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ACTS AND RESOLVES

AS PASSED BY THE

Ninety-sixth Legislature

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE

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Chapter 173

AN ACT Relating to the Taking of Marine Worms in Georgetown.

Emergency preamble. Whereas, acts of the legislature do not become effective until 90 days after adjournment; and

Whereas, it is vitally necessary that the following legislation be effective immediately in order to permit non-residents of Georgetown to take marine worms within the town of Georgetown; and

Whereas, in the judgment of the legislature, these facts create an emergency within the meaning of the constitution of Maine, and require the following legislation as immediately necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health and safety; now, therefore,

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

R. S., c. 34, § 81, amended. Section 81 of chapter 34 of the revised statutes, as revised, is hereby amended by adding after the 2nd sentence thereof, a new sentence, to read as follows:

'Provided, however, that for the taking or digging of marine worms a license may be granted or issued to any person, firm or corporation not a resident of said town of Georgetown.'

Emergency clause. In view of the emergency cited in the preamble, this act shall take effect when approved.

Effective April 17, 1953

Chapter 174

AN ACT Relating to Korean Campaign Veterans' Preference in State Employment.

Emergency preamble. Whereas, veterans, except those of the Korean Campaign, are given a preference in applying for state employment; and

Whereas, the people of Maine recognize the fact that all they own and all the privileges which they continue to enjoy, they owe to all those who have defended them on the field of battle; and

Whereas, the people of Maine recognize that state employment preference should be extended to all veterans; and

Whereas, in the judgment of the legislature these facts create an emergency within the meaning of the constitution of Maine and require the following legislation as immediately necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health and safety; now, therefore,

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

R. S., c. 59, § 12-A, amended. Section 12-A of chapter 59 of the revised statutes, as enacted by chapter 360 of the public laws of 1945, and as amended, is hereby further amended by adding after subsection V of the fourth paragraph thereof, a new subsection to be numbered VI, to read as follows:

‘VI. Korean Campaign, June 25, 1950 and the date on which hostilities are declared to have ended, either by proclamation of the president or by joint resolution of congress.’

Emergency clause. In view of the emergency cited in the preamble, this act shall take effect when approved.

Effective April 17, 1953

Chapter 175

AN ACT Repealing the Provision that Bells Shall Be Attached to Foremost Horses on Vehicles Driven on Snow.

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

R. S., c. 19, § 76, repealed. Section 76 of chapter 19 of the revised statutes is hereby repealed, as follows:

‘Sec. 76. Bells shall be attached to horse or animal drawn vehicles when snow is on ground. One or more bells shall be either attached to one of the foremost horses drawing vehicles without wheels on snow, or attached to the shafts of the vehicle.’

Effective August 8, 1953