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STATE OF MAINE

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Chapter 121.

AN ACT Relating to Roadside Improvement.

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

P. L., 1933, c. 248, § 1, amended. Section 1 of chapter 248 of the public laws of 1933 is hereby amended to read as follows:

'Sec. 1. **Planting.** The state highway commission may, subject to the consent of abutting land owners, cause or allow grasses, shrubs, vines, and trees to be planted and maintained along state and state aid highways, to be paid for as part of the cost of construction and maintenance of highways; this cost not to exceed ~~\$500~~ \$1500 per year.'

Approved April 1, 1935.

Chapter 122.

AN ACT Relating to Obstruction of Justice.

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

Penalty for commission of felony, or harboring certain persons. Whoever, having knowledge of the actual commission of a felony cognizable by courts of the state of Maine, conceals or does not as soon as possible disclose and make known the same to some one of the judges or some officer charged with enforcement of criminal laws of the state of Maine; also any person who shall, directly or indirectly, aid, abet, or assist any person arrested to escape from custody of any officer charged with the enforcement of the criminal laws of the state of Maine, or shall harbor or conceal any person for whose arrest a warrant or process has been so issued, so as to prevent his discovery and arrest, after notice or knowledge of the fact that a warrant or process has been issued for the apprehension of such person, shall be punished by a fine of not more than \$500, or by imprisonment for not more than 3 years, or by both such fine and imprisonment.

Approved April 1, 1935.

Chapter 123.

AN ACT Relating to Clerk Hire in the Office of Register of Deeds for the Southern District of Aroostook County.

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

R. S., c. 125, § 46, ¶ 3, amended. So much of the 2nd and 3rd lines of the

3rd paragraph of section 46 of chapter 125 of the revised statutes as relates to clerk hire in the office of register of deeds for the southern district of Aroostook county, is hereby amended to read as follows:

'for clerks in the office of register of deeds for the southern district, ~~twenty nine hundred dollars~~ \$3200;'

Approved April 4, 1935.

Chapter 124.

AN ACT Relating to Optometry.

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

Sec. 1. R. S., c. 21, § 45, amended. Section 45 of chapter 21 of the revised statutes is hereby amended to read as follows:

'Sec. 45. Board of registration in optometry; appointment; tenure; vacancies; removals. The governor, with the advice and consent of the council, shall appoint a board to be known as the Maine state board of registration and examination in optometry, consisting of 5 persons, ~~three of whom~~ who shall have been resident optometrists, engaged in the actual practice of optometry in this state for a period of 5 years prior to their appointment; ~~one an oculist who in like manner has been engaged in the practice of his profession for five years prior to his appointment; and one, a physician in actual practice;~~ not more than 3 members of the board shall belong to the same political party. They shall be appointed for terms of 3 years each, as the terms of the present members expire, and each shall hold office until his successor is appointed and qualified. Any vacancy in said board shall be filled by the appointment of a person, qualified as aforesaid, to hold office during the unexpired term of the member whose place he fills. Any member of said board may be removed from office for cause, by the governor, with the advice and consent of the council. The board shall have a common seal.'

Sec. 2. R. S., c. 21, § 46, amended. Section 46 of chapter 21 of the revised statutes is hereby amended to read as follows:

'Sec. 46. Officers; meetings. The board shall annually elect from its members a president and a secretary, who shall be treasurer; they shall severally have authority, during their term of office, to administer such oaths and take such affidavits as are required by the provisions of the 13 following sections, certifying thereto under their hand and the seal of the board. The board shall meet at least once in each year at Augusta; and, in addition thereto, whenever and wherever the president and secretary thereof shall call a meeting; a majority of said board shall constitute a quorum.'