

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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# ACTS AND RESOLVES

AS PASSED BY THE

## Ninety-fourth Legislature

OF THE

# STATE OF MAINE

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L. Conviction of the violation of the provisions of section 32 of the United States liquor taxing act of 1934 relating to having in possession distilled spirits in unstamped containers;

M. Transferring, assigning or hypothecating a license.'

Sec. 2. R. S., c. 57, § 60, sub-§ III, repealed. Subsection III of section 60 of chapter 57 of the revised statutes, as amended by sections 2 and 3 of chapter 163 of the public laws of 1947, is hereby repealed.

Effective August 6, 1949

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## Chapter 193

AN ACT Authorizing Cities and Towns to Appropriate Money for Volunteer Fire Departments.

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

R. S., c. 80, § 91, amended. Section 91 of chapter 80 of the revised statutes, as amended by chapter 40 of the public laws of 1945, is hereby further amended by adding at the end thereof the following sentence:

'They may also raise money for the support and maintenance of a duly incorporated volunteer fire department.'

Effective August 6, 1949

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## Chapter 194

AN ACT Relative to Careless Shooting of Human Being.

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

R. S., c. 33, § 125, amended. Section 125 of chapter 33 of the revised statutes, as revised, is hereby amended to read as follows:

'Sec. 125. Carelessly shooting human being while engaged in hunting; penalty. Whoever while on a hunting trip, or in the pursuit of wild game or game birds, negligently or carelessly shoots and wounds, or kills any human being, shall be punished by a fine of not more than \$1,000, or by

imprisonment for not more than 10 years. The hunting license of any such person convicted under the provisions of this section shall be immediately revoked by the commissioner and such person shall not thereafter be eligible to procure a hunting license; provided, however, that such license shall not be revoked pending appeal. Persons convicted of negligently and carelessly shooting and wounding a human being while hunting in another state shall not be issued a license to hunt in this state.'

Effective August 6, 1949

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## Chapter 195

### AN ACT Regulating Sale of Malt and Malt Syrup.

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

R. S., c. 57, § 61, amended. The 1st paragraph of section 61 of chapter 57 of the revised statutes is hereby amended to read as follows:

'Malt or malt syrup shall not be sold except for bakery or industrial purposes by any person, or sold as a beverage except as malt beverages already provided for by law or in any form of malt beverage which contains 1% or less of alcohol by volume.'

Effective August 6, 1949

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## Chapter 196

### AN ACT Relating to Street Openings by Public Utility Corporations.

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

Sec. 1. R. S., c. 46, § 18-B, repealed and replaced. Section 18-B of chapter 46 of the revised statutes, as enacted by section 2 of chapter 252 of the public laws of 1947, is hereby repealed and the following enacted in place thereof:

'Sec. 18-B. Fees for excavation permits. The municipal officers of any city or town may establish a schedule of fees for granting permits for making an excavation within the driveway of any street or highway, said schedule of fees not to exceed the reasonable cost of replacement of the excavated pavement. The applicant shall pay to the treasurer of the city or town granting such permit the fees as established by the municipal officers