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ACTS AND RESOLVES

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posted in conformity with the provisions of section four of this act, shall be fined not exceeding fifty dollars, or imprisoned not exceeding thirty days, or both.

**Sec. 7. Municipal court given jurisdiction.** The municipal court of the city of Augusta shall have, upon complaint, original and concurrent jurisdiction with all higher courts within the county of Kennebec in all prosecutions arising under this act.

**Sec. 8. Inconsistent acts repealed.** All acts or parts of acts inconsistent with this act are hereby repealed.

Approved April 13, 1929.

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## Chapter 321.

An Act with Reference to the Personnel of the State Budget Committee.

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

P. L., 1919, c. 102, sec. 1; relating to creation of budget committee, amended. Section one of chapter one hundred and two of the public laws of nineteen hundred and nineteen is hereby amended by striking out said section and inserting in place thereof the following:

**“Sec. 1. “Committee on Budget;” personnel; selection; vacancies filled; compensation; expenditures.** The governor, state auditor, state treasurer, one member of the senate and one member of the house of representatives, together with the governor-elect, if he is a different individual from the governor, are hereby constituted a committee to be known as the “Committee on Budget.” The member from the senate shall be selected by the president of the senate and the member from the house shall be selected by the speaker of the house. In each case the selection shall be, if practicable, the senior ranking member of the senate and house respectively of the committee on appropriations and financial affairs, if such member is to serve as a member of the next succeeding legislature; otherwise shall be some other member of such committee who is to serve as a member of the next succeeding legislature; otherwise shall be some other member of the senate and house respectively who is to serve as a member of the next succeeding legislature. Any vacancy in the legislative members of the budget committee shall be filled by the original appointing power, unless there shall be a vacancy in the office of the president of the senate or speaker of the house respectively, in which case the vacancy in the budget committee shall be filled by the governor by appointment from the membership of the legislature. The governor shall be the chairman of the committee and the auditor its secretary. The secretary shall keep the min-

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utes of the committee and shall record them in a suitable book to be kept for that purpose in the office of the state auditor. The minutes of the committee shall be a public record and shall at all times be open to public inspection. The members of the committee shall be paid the necessary expenses incurred in the performance of their duties under this act, and in addition thereto the legislative members shall receive five dollars a day for the time actually spent in the performance of their duties hereunder while the legislature is not in session. The secretary of the committee is hereby authorized to expend such sums as he may require for clerical assistance in carrying out the provisions of this act, not to exceed five hundred dollars in each biennial period.'

Approved April 13, 1929.

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## Chapter 322.

An Act to Exempt Certain Non-Resident Motor Vehicles From Registration While in the State Exclusively for Display or Demonstration Purposes; Also Non-Resident Passenger Buses Chartered and Used Exclusively for Private Conveyance of Non-Residents.

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

**Sec. 1. Thirty days' exemption provided for certain vehicles.** The following vehicles, owned and operated by non-residents, which would be otherwise required by statute to pay a registration fee, shall, if duly registered in the state of their ownership, be exempt from registration in this state for a period of thirty days while operated in this state under the conditions and limitations hereinafter provided:

**First. Vehicles brought into state for display purposes at fairs.** Any motor truck, tractor or trailer brought into the state and used exclusively herein for display purposes in agricultural or industrial fairs, or in motor vehicle exhibitions. Provided, however, that the state or country under which said vehicle, or tractor, is registered grants like privileges to like vehicles, or tractors, registered in this state, and to operators thereof.

**Second. Apparatus and trucks for exhibition at firemen's musters.** Any apparatus and trucks conveying apparatus brought into the state and while used herein exclusively for exhibition or demonstration at firemen's musters.

**Third. Passenger bus for one round trip; fee \$10.** Any passenger bus bringing into the state persons as a single organized group or party for whose exclusive use such bus has been chartered and is so used, and which is chartered and intended to be used solely as a continuous means of conveyance for such group of persons for one round trip only per year while they are touring in the state. No owner or lessee of any such bus shall be entitled to so use or operate another such bus in this state during the same year except on payment of the registration fees required in other