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AS PASSED BY THE

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Chapter 200

AN ACT Relating to the Polling Place in Connor, Aroostook County.

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

Sec. 1. R. S., c. 5, § 64-B, additional. Chapter 5 of the revised statutes is hereby amended by adding thereto a new section, to be numbered 64-B, to read as follows:

'Sec. 64-B. Connor to have separate polling place. The municipal officers of Limestone are hereby directed to establish a polling place at Connor, an unorganized township in the county of Aroostook, for all state and national elections, including primary elections, at which polling place all residents of unorganized places entitled to vote in the town of Limestone may cast their ballots under the conditions provided in this section. The municipal officers shall prepare a separate list of such voters, resident in unorganized places who are entitled to vote in the town of Limestone, as may request the privilege of voting at Connor at the time they qualify as voters in Limestone under the provisions of section 64, and all persons whose names are so included in said list shall be entitled to vote at said polling place in Connor instead of at Limestone.'

Municipal officers of Limestone shall select 4 ballot clerks from the inhabitants of Connor, representing the two political parties which at the gubernatorial election next preceding such appointment cast the greatest number of votes and shall select a warden who shall be a resident of Limestone.

The conduct of elections at said polling place shall be the same as in towns having separate polling districts, and all the provisions of the revised statutes with respect to separate polling districts in towns are hereby made applicable to said polling place at Connor as though the same were located within the territorial limits of the town of Limestone, and the powers and duties of municipal officers in such case are hereby conferred upon the municipal officers of the town of Limestone.'

Sec. 2. R.S., c. 14, § 101-A, amended. Section 101-A of chapter 14 of the revised statutes, as enacted by section 5 of chapter 349 of the public laws of 1949, and as amended, is hereby further amended by inserting before the last paragraph thereof a new paragraph to read as follows:

'Poll-taxes collected by the state tax assessor from the residents of Connor in the year in which the biennial state election is held shall be paid

by the state to the town of Limestone, provided the state tax assessor receives from the officials of the town of Limestone a request therefor by June 1st of the following year.'

Effective August 8, 1953

Chapter 201

AN ACT Relating to Operating Headlights on Motor Vehicles Following Another.

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

R. S., c. 19, § 112-D, additional. Chapter 19 of the revised statutes, as amended, is hereby further amended by adding thereto a new section to be numbered 112-D, to read as follows:

'Sec. 112-D. Headlights on motor vehicle following another. No driver of a motor vehicle shall operate his headlights continuously on the upper or high beam when following a motor vehicle closer than 100 feet.'

Effective August 8, 1953

Chapter 202

AN ACT Relating to Form of Guarantee Filed with Highway Commission.

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

R. S., c. 20, § 21, amended. The 3rd and 4th sentences of section 21 of chapter 20 of the revised statutes are hereby amended to read as follows:

'Each bidder must accompany his bid with a cashier's check or a certified check or a United States postal money order, payable to the treasurer of state, for an amount which the commission considers sufficient to guarantee that if the work is awarded to him he will contract with the commission for its due execution; such checks or money orders shall be returned to the respective unsuccessful bidders. The check or money order of the successful bidder shall be returned to him upon the execution and delivery to the commission of his contract and his bond with sufficient sureties, in terms satisfactory to the commission for the due execution of such work.'

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