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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

cases for like vehicles. But upon entering the state the operator of each such bus shall obtain from the secretary of state, or some of his agents or inspectors, a permit describing and identifying the vehicle: and he shall pay therefor a fee of ten dollars. Said permit shall state the date of issuance, and thereon shall be printed a copy of this paragraph.

**Sec. 2. Shall not operate contrary to provisions of statute; subject to penalties for violations.** Nothing in this act shall be construed to authorize the operation of any vehicle herein described in any manner contrary to the provisions of statute relating to the operation of other similar vehicles upon ways and bridges of this state, except as herein modified. Whoever violates or fails to comply with the provisions of this act shall be subject to the penalty provided by section ninety-five of chapter two hundred and eleven of the public laws of nineteen hundred and twenty-one, and any vehicle used in violation hereof shall be subject to the fees provided for registration of like vehicles which are not exempted from the provisions of this act.

Approved April 13, 1929.

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## Chapter 323.

An Act Relative to Resident Attorneys for Foreign Corporations.

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

**R. S., c. 51, sec. 107; relating to appointment of attorney by foreign corporations, amended.** Section one hundred and seven of chapter fifty-one of the revised statutes is hereby amended by adding after the words "without a usual place of business therein," in the sixth line of said section the following: 'and which is doing an intrastate business in this state,' so that said section, as amended, shall read as follows:

**'Sec. 107. Corporations, doing an intrastate business, included.** Every corporation established under laws other than those of this state, for any lawful purpose, other than as a bank, savings bank, trust company, surety company, safe deposit company, insurance company or public service company, which has a usual place of business in this state or which is engaged in business in this state permanently or temporarily, without a usual place of business therein, and which is doing an intrastate business in this state, shall before doing business in this state, in writing appoint a resident of this state, having an office or place of business therein, to be its true and lawful attorney upon whom all lawful processes in any action or proceedings against it may be served; and in such writing, which shall set forth said attorney's place of residence, shall agree that any lawful process against it which is served on said attorney shall be of the same legal force and