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ACTS AND RESOLVES

AS PASSED BY THE

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STATE OF MAINE

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plantations and unorganized townships any person or corporation interested may appeal from the decision of the county commissioners to the superior court in the manner provided in sections 56 to 59, inclusive, of chapter 79, relating to highways, and in case of cities and towns as follows: the decision of the ~~mayor and aldermen~~ **municipal officers** or the selectmen shall be filed with the clerk of the city or town within 1 week from ~~their final hearing~~ **the date thereof**; and within 2 weeks from such filing any person or corporation interested may appeal from their decision by filing notice of appeal with a copy of the original petition and adjudication with the clerk of the city or town and with the clerk of the board of county commissioners; the commissioners shall immediately entertain such appeal and give 2 weeks' public notice in a county newspaper of the time and place of hearing, which time shall be within 30 days from the time such appeal is filed; such hearing may be adjourned from time to time, not exceeding 30 days in all, and the commissioners shall file their decision within 30 days from the time the hearing is closed, and transmit a copy of the same to the clerk of the city or town, who shall forthwith record it.'

Effective August 20, 1951

Chapter 305

AN ACT Relating to Depositing Rubbish on Another's Land.

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

R. S., c. 124, § 17-A, additional. Chapter 124 of the revised statutes is hereby amended by adding thereto a new section to be numbered 17-A, to read as follows:

'Depositing Rubbish on Another's Land

Sec. 17-A. Depositing rubbish on another's land; penalty. Whoever deposits rubbish or garbage on land not his own, without the consent of the owner, shall be punished by a fine of not more than \$25.'

Effective August 20, 1951

Chapter 306

AN ACT Relating to Disclosure Commissioners.

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

R. S., c. 107, § 24, amended. The 1st sentence of section 24 of chapter 107 of the revised statutes is hereby amended to read as follows:

'Such magistrate as described in the preceding section shall thereupon issue

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under his hand and seal a subpoena to the debtor commanding him, or in case the debtor is a corporation commanding an officer thereof to appear before any such disinterested magistrate within said county in the town in which the debtor, the petitioner or his attorney resides, or the corporation has an established place of business, or in which any officer thereof on whom the subpoena is served, resides, ~~and in case there is no such magistrate in such town then~~ or in the nearest town ~~thereto~~ in which there is such a magistrate or in the shire town of said county, at a time and place therein named to make full and true disclosure, on oath, of all the business and property affairs of such debtor.'

Effective August 20, 1951

Chapter 307

AN ACT Relating to Taxation of Boats.

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

R. S., c. 81, § 13, sub-§ I, amended. The last sentence of subsection I of section 13 of chapter 81 of the revised statutes, as amended, is hereby further amended to read as follows:

'Portable mills, logs in any town to be manufactured therein, and all manufactured lumber excepting lumber in the possession of a transportation company and in transit, all potatoes stored awaiting sale or shipment, except those owned by and in the possession of the producer, house trailers not properly to be taxed as stock in trade, store fixtures, office furniture, furnishings, fixtures and equipment, and professional libraries, apparatus, implements and supplies, and coin-operated vending or amusement devices, and boats other than those used exclusively in tidal waters, and all manufactured merchandise except products either intended for manufacture into other products or used or for use in connection therewith and except merchandise in the possession of a transportation company or other carrier for the purpose of transporting the same, shall be taxed in the town where situated on the 1st day of April each year.'

Effective August 20, 1951