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ACTS AND RESOLVES

AS PASSED BY THE

Ninety-fifth Legislature

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE

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one or more times prior to the 13th day of July, 1929, of a violation of the provisions of this section, such previous conviction or convictions shall be construed as 1 conviction.'

Effective August 20, 1951

Chapter 94

AN ACT Relating to Payment of Wages in Certain Businesses.

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

R. S., c. 25, § 38, amended. The 1st sentence of section 38 of chapter 25 of the revised statutes is hereby amended to read as follows:

'Every corporation, person or partnership engaged in a manufacturing, mechanical, mining, quarrying, mercantile, restaurant, hotel, summer camp, beauty parlor, amusement, street railway, telegraph or telephone business; in any of the building trades; upon public works, or in the construction or repair of street railroads, roads, bridges, sewers, gas, water, or electric light works, pipes, or lines; every incorporated express company or water company; and every steam railroad company or corporation shall pay weekly each employee engaged in his or its business the wages earned by him to within 8 days of the date of such payment; but any employee, leaving his or her employment, shall be paid in full on demand at the office of the employer where pay-rolls are kept and wages are paid, and every county and city shall so pay every employee who is engaged in its business the wages or salary earned by him, unless such mechanic, workman, laborer or employee requests in writing to be paid in a different manner; and every town shall so pay each employee in its business if so required by him; but an employee who is absent from his regular place of labor at a time fixed for payment shall be paid thereafter on demand.'

Effective August 20, 1951

Chapter 95

AN ACT Relating to Workmen's Compensation for Death of Employee.

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

R. S., c. 26, § 15, amended. The 1st sentence of section 15 of chapter 26 of the revised statutes, as amended by section 4 of chapter 380 of the public laws of 1949, is hereby further amended to read as follows:

'If death results from the injury, the employer shall pay the dependents of the employee, wholly dependent upon his earnings for support at the time of his accident, a weekly payment equal to $\frac{2}{3}$ his average weekly wages, earnings or salary, but not more than \$24 nor less than ~~\$9~~ \$12 a week, from the date of death for a period ending 300 weeks from the date of the accident, and in no case to exceed \$6,000.'

Effective August 20, 1951

Chapter 96

AN ACT Relating to a Legal Day's Work.

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

R. S., c. 100, § 63, repealed. Section 63 of chapter 100 of the revised statutes is hereby repealed.

Effective August 20, 1951

Chapter 97

AN ACT Relating to Savings Banks.

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

R. S., c. 55, § 38, sub-§ VI, ¶ C, sub-¶ 1, amended. Subparagraph 1 of paragraph C of subsection VI of section 38 of chapter 55 of the revised statutes is hereby amended to read as follows:

'1. In equipment ~~bonds or notes obligations~~ issued under the Philadelphia plan, so-called, and secured by standard equipment leased to any steam railroad corporation in the United States ~~any of whose mortgage bonds are eligible under the previous provisions of this section~~; provided, however, that the amount of such securities outstanding shall at no time exceed 80% of the cost of the equipment by which they are secured.'

Effective August 20, 1951