part of the business name unless and until authorized by chapter fifty-two of the revised statutes, chapter one hundred forty-four of the public laws of nineteen hundred twenty-three, and acts additional thereto and amendatory thereof.

Sec. 2. Supreme judicial court granted jurisdiction in equity to restrain any unlawful use of words. The supreme judicial court in equity has jurisdiction to restrain by injunction, on petition of any person interested, any violations of this chapter; and further to restrain any attempt on the part of any person, firm, or corporation, to mislead or give a false impression to the public that such person, firm or corporation is authorized under the laws of this state to do a trust company business.

Sec. 3. Act operative after March 10, 1927. The provisions of this act shall be applicable to all persons, firms or corporations, adopting the use of the word "trust" after March tenth, nineteen hundred twenty-seven.

Approved April 12, 1927.