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ACTS AND RESOLVES

AS PASSED BY THE

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'Sec. 8-A. Narcotics. With the approval of the Bureau of Narcotics, a podiatrist duly licensed in the State of Maine and a graduate of an accredited school of podiatry recognized by the National Association of Chiropodists, who has been granted a doctorate degree, shall be privileged to apply for license and therefore to prescribe narcotic drugs in the treatment of ailments of the human foot.'

Effective August 28, 1957

Chapter 112

AN ACT Relating to Violation of Motor Vehicle Laws by Juveniles.

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

R. S., c. 146, § 2, amended. Section 2 of chapter 146 of the Revised Statutes is hereby amended by adding at the end thereof a new paragraph, to read as follows:

'Juvenile courts shall have no jurisdiction over offenses in which a child under the age of 17 years is charged with the violation of any provision of chapter 22 or of any other traffic law or ordinance, provided such offense is a misdemeanor.'

Effective August 28, 1957

Chapter 113

AN ACT Relating to Trial Terms of Superior Court in Cumberland County.

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

R. S., c. 106, § 11, sub-§ III, amended. Subsection III of section 11 of chapter 106 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by chapter 285 of the public laws of 1955, is hereby further amended to read as follows:

'III. Cumberland. At Portland on the first Tuesday of every month except July and August; but the criminal business of said county, ~~except as herein-after provided~~, shall be transacted at the terms held on the first Tuesdays of January, May and September, together with civil business. After its final adjournment for civil business, ~~The any~~ January, May ~~and~~ or September terms of said Court may be kept open for criminal business after their final adjournment for civil business for such time as the presiding justice may deem expedient, provided ~~that they~~ it shall be finally adjourned at least 7 days before the convening of the next succeeding term in which criminal business ~~may be done~~ of whichever January, May or September term ensues chronologically after such final adjournment; and all business having to do with criminal appeal cases and pending indictments may be transacted at Portland at any term begun on the first Tuesday of ~~every~~ any month except July and August.; ~~and criminal~~ Criminal appeal cases from municipal courts and trial

justice courts in Cumberland county ~~may be when~~ appealed or appealed and bailed shall be appealed or appealed and bailed to the very next succeeding, convening term of Cumberland county Superior Court at Portland.'

Effective August 28, 1957

Chapter 114

AN ACT Relating to the Wells and York Game Preserve.

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

R. S., c. 37, § 149, amended. That part of section 149 of chapter 37 of the Revised Statutes, as revised, which relates to Wells and York Game Preserve is hereby amended to read as follows:

'Wells and York Game Preserve Management Area: No person shall, except as herein provided, at any time, hunt, pursue, shoot at, molest or kill any wild animal or any game or wild bird within the following described territory situated in the towns of Wells and York in York county; beginning at a point on highway No. 1 where the Josias river meets said highway No. 1 in the town of Wells, thence southwesterly along said Josias river to the Maine turnpike in the town of York, thence northerly along said Maine turnpike to the Agamenticus road overpass; thence westerly across said overpass by Agamenticus road to the North Village road; thence northerly along said North Village road to Ogunquit-North Berwick road, thence easterly along said Ogunquit-North Berwick road to highway No. 1 in the town of Wells, thence southerly along highway No. 1 to the point of beginning in the town of Wells. It shall also be unlawful for any person to have in possession at any time any wild bird or wild animal taken in violation of any provision of this paragraph. The provisions of this paragraph shall not prohibit the Commissioner of Inland Fisheries and Game from regulating the taking of fur-bearing animals and vermin thereon.'

Effective August 28, 1957

Chapter 115

AN ACT Increasing Civil Jurisdiction of Municipal Courts.

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

R. S., c. 108, § 4, amended. Section 4 of chapter 108 of the Revised Statutes is hereby amended to read as follows:

'Sec. 4. Jurisdiction. A municipal court shall not have jurisdiction in any civil matter unless a defendant resides within the county in which such court is established, or is a nonresident of the State and has personal service within the county, or a party summoned as trustee resides within the county, or property of the defendant is attached within the county in which such court is established; but in case of such personal service, trustee or attachment, such court shall have jurisdiction concurrent with the Superior Court and with all other municipal courts in the same county wherein it is established of all civil actions