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ACTS AND RESOLVES

AS PASSED BY THE

Ninety-sixth Legislature

OF THE

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Sec. 25. Application of payments. Any order of support issued by a court of this state when acting as a responding state shall not supersede any previous order of support issued in a divorce or separate maintenance action, but the amounts for a particular period paid pursuant to either order shall be credited against amounts accruing or accrued for the same period under both.

Sec. 26. Effect of participation in proceeding. Participation in any proceedings under this chapter shall not confer upon any court jurisdiction of any of the parties thereto in any other proceeding.'

Effective August 8, 1953

Chapter 249

AN ACT Relating to Pauper Settlement of Parents of Children Receiving Aid to Dependent Children.

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

R. S., c. 82, § 9, amended. The last sentence of section 9 of chapter 82 of the revised statutes, as enacted by chapter 127 of the public laws of 1949, is hereby amended to read as follows:

'During the period that a dependent child is receiving aid under the pertinent provisions of chapter 22 ~~of the revised statutes~~, such dependent child and the parent from whom such child derives his settlement shall not acquire or lose a settlement.'

Effective August 8, 1953

Chapter 250

AN ACT Relating to Disposition of Liquor Seized or Forfeited.

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

Sec. 1. R. S., c. 57, § 63, sub-§ IV, additional. Section 63 of chapter 57 of the revised statutes is hereby amended by adding thereto a new subsection to be numbered IV, to read as follows:

'IV. The commission may authorize hospitals and state institutions to import for medicinal purposes only liquor made available to them from stocks of liquor seized by the federal government.'

Sec. 2. R. S., c. 57, § 89, repealed and replaced. Section 89 of chapter 57 of the revised statutes is hereby repealed and the following enacted in place thereof :

'Sec. 89. Disposal of forfeited liquors. All liquors declared forfeited by any court or magistrate under the provisions of this chapter shall, by order of the court or magistrate rendering final judgment thereon, be turned over to the liquor commission for distribution upon request to hospitals and state institutions for medicinal purposes only. Any such liquor held undistributed by the commission for a period of 6 months may be destroyed on order of the commission in the same manner as herein provided for destruction of liquor by order of court. If any liquor is determined by the court or magistrate to be unfit or unsatisfactory for distribution to such hospitals and state institutions, the court or magistrate may order such liquor to be destroyed by any officer competent to serve the process on which it was forfeited, and he shall make return accordingly to such court or magistrate. Such liquors shall be destroyed by pouring them upon the ground or into some public sewer.'

Effective August 8, 1953

Chapter 251

AN ACT Relating to Procedure by Savings Banks When Original Book of Deposit Lost.

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

R. S., c. 55, § 37, amended. Section 37 of chapter 55 of the revised statutes is hereby amended to read as follows :

'Sec. 37. Duplicate book of deposit, in case of loss of original. If a savings bank or trust company receives a notice in writing that a book of deposit in its savings department is lost, together with a request that a duplicate book of deposit be issued, such notice and request signed by the appropriate person or persons as hereinafter provided, said bank or trust company at the expiration of a period of 10 days from the receipt of such notice, if the missing book is not sooner presented, may issue a duplicate book of deposit to the persons signing said notice and request, and the delivery of such duplicate book relieves said savings bank or trust company from all liability on account of the missing original book of deposit. Such notice and request shall be signed :