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by section 1-B of chapter 364 of the public laws of 1957 and as repealed and replaced by section 2 of chapter 443 of the public laws of 1957, is repealed as follows:

'Notes issued by the administrative district shall mature not later than one year from their date but may be renewed from time to time, provided the period of the original note plus that of renewals thereof shall not exceed a years.'

Effective September 16, 1961

Chapter 6

AN ACT Authorizing Selectmen or Municipal Officers to Fill Vacancies on Board of School Directors.

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

Sec. 1. R. S., c. 41, § 111-J, amended. The first sentence of the 3rd paragraph from the end of section 111-J of chapter 41 of the Revised Statutes, as enacted by section 1-B of chapter 364 and as repealed and replaced by section 2 of chapter 443 both of the public laws of 1957, and as amended by chapter 131 of the public laws of 1959, is repealed and replaced as follows:

'When a vacancy on the Board of School Directors occurs by reason of death, resignation or otherwise, the selectmen or municipal officers of the municipality that the director represented shall fill the vacancy by electing a director from the municipality to serve until the municipality shall fill the vacancy at its next annual town meeting or next regular city election.'

Sec. 2. R. S., c. 41, § 111-J, amended. The last sentence of the 3rd paragraph from the end of section 111-J of chapter 41 of the Revised Statutes, as enacted by section 1-B of chapter 364 and as repealed and replaced by section 2 of chapter 443 both of the public laws of 1957, is amended to read as follows:

'In case any member of the Board of School Directors shall remove from the municipality that he represents or be absent from said municipality for more than 90 days a vacancy shall be declared to exist by the Board of School Directors and the remaining directors selectmen or municipal officers shall thereafter choose another director as provided.'

Effective September 16, 1961

Chapter 7

AN ACT Relating to Maintenance of Morse's Bridge, Bangor.

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

R. S., c. 23, § 118, amended. Section 118 of chapter 23 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by chapter 313 of the public laws of 1955 and by chapter 257 of the public laws of 1959, is further amended to read as follows:

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'Sec. 118. Maintenance of bridges built or rebuilt. All costs of maintenance of bridges built or rebuilt under sections 108 to 116 and sections 120 to 122 shall be borne entirely by the State. This section shall also apply to the maintenance of the bridge between Machiasport and East Machias, all the 22 bridges built under the "Works Program Flood Relief Program," and the following covered bridges: Morse's Bridge, Bangor; Lovejoy Bridge, Andover; Robyville Bridge, Corinth; Hemlock Bridge, Fryeburg; Bennett Bridge, Lincoln Plantation; Watson's Bridge, Littleton; Artist's Bridge, Newry; Lowe's Bridge, Sangerville-Guilford and Babb's Bridge, Windham-Gorham.

If replacement of any of these covered bridges is necessary, sections 108 to 115, this section 118 and sections 120 to 122 shall apply.'

Effective September 16, 1961

Chapter 8

AN ACT Relating to Sale By Forest Commissioner of Gravel on State Lands.

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

R. S., c. 36, § 12, amended. Section 12 of chapter 36 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by chapter 185 of the public laws of 1957, is further amended to read as follows:

'Sec. 12. Granting rights to cut timber; sell gravel; grant mining rights; leasing camp sites and mill privileges; preference to Maine people. The commissioner, under the direction of the Governor and Council, shall sell at public or private sale and grant rights to cut timber and grass belonging to the State, may sell any gravel existing in the soil of such lands only for the construction of public highways or other public works in the vicinity of the location of the land from which the gravel is taken, and may lease camp sites, mill privileges, dam sites, flowage rights, the right to set poles and maintain utility service lines and the right to construct and maintain roads, and grant mining rights, after the approval of the Mining Bureau, on lands belonging to the State, on such terms as they direct; also and the right to cut timber and grass and lease camp sites, mill privileges, dam sites, flowage rights, the right to set poles and maintain utility service lines and the right to construct and maintain roads, and grant mining rights, after the approval of the Mining Bureau, on public reserved lots in any township or tract of land until the same is incorporated, on such terms as they direct. Preference in such sales or leases shall be given to persons, firms or corporations of this State.'

Effective September 16, 1961

Chapter 9

AN ACT Allocating Moneys from Organized Township's Fund for Managing Public Reserved Lots in Plantations.

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

R. S., c. 36, § 54, amended. Section 54 of chapter 36 of the Revised Statutes is amended by adding a new sentence after the 3rd sentence, to read as follows: