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ACTS AND RESOLVES

AS PASSED BY THE

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tion then next ensuing, nominate as many presidential electors as the state is entitled to, elect a state committee, a district committee for each congressional district, and a county committee for each county, severally of such number and to be elected in such manner as the convention may determine.'

Sec. 2. R. S., c. 4, § 16, amended. Section 16 of chapter 4 of the revised statutes is hereby amended by inserting before the last sentence thereof a new sentence, to read as follows:

'All vacancies in the number of presidential electors shall be filled by the state committee.'

Effective August 6, 1949

Chapter 91

AN ACT Relating to Reemployment Rights of State Employees in Armed Forces.

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

R. S., c. 59, § 23, amended. Section 23 of chapter 59 of the revised statutes is hereby amended by adding at the end thereof a new paragraph to read as follows:

'The provisions of this section shall apply to any such employee entering the armed forces of the United States under the provisions of Public Law 759, 80th Congress (Selective Service Act of 1948) or while said Public Law 759 or any amendment thereto or extension thereof shall be in effect.'

Effective August 6, 1949

Chapter 92

AN ACT Relating to Retirement Fund of State Employees in Armed Forces.

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

R. S., c. 60, § 3, sub-§ VI, amended. Subsection VI of section 3 of chapter 60 of the revised statutes, as revised by section 3 of chapter 384 of the public laws of 1947, is hereby amended to read as follows:

'VI. Should any member in any period of 15 consecutive years, after

last becoming a member be absent from service more than 10 years, or should he withdraw his contributions, or should he become a beneficiary as the result of his own retirement, or die, he shall thereupon cease to be a member; provided, however, that the membership of any employee entering such classes of military or naval service of the United States as may be approved by resolution of the board of trustees, shall be considered to be continued during such military or naval service if he does not withdraw his contributions, and provided further, that any employee who enlists in or is inducted or drafted into the service of the armed forces of the United States, in time of war or while the provisions of Public Law 759, 80th Congress (Selective Service Act of 1948) or any amendment thereto or extension thereof shall be in effect, shall be considered as an employee under the provisions of this chapter and shall have all the benefits of section 23 of chapter 59, and the state shall contribute to the annuity savings fund or teachers' savings fund, whichever is applicable, such amounts as the employee would have been required to contribute if he had been serving the state during his service in the said armed forces in the same capacity as that in which he was serving at the time he joined the service; regardless of when he entered the United States armed forces or when he was released therefrom, provided such entry and release occurs during a time of war or while the provisions of Public Law 759, 80th Congress (Selective Service Act of 1948) or any amendment thereto or extension thereof shall be in effect; provided, however, that any employee, whose contributions to the annuity fund are paid by the state under the provisions of this section, who withdraws from or ceases to be a member of the retirement system, may not withdraw any of the contributions made by the state under this subsection.'

Effective August 6, 1949

Chapter 93

AN ACT Relating to Boards of Registration.

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

R. S., c. 3, § 13, amended. The 1st sentence of section 13 of chapter 3 of the revised statutes is hereby amended to read as follows:

'The chairman of the board shall receive \$6 \$7 and the other 2 members of the board shall receive \$~~5~~ \$6 each for every day that the board shall be in