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Effective August 20, 1955

Chapter 265

AN ACT Relating to Zoning in Village Corporations.

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

R. S., c. 91, § 99-A, additional. Chapter 91 of the revised statutes is hereby amended by adding thereto a new section to be numbered 99-A, to read as follows:

'Sec. 99-A. Application. The provisions of sections 93 to 99, inclusive, shall apply to village corporations and the inhabitants thereof shall have the same powers and duties under said sections as inhabitants of towns. In the event of a conflict between the zoning provisions of a village corporation and zoning provisions of the town of which the village corporation is a part, the zoning provisions of the village corporation shall prevail within the geographical limits of the village corporation.'

Effective August 20, 1955

Chapter 266

AN ACT Increasing Salaries of Certain County Officials of Franklin County.

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

Sec. 1. R. S., c. 89, § 98, amended. That part of section 98 of chapter 89 of the revised statutes, which relates to the salary of the clerk of courts of Franklin county, is hereby amended to read as follows:

'Franklin, \$2,000 \$2,100,'

Sec. 2. R. S., c. 89, § 130, amended. That part of section 130 of chapter 89 of the revised statutes, which relates to the salary of treasurer of Franklin county, is hereby amended to read as follows:

'Franklin, \$900 \$1,000,'

Sec. 3. R. S., c. 89, § 149, amended. That part of section 149 of chapter 89 of the revised statutes, which relates to the salary of the sheriff of Franklin county, is hereby amended to read as follows:

'Franklin, \$2,200 \$2,400,'

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Sec. 4. R. S., c. 89, § 215, amended. That part of section 215 of chapter 89 of the revised statutes, which relates to salary of the register of deeds of Franklin county, is hereby amended to read as follows:

'Franklin, \$1,700 \$2,000,'

Sec. 5. R. S., c. 89, § 254, amended. That part of section 254 of chapter 89 of the revised statutes, which relates to salaries for clerks in the offices of register of deeds, register of probate and clerk of courts, for Franklin county, is hereby amended to read as follows:

Franklin county: for clerks in the office of register of deeds, \$1,500; for clerks in the office of register of probate, \$600 \$700; for clerks in the office of clerk of courts, \$1,500.

Sec. 6. R. S., c. 153, § 3, amended. That part of section 3 of chapter 153 of the revised statutes, which relates to the salary of the judge of probate, of Franklin county, is hereby amended to read as follows:

'Franklin, \$1,200 \$1,500,'

Sec. 7. R. S., c. 153, § 22, amended. That part of section 22 of chapter 153 of the revised statutes, which relates to the salary of the register of probate in Franklin county, is hereby amended to read as follows:

'Franklin, \$1,500 \$1,800,'

Sec. 8. Effective date. The provisions of this act shall be retroactive to January 1, 1955.

Effective August 20, 1955

Chapter 267

AN ACT Relating to Fees of Deputy Sheriffs in Attendance at Court.

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

R. S., c. 89, § 150, sub-§ XV, amended. Subsection XV of section 150 of chapter 89 of the revised statutes is hereby amended to read as follows:

'XV. Every deputy sheriff and court messenger, while in attendance upon the supreme judicial court or the superior court in their several counties except as provided in section 14 of chapter 103, shall receive for said attendance and service \$10 a day while the court is in session to run continuously from the commencement of such attendance and service until adjournment unless sooner released by the court, plus their necessary actual travel at 20c a mile from their place of abode for each day's attendance. The Superior Court messenger of Cumberland County shall also receive \$10 per day for court vacation time, service and attendance when said service and attendance are authorized by a Justice of the Superior Court.'