

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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**ACTS AND RESOLVES**  
AS PASSED BY THE  
**Ninety-second and Ninety-third**  
**Legislatures**  
OF THE  
**STATE OF MAINE**

**From April 22, 1945 to May 14, 1947**  
**AND MISCELLANEOUS STATE PAPERS**  
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**PUBLIC LAWS**  
OF THE  
**STATE OF MAINE**

As Passed by the Ninety-third Legislature

**1947**

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## Chapter 207

### AN ACT to Increase the Salary of the Sheriff of Washington County.

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

R. S., c. 79, § 165, amended. That part of section 165 of chapter 79 of the revised statutes, which relates to the salary of the sheriff of Washington county, is hereby amended to read as follows:

'Washington, ~~\$1,800~~ \$2,500.'

Effective August 13, 1947

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## Chapter 208

### AN ACT Relating to Workshops and Factories Found Unsafe, Insanitary, or Injurious to Health.

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

R. S., c. 25, § 5, amended. Section 5 of chapter 25 of the revised statutes is hereby amended to read as follows:

'Sec. 5. Duty when conditions are found insanitary, unsafe, or injurious to health. If the commissioner as state factory inspector, or any authorized agent of the department, shall find upon such inspection that the heating, lighting, ventilation, or sanitary arrangement of any workshops or factories is such as to be injurious to the health of the persons employed or residing therein or that the fire escapes and/or other means of egress in case of fire or other disaster are not sufficient, or that the belting, shafting, gearing, elevators and appurtenances, drums, saws, cogs, and machinery in such workshops and factories are located or are in a condition so as to be dangerous to employees and not sufficiently guarded, or that vats, pans, or any other structures, filled with or containing molten metal, ~~or~~ hot liquids, or inflammables, are not surrounded with proper safeguards for preventing accidents or injury to those employed at or near them, he shall notify, in writing, the owner, proprietor or agent of such workshops or factories to make, within 30 days, the alterations or additions by him deemed necessary for the safety and protection of the employees.'

Effective August 13, 1947