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ACTS AND RESOLVES

AS PASSED BY THE

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Legislatures

OF THE

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OF THE
STATE OF MAINE

As Passed by the Eighty-Sixth Legislature

AT THE
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by authorized to exercise such power and do any and all things necessary to avail itself of the benefits of said "Banking Act of 1933" and any acts in amendment thereof, and any other acts of Congress granting powers to or conferring benefits on such member bank now or hereafter passed, without otherwise limiting or impairing in any way the authority conferred upon the bank commissioner under the laws of this state.'

Emergency clause. In view of the emergency created as recited in the preamble this act shall take effect when approved.

Approved December 16, 1933.

Chapter 290.

AN ACT Relating to Temporary Number Plates on Motor Vehicles.

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

P. L., 1931, c. 130, repealed. Chapter 130 of the public laws of 1931 is hereby repealed.

Approved December 16, 1933.

Chapter 291.

AN ACT Enlarging the Powers of Receivers of Banks and Trust Companies.

Emergency preamble. Whereas, chapter 93 of the public laws of 1933 gave necessary rights and powers to conservators of banks and trust companies, but did not give the same rights and powers to receivers; and

Whereas, receivers have been appointed for many such companies; and

Whereas, without the same rights and powers that conservators now have, they are not able to properly protect the depositors and release credit and cash; and

Whereas, it is necessary that all the cash and credit possible be available to aid in restoring business; and

Whereas, in the judgment of the legislature these facts create an emergency within the meaning of section 16 of Article XXXI of the constitution of Maine and require the following legislation as immediately necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health and safety, now, therefore

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

Receivers of banks, etc., to have powers of conservators. Receivers of banks and trust companies heretofore or hereafter appointed shall have all the rights and powers given to conservators by the provisions of chapter 93 of the public laws of 1933.

Emergency clause. In view of the emergency created as recited in the preamble this act shall take effect when approved.

Approved December 16, 1933.

Chapter 292.

AN ACT Relative to Marathon and Other Competitive Dances.

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

Marathon dances; walkathons. No person or persons shall permit any person to compete in a marathon dance competition, a walkathon competition or a similar competition, for more than 6 hours in any 1 day and no person or persons shall permit any person to enter or compete in such a competition who has entered or competed in any similar competition within 24 hours prior to the beginning of said competition. Whoever violates the provisions of this section shall be punished by a fine of not more than \$500 for each offense. No such marathon dance competition, walkathon competition or similar competition shall be held in any city or town excepting after a vote therefor by the legal voters of said city or town.

Approved December 16, 1933.

Chapter 293.

AN ACT Relative to Inheritance and Estate Taxes.

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

P. L., 1933, c. 148, § 20, amended. Section 20 of chapter 148 of the public laws of 1933, is hereby amended to read as follows:

'Sec. 20. State may have action of debt against administrators, etc.; bond required. An action of debt may be maintained in the name of the state against an administrator, executor, trustee, grantee or donee for the recovery of all taxes imposed by this act with interest thereon. Administrators and executors shall be liable to the state on their administration bonds for all taxes assessable under the provisions of this act and