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and inserting in place thereof the words 'twelve hundred dollars,' so that said line as amended shall read:

'Franklin, twelve hundred dollars.' Franklin county increased.

Approved March 1, 1929.

Chapter 17.

An Act Increasing the Salary of the Clerk of Courts of Androscoggin County. Be it enacted by the People of the State of Maine, as follows:

R. S., c. 117, sec. 40; as amended; relating to compensation of clerks of courts, amended. Section forty of chapter one hundred and seventeen of the revised statutes as amended, is hereby further amended, by striking out all of line five of said section and inserting in place thereof the words 'Androscoggin, twenty-five hundred dollars,' so that said section as amended, shall read as follows:

Androscoggin county increased. 'Androscoggin, twenty-five hundred dollars.'

Approved March 1, 1929.

Chapter 18.

An Act Increasing the Amount Allowed for Clerk Hire in the Office of the Clerk of Courts of Androscoggin County.

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

R. S., c. 117, sec. 45; as amended; relating to clerk hire in county offices; Androscoggin county increased. Paragraph two of section forty-five of chapter one hundred and seventeen of the revised statutes, as amended, is hereby further amended by striking out all of lines three and four of said paragraph and inserting in place thereof the following: 'for clerks in the office of clerk of courts, one thousand two hundred dollars,' so that said paragraph of said section as amended shall read as follows, insofar as it refers to clerks in the clerk of courts office, 'for clerks in the office of the clerk of courts, one thousand two hundred dollars.'

Approved March 1, 1929.

Chapter 19.

terres de Maria es An Act Relating to the Expenses of the State Historian. Be it enacted by the People of the State of Maine, as follows: R. S., c. 3, sec. 24; relating to expenses of historian, amended. Section twenty-four of chapter three, of the revised statutes, is hereby amended

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by inserting after the word "duties," in the second line thereof, the words, "including any sum necessarily contracted by him for clerical assistance in arranging, classifying, preserving, and indexing books, manuscripts, records, documents and papers now or hereafter in the possession of the state;" also by adding to said section the following words: "The appropriation so made available shall constitute a continuous carrying account, and any balance of same shall be carried forward and be credited to the appropriation for the same purpose for the succeeding year;" so that as amended said section shall read as follows:

'Sec. 24. Expenses include clerical assistance; appropriation made a continuous carrying account. The actual cash expenses of the state historian incurred while in the discharge of his official duties including any sum necessarily contracted by him for clerical assistance in arranging, classifying, preserving, and indexing books, manuscripts, records, documents and papers now or hereafter in the possession of the state, shall be paid from the state treasury, but shall not exceed five hundred dollars a year; any portion of said amount may be expended by the state historian under the direction of the governor and council, in the publication of historical matter and data relating to the history of the state, or in making available by card catalogue, and otherwise, historical materials in the possession of the state. The appropriation so made available shall constitute a continuous carrying account and any balance of same shall be carried forward and be credited to the appropriation for the same purpose for the succeeding year.'

Approved March 1, 1929.

Chapter 20.

An Act Relating to Increases in Capital Stock of Railroad Corporations. Be it enacted by the People of the State of Maine, as follows:

R. S., c. 56, sec. 21; P. L., 1927, c. 43; relating to increases in capital stock of railroad companies and the sale of such shares, amended. That section twenty-one of chapter fifty-six of the revised statutes of Maine, revision of nineteen hundred and sixteen, as amended by chapter forty-three of the public laws of nineteen hundred and twenty-seven, is hereby amended by striking out the second sentence thereof now reading: "The directors shall cause written notice of such increase to be given to each stockholder of record upon the books of the company at the date of the vote to increase, stating the amount of the increase, the number of shares or fraction of shares to which, according to the proportionate number of his shares at the date of the vote to increase, he is entitled, the price at

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