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number, if any, where the business is to be conducted. Every such applicant, at the time of making such application shall pay to the bank commissioner an annual license fee as follows: if no loans have been made or if the average amount of the loans outstanding during the preceding year ending November thirty, has not exceeded twenty thousand dollars, a fee of fifty dollars, and for every additional fifty thousand dollars, or fraction thereof, an additional fee of fifty dollars. The applicant shall also, at the same time, file with the bank commissioner a bond in which the applicant shall be the obligor, in the sum of one thousand dollars with one or more sureties to be approved by said bank commissioner; which bond shall run to the bank commissioner of the state of Maine for the use of the state and of any person or persons who may have a cause of action against the obligor of said bond under the provisions of this act, and shall be conditioned that said obligor will conform to and abide by each and every provision of this act and will pay to the state and to any such person or persons, any and all moneys that may become due or owing to the state and to such person or persons from said obligor, under and by virtue of the provisions of this act. If in the opinion of the bank commissioner the bond shall at any time appear to be insecure or exhausted, or otherwise doubtful, an additional bond in the sum of not more than one thousand dollars satisfactory to the bank commissioner shall be filed, and upon failure of the obligor to file such additional bond, the license shall be revoked by the bank commissioner.

Approved April 13, 1929.

Chapter 325.

An Act Relating to Finger Prints and Photographs of Criminals.

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

Sec. 1. Upon authority from courts finger prints and photographs may be taken. Upon receipt of written authority from any supreme, superior, municipal or police courts in this state the state highway police or the sheriffs of the several counties shall have authority to take or cause to be taken the finger prints and photographs of any person in custody charged with the commission of a felony.

Sec. 2. When same may be destroyed. County attorneys or judges of the municipal courts shall notify the state highway police and sheriff under whose authority any finger prints or photographs are taken, of the acquittal of the person accused, whereupon such finger print records and photographs shall be destroyed.

Sec. 3. Copies forwarded to chief highway police. Copies of all finger

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prints and photographs taken or caused to be taken by sheriffs as provided in section one shall be forwarded to the chief of the state highway police.

Approved April 13, 1929.

Chapter 326.

An Act Relative to Clerk of County Commissioners.

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

R. S., c. 83, sec. 6; relating to clerk of courts to be clerk of the commissioners, amended. Section six of chapter eighty-three of the revised statutes is hereby amended by striking out the whole of said section and by substituting in place thereof the following:

'Sec. 6. Deputy clerk provided for. The clerk of the judicial courts in each county shall be the clerk of the county commissioners; and in counties having a deputy clerk or deputy clerks, such deputies shall each be a deputy clerk of the commissioners and in the absence of the clerk shall have the same powers and duties as those of such clerk. The clerk of the county commissioners shall be known as the county clerk, and each deputy clerk of the county commissioners shall be known as a deputy county clerk. When a clerk and his deputies are in attendance at any other court the clerk may appoint a clerk pro tempore to the commissioners for whose doings he is responsible. Such clerks shall be sworn and shall make a daily record of the doings of the county commissioners and said commissioners shall examine such records and when correct shall certify them and they shall be copied into the records of the county commissioners by the stated clerk.'

Approved April 13, 1929.

Chapter 327.

An Act Relating to the Use and Operation of Motor Vehicles on the Highways.

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

Sec. 1. (a) Accident reports provided for. The chief of the state highway police shall prepare and shall on request supply to police and sheriffs' offices and other suitable agencies forms of accident reports calling for sufficiently detailed information to disclose with reference to a highway accident the cause, conditions then existing and the persons and vehicles involved.

(b) Reports to be tabulated and analyzed. The chief of the state highway police shall receive accident reports required to be made by law and shall tabulate and analyze such reports and may publish annually or