

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

The following document is provided by the
LAW AND LEGISLATIVE DIGITAL LIBRARY
at the Maine State Law and Legislative Reference Library
<http://legislature.maine.gov/lawlib>



Reproduced from scanned originals with text recognition applied
(searchable text may contain some errors and/or omissions)

ACTS AND RESOLVES

AS PASSED BY THE

Ninety-sixth Legislature

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE

Published by the Director of Legislative Research in accordance with subsection VI of section 26 of chapter 9 of the Revised Statutes of 1944.

KENNEBEC JOURNAL
AUGUSTA, MAINE
1953

PUBLIC LAWS

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE

As Passed by the Ninety-sixth Legislature

1953

Chapter 140

AN ACT Relating to Exemption of Certain Food Products from Taxation.

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

R. S., c. 81, § 6, sub-§ XVI, amended. Subsection XVI of section 6 of chapter 81 of the revised statutes is hereby amended to read as follows:

'XVI. Property in the possession of a common carrier while in interstate transportation or held en route awaiting further transportation to the destination named in a through bill of lading; and food products while stored in the custody of a warehouseman as defined in chapter 40, awaiting shipment outside the state, provided said food products were packed within the state and provided the principal ingredients thereof were grown or produced within the state or brought to the state directly from the sea.'

Effective August 8, 1953

Chapter 141

AN ACT Relating to Promotion of Medical Education.

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

Sec. 1. R. S., c. 61, § 13, amended. The last sentence of section 13 of chapter 61 of the revised statutes is hereby amended to read as follows:

'Subject to the provisions of sections 10 to 17, it shall be lawful for the University of Maine, Colby College, Bates College and Bowdoin College or any recognized medical school in New England to receive such bodies for the promotion of medical education, which shall be construed to include nursing training and pre-medical education.'

Sec. 2. R. S., c. 61, § 15, amended. Section 15 of chapter 61 of the revised statutes is hereby amended to read as follows:

'Sec. 15. School or persons receiving bodies to give bond for proper disposal; trafficking in dead bodies outside of state. No school, college, university, or any recognized medical school in New England, physician or surgeon shall be allowed or permitted to receive any such body or bodies until a bond shall be given to the treasurer of state by such physician or

surgeon, or by and in behalf of such school, college, ~~or~~ university or any recognized medical school in New England, to be approved by a justice of a court of record in and for the county in which said physician or surgeon resides, or in which such school, college, ~~or~~ university or any recognized medical school in New England is situated; such bond shall be in the penal sum of \$1,000, conditioned that all such bodies, which the said physician or surgeon or the said school, college, ~~or~~ university or any recognized medical school in New England shall receive thereafter, shall be used only for the promotion within the state of medical education, which shall be construed to include nursing training and pre-medical education, and when no longer needed for such educational purposes shall be decently buried; said bond shall be examined annually in the month of December, by the treasurer of state, and he shall certify in writing upon each bond in his possession his approval of the same; in case any bond is not approved by him, he shall immediately notify the party giving the same, who shall forthwith file a new bond as hereinbefore provided; whosoever shall sell or buy such body or bodies, or in any way traffic in the same, or shall transmit or convey such body or bodies to any place outside of the state, or cause the same to be done, **except as provided in section 13**, shall be punished by a fine of not more than \$200, or by imprisonment for not more than 11 months.'

Effective August 8, 1953

Chapter 142

AN ACT Increasing Salaries of Certain Officers of Knox County.

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

Sec. 1. R. S., c. 79, § 6, amended. That part of section 6 of chapter 79 of the revised statutes, as amended, which relates to the salary of the county commissioners of Knox county, is hereby further amended to read as follows:

'Knox, ~~\$800~~ \$900.'

Sec. 2. R. S., c. 79, § 114, amended. That part of section 114 of chapter 79 of the revised statutes, as amended, which relates to the salary of the clerk of courts of Knox county, is hereby further amended to read as follows:

'Knox, ~~\$2,700~~ \$2,820.'