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ACTS AND RESOLVES

AS PASSED BY THE

Ninety-seventh Legislature

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE

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cause damage to property. When forest fire conditions become serious, the Forest Commissioner or his representatives may declare void permits already issued. Forest fire danger indexes will be used as a basis of determining when forest fire conditions are safe to issue permits. Heavy use areas will, of necessity, be serviced by public camp sites and lunch grounds instead of individual permits.

Whosoever violates the provisions of this section shall on conviction be punished by a fine of not more than \$300, or by imprisonment for not more than 90 days, or by both such fine and imprisonment. All fines, penalties, warden costs, and all other moneys collected by the court shall be paid to the Treasurer of State and credited to the District for forest fire purposes.'

Sec. 2. R. S., c. 37, § 82, repealed. Section 82 of chapter 37 of the revised statutes, which pertains to kindling fires, is hereby repealed.

Sec. 3. R. S., c. 97, § 36, repealed. Section 36 of chapter 97 of the revised statutes, having to do with kindling fires, is hereby repealed.

Effective August 20, 1955

Chapter 407

AN ACT Relating to Trespass on Certain Buildings.

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

R. S., c. 131, § 39-A, additional. Chapter 131 of the revised statutes is hereby amended by adding thereto a new section to be numbered 39-A, to read as follows:

'Sec. 39-A. Trespass on certain buildings. Whoever willfully enters any dwelling house, camp, cottage or locked building, without the permission of the owner or occupant thereof, shall be punished by a fine of not more than \$100, or by imprisonment for not more than 90 days, or by both such fine and imprisonment.'

Effective August 20, 1955

Chapter 408

AN ACT Prohibiting Budget Planning Business.

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

R. S., c. 137, §§ 51-53, additional. Chapter 137 of the revised statutes is hereby amended by adding thereto 3 new sections to be numbered 51 to 53, inclusive, to read as follows:

'Budget Planning Business.

Sec. 51. Budget planning business prohibited. No person, firm, association or corporation shall engage in the business of budget planning. The provisions of sections 51 to 53, inclusive, shall not apply to those admitted to the practice of law.

Sec. 52. Definition. "Budget planning" means the making of a contract with a particular debtor, whereby the debtor agrees to pay a certain amount periodic-