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ACTS AND RESOLVES

AS PASSED BY THE

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the damages in the manner provided by section 13. The board shall notify the interested parties by registered mail of the final decision of the board. and any Any person aggrieved by said assessment may have the same determined as provided in section 39 of chapter 79 appeal therefrom to the superior court in the county where the land is situated within 30 days after the date of the receipt of the notice of award. The appellant shall file notice of his appeal with the state highway commission and said board, by registered mail within the time above limited, and at the 1st term of the court shall file a complaint setting forth substantially the facts, upon which the case shall be tried like other cases. The court shall determine the same by a committee of reference if the parties so agree, or by a verdict of its jury, and shall render judgment for the damages recovered, and judgment for costs in favor of the party entitled thereto, and shall issue execution for the costs only. The clerk shall certify the final judgment of the court to said board, who shall enter the same of record, and order the damages therein recovered to be paid by the treasurer of state. The party prevailing recovers costs to be taxed and allowed by the court, except that they shall not be recovered by the party claiming damages, but by the other party, if on such appeal by either party said claimant fails to recover a greater sum as damages than was allowed to him by the board. The committee shall be allowed a reasonable compensation for their services to be fixed by the court upon the presentation of their report and paid by the treasurer of state upon the certificate of the clerk of courts. Whenever the commission shall lay out, establish and open a new highway as a state or state aid highway, the damages sustained by the owner of any land through which said highway passes shall be determined, assessed and apportioned as provided in section 13, and any person aggrieved by such award may have the damages determined as hereinbefore provided in cases of altering, widening or changing of grade.'

Effective August 6, 1949

Chapter 175

AN ACT Relating to Clerk Hire in the Office of Clerk of Courts in Kennebec 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 the office of the clerk of

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courts in Kennebec county, as amended by chapter 209 of the public laws of 1947, is hereby further amended to read as follows:

'for clerks in the office of clerk of courts, \$2,200 \$2,500;'

Effective August 6, 1949

Chapter 176

AN ACT Relating to Salary of Register of Probate in Kennebec County.

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

R. S., c. 140, § 22, amended. That part of section 22 of chapter 140 of the revised statutes, as amended by section 2 of chapter 319 of the public laws of 1945, which relates to the salary of the register of probate in Kennebec county, is hereby further amended to read as follows:

'Kennebec, \$2,200 \$2,300,'

Effective August 6, 1949

Chapter 177

AN ACT Relating to the Salary of the Register of Probate of York County.

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

R. S., c. 140, § 22, amended. That part of section 22 of chapter 140 of the revised statutes which relates to the salary of the register of probate of York county, as amended by chapter 306 of the public laws of 1947, is hereby further amended to read as follows:

'York, \$2,400 \$2,500.'

Effective August 6, 1949

Chapter 178

AN ACT Relating to the Salary of the Sheriff of Lincoln 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 Lincoln county, as amended by section 4 of chapter 154 of the public laws of 1947, is hereby further amended to read as follows:

'Lincoln, \$1,500 \$1,800,'

Effective August 6, 1949