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ACTS AND RESOLVES

AS PASSED BY THE

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has attended in the year preceding at least 2 days of 5 hours each of ~~the~~ an annual osteopathic educational program devoted to postgraduate instruction and training in osteopathy, surgery and obstetrics approved by the board; and the board may in its discretion approve courses meeting such standards conducted by the Maine osteopathic association, or its equivalent to the approval of said board, in the year preceding.'

Sec. 4. R. S., c. 64, § 7, amended. Section 7 of chapter 64 of the revised statutes is hereby amended to read as follows:

'Sec. 7. Certificate publicly displayed; rights under certificate. When the board shall have granted to a person the certificate mentioned in section 5, such certificate shall designate the holder as an osteopathic physician, and shall be publicly displayed at the person's principal place of business as long as such person shall continue to practice osteopathy for gain or hire. Such certificate shall entitle the person to whom it is granted to practice osteopathy in any county in this state, in all its branches as taught and practiced by the recognized schools and colleges of osteopathy, with the right to use such drugs as are necessary in the practice of **osteopathy**, surgery and obstetrics, including narcotics, antiseptics and anesthetics. Provided, however, that no osteopathic physician shall practice major surgery or obstetrics, who has not graduated from an accredited osteopathic school or college, after a 4-year course therein, or taken sufficient postgraduate proper courses to constitute the equivalent thereof, properly evidenced to said board; and that no person heretofore registered under the provisions of this chapter shall practice obstetrics or surgery without passing an examination in surgery before said board. Any person to whom a certificate has been granted under the provisions of section 5, may prefix the title "Doctor" or the letters "Dr." to his name, when accompanied by the ~~word~~ words, "D. O." "osteopathic physician and/or surgeon" or "osteopath."

Effective August 8, 1953

Chapter 295

AN ACT Relating to Persons Treating for Gunshot Wounds.

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

R. S., c. 124, § 18-A, additional. Chapter 124 of the revised statutes, as amended, is hereby further amended by adding thereto a new section, to be numbered 18-A, to read as follows:

'Sec. 18-A. Treating of gunshot wounds. Any person who professionally treats a human being for a wound apparently caused by the discharge of a firearm shall immediately report the same to the county attorney or sheriff or any of his deputies, or any police officer of the county in which the wound was treated. Whoever fails to so report any such treatment shall be punished by a fine of not more than \$100.'

Effective August 8, 1953

Chapter 296

AN ACT Relating to Bulldozing of Streams.

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

Sec. 1. R. S., c. 33, § 16-A, additional. Chapter 33 of the revised statutes, as revised, is hereby amended by adding thereto a new section to be numbered 16-A, to read as follows:

'Sec. 16-A. Bulldozing of rivers, streams and brooks. The bulldozing between the banks of a river, stream or brook in unorganized territory in excess of 500 feet in length in any one mile, measured along the thread of the stream is prohibited unless permission is first obtained from the commissioner of inland fisheries and game.

Whoever violates the provisions of this section shall be punished by a fine of not less than \$100, nor more than \$500.'

Sec. 2. R. S., c. 128, § 12-A, repealed. Section 12-A of chapter 128 of the revised statutes, as enacted by chapter 333 of the public laws of 1951 is hereby repealed.

Effective August 8, 1953

Chapter 297

AN ACT Relating to Fees of Sheriffs and Deputies.

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

R. S., c. 79, § 166, repealed and replaced. Section 166 of chapter 79 of the revised statutes, as amended, is hereby repealed and the following enacted in place thereof: