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ACTS AND RESOLVES

AS PASSED BY THE

Ninety-fourth Legislature

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE

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'Sec. 3. Compensation of justices upon retirement. Any justice of the superior court who resigns his office, or ceases to serve at the expiration of any term thereof, after attaining the age of 70 years and after having served as such justice for at least 7 consecutive years, shall receive annually during the remainder of his life, whether or not he is appointed an active retired justice as provided in the following section, an amount equal to $\frac{3}{4}$ of the salary which was being paid to him at the termination of his service, to be paid in the same manner as the salaries of the justices of said court are paid; provided, however, that such justice shall terminate his service before his 71st birthday, unless he be a justice who has attained or hereafter shall attain the age of 70 years during his continuance in office as such justice under an appointment made prior to 90 days after the adjournment of the 94th legislature in regular session, in which case to be entitled to compensation as aforesaid he shall terminate his service before his 72nd birthday. Any justice who continues to serve until or after the birthday applicable to the termination of his service, as aforesaid, shall waive his right to the compensation hereinbefore mentioned and make no claim therefor at the termination of his service, and the right of any justice drawing such compensation to continue to receive it shall cease immediately if he acts as attorney or counsellor in any action or legal proceeding in which the state is an adverse party or has any interest adverse to the person or persons in whose behalf he acts.'

Sec. 3. P. L. 1949, c. 139, § 1, repealed; limitation. Section 1 of chapter 139 of the public laws of 1949, heretofore passed by this legislature, amending section 5 of chapter 91 of the revised statutes, is hereby repealed and shall not be printed as part of the session laws of 1949.

Sec. 4. P. L. 1949, c. 139, § 3, repealed; limitation. Section 3 of chapter 139 of the public laws of 1949, heretofore passed by this legislature, amending section 3 of chapter 94 of the revised statutes, is hereby repealed and shall not be printed as part of the session laws of 1949.

Effective August 6, 1949

Chapter 370

AN ACT Relating to the Salary of the Forest Commissioner.

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

R. S., c. 32, § 1, amended. The last sentence of section 1 of chapter 32 of the revised statutes, as amended by chapter 372 of the public laws of 1945, is hereby further amended to read as follows:

'The commissioner shall receive an annual salary of ~~\$6,000~~ \$8,000, of which

amount ~~\$3,000~~ \$5,000 shall be paid from funds raised and created by the tax assessed under the provisions of section 74.'

Effective August 6, 1949

Chapter 371

AN ACT to Control the Payment of Benefits During Vacation Periods Under the Unemployment Compensation Law.

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

R. S., c. 24, § 4, sub-§ (c), amended. Subsection (c) of section 4 of chapter 24 of the revised statutes is hereby amended to read as follows:

'(c) He is able to work and is available for work at his usual or customary trade, occupation, profession or business or in such other trade, occupation, profession or business as his prior training or experience shows him to be fitted or qualified, provided that an individual shall be ineligible to receive benefits for any week which is recognized as a vacation period for his grade, class, or shift at the factory, mill, workshop or other premises where he is employed, and no distinction shall be made between those who receive pay during vacation periods and those who do not; except that an individual who is not entitled to pay during the vacation period may qualify for benefits or credit for his waiting period if he is available for work and complies with the other conditions of eligibility.'

Director's note: See P. L. 1949, c. 430, § 14, sub-§ III,
Effective August 6, 1949

Chapter 372

AN ACT Relating to Sale and Use of Fireworks.

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

R. S., c. 124, §§ 19-21, repealed and replaced. Sections 19 to 21, inclusive, of chapter 124 of the revised statutes are hereby repealed and the following enacted in place thereof:

Fireworks

Sec. 19. Sale of fireworks prohibited. No person shall sell, or keep or offer for sale, or use, explode, or cause to explode, any combustible or explosive composition or substance, or any combination of such compositions or substances, or any other article, which was prepared for the purpose of