

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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ACTS AND RESOLVES
AS PASSED BY THE
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STATE OF MAINE

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OF THE
STATE OF MAINE

As Passed by the Ninety-third Legislature

1947

Chapter 292

AN ACT Permitting Bowling on Sunday.

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

R. S., c. 121, § 40-A, additional. Chapter 121 of the revised statutes is hereby amended by adding thereto a new section, to be numbered 40-A, to read as follows:

'Sec. 40-A. Sunday bowling legalized; local option. In any city or town that shall vote as hereinafter provided, it shall be lawful to operate bowling alleys or to bowl therein on Sunday between the hours of 2 P. M. and 11 P. M.

This section shall not be effective in any city until the municipal officers of a city so vote or in any town until an article in a town warrant so providing has been adopted at any annual or special town meeting. When a city or town has voted in favor of adopting the provisions of this section, said provisions shall be effective until repealed in the same manner as herein provided.

The municipal officers of cities shall take action upon the acceptance hereof upon receipt of a petition therefor signed by at least 100 registered voters in said city and shall hold such public hearings thereon as they may deem necessary. The selectmen or other municipal officers of towns shall insert an article in the warrant for the next annual town meeting for the acceptance of the provisions of this section after receipt of a petition therefor signed by at least 25 registered voters of such town.'

Effective August 13, 1947

Chapter 293

AN ACT Relating to Clerk Hire in County Offices in Somerset County.

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

R. S., c. 79, § 269, amended. That part of section 269 of chapter 79 of the revised statutes which relates to clerk hire in Somerset county, as amended by section 7 of chapter 280 of the public laws of 1945, is hereby further amended to read as follows:

'Somerset county: for clerks in the office of register of deeds, ~~\$3,600~~ \$3,800; for clerks in the office of register of probate, ~~\$1,300~~ \$1,500; for clerks in the office of clerk of courts, ~~\$1,800~~ \$2,000.'

Effective August 13, 1947