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for that reason shall not be void; but the person so committed shall be entitled to the benefit, and subject to the provisions of this section, in the same manner and to the same extent as if the commitment had been in the terms required by this section. In such case the superintendent of the reformatory shall deliver to such offender a copy of sections 66 to 75, inclusive.'

Sec. 3. R. S., c. 27, § 80, amended. Section 80 of chapter 27 of the revised statutes is hereby amended to read as follows:

'Sec. 80. Proceedings, when department or superintendent does not receive a boy. When a boy is ordered to be committed to said school and the Department deems it inexpedient to receive him, or his continuance in the school is deemed injurious to its management and discipline, it shall certify the same upon the mittimus by which he is held, and the mittimus and boy shall be delivered to any proper officer, who shall forthwith commit said boy to the jail, house of correction or state prison, or if he has attained the age of ~~16~~ 15 years, to the State Reformatory for Men according to his sentence. The Department may discharge any boy as reformed; and may authorize the Superintendent, under such rules as it prescribes, to refuse to receive boys ordered to be committed to said school, and his certificate thereof shall be as effectual as its own.'

Effective August 20, 1955

Chapter 319

AN ACT Increasing Salaries of County Officials of Sagadahoc County.

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

Sec. 1. R. S., c. 89, § 6, amended. That part of section 6 of chapter 89 of the revised statutes which relates to the salaries of the county commissioners of Sagadahoc county is hereby amended to read as follows:

'Sagadahoc, ~~\$720~~ \$900.'

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 the county treasurer of Sagadahoc county is hereby amended to read as follows:

'Sagadahoc, ~~\$1,200~~ \$1,500.'

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 Sagadahoc county is hereby amended to read as follows:

'Sagadahoc, ~~\$2,500~~ \$3,800.'

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

'Sagadahoc, ~~\$1,850~~ \$3,000.'

Sec. 5. R. S., c. 89, § 254, amended. That part of section 254 of chapter 89 of the revised statutes which relates to Sagadahoc county is hereby amended to read as follows:

'Sagadahoc county: for clerk in the office of register of deeds, ~~\$2,574~~ \$2,964; for clerks in the office of register of probate, ~~\$1,716~~ \$1,976; for clerks in the office of clerk of courts, ~~\$1,716~~ \$1,976.'

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 judge of probate of Sagadahoc county is hereby amended to read as follows:

'Sagadahoc, ~~\$1,750~~ \$2,500.'

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 of Sagadahoc county is hereby amended to read as follows:

'Sagadahoc, ~~\$1,500~~ \$2,000.'

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

Effective August 20, 1955

Chapter 320

AN ACT to Clarify Laws Relating to Bang's Disease.

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

Sec. 1. R. S., c. 32, § 60, amended. Section 60 of chapter 32 of the revised statutes is hereby amended to read as follows:

'Sec. 60. Bond. ~~The operator shall furnish bond of sufficient size to protect the consignors of the sale; provided, however, the aggregate liability of the surety to all such consignors shall in no event exceed the sum of said bond.~~ The operator shall keep complete records of all sales transactions which shall be available for inspection by the Commissioner or his agent.'

Sec. 2. R. S., c. 32, § 74, repealed and replaced. Section 74 of chapter 32 of the revised statutes is hereby repealed and the following enacted in place thereof:

'Sec. 74. Cattle tested. For the eradication of brucellosis (Bang's disease) the Commissioner or his agent in charge of livestock sanitary work shall continue to conduct recognized tests on all the herds in the State. Such tests shall be conducted by regularly employed federal or state veterinarians or technicians or authorized veterinarians and tested by the State Laboratory. All animals showing a positive reaction to the test shall be identified by a "reactor" eartag and brand and shall be slaughtered, except vaccinated animals under 36 months of age. The Commissioner or his agent may by written consent allow the retention of reactors and such herds shall be quarantined and handled under direct supervision of the Commissioner or his agent as provided under Plan "C". Animals not officially vaccinated, showing a suspicious reaction to the