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ACTS AND RESOLVES

AS PASSED BY THE

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agreement with the Maine School Building Authority, or to authorize the school directors to contract for the schooling of secondary pupils, or to authorize the school directors to dispose of real property, the school directors shall be authorized to call such meeting as follows:

Emergency clause. In view of the emergency cited in the preamble, this act shall take effect when approved.

Effective February 26, 1963

Chapter 21

AN ACT Relating to Penalties for Burglary and Larceny.

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

Sec. 1. R. S., c. 131, § 11, amended. Section 11 of chapter 131 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by chapter 59 of the public laws of 1959, is further amended to read as follows:

‘Sec. 11. Breaking and entering with intent to commit a felony or any larceny. Whoever, with intent to commit a felony or any larceny, breaks and enters in the daytime or enters without breaking in the nighttime any dwelling house, or breaks and enters any office, bank, shop, store, warehouse, vessel, railroad car of any kind, motor vehicle, aircraft, house trailer, or building in which valuable things are kept, any person being lawfully therein and put in fear, shall be punished by imprisonment for not ~~less than 1 year nor~~ more than 10 years; but if no person was lawfully therein and put in fear, by imprisonment for not more than 5 years or by a fine of not more than \$500.’

Sec. 2. R. S., c. 132, § 1, amended. Section 1 of chapter 132 of the Revised Statutes is amended to read as follows:

‘Sec. 1. Larceny, defined. Whoever steals, takes and carries away, of the property of another, money, goods or chattels, or any writ, process, public record, bond, bank bill or note, promissory note, bill of exchange, order, certificate, book of accounts, conveyance of real estate, valuable contract, receipt, release, defeasance or instrument in writing whereby any demand, right or obligation is created, increased, diminished or extinguished is guilty of larceny; and shall be punished, when the value of the property exceeds \$100, by imprisonment for not ~~less than 1 year nor~~ more than 5 years; and when the value of the property does not exceed \$100, by a fine of not more than \$100 or by imprisonment for not more than 6 months, or by both ~~such fine and imprisonment.~~’

Sec. 3. R. S., c. 132, § 3, amended. Section 3 of chapter 132 of the Revised Statutes is amended to read as follows:

‘Sec. 3. Larceny by night in a dwelling house, or at any time breaking and entering certain other buildings, vessel or railroad car. Whoever, without breaking, commits larceny in the nighttime in a dwelling house or building adjoining

and occupied therewith, or breaks and enters any office, bank, shop, store, warehouse, barn, stable, vessel, railroad car of any kind, courthouse, jail, meeting-house, college, academy or other building for public use or in which valuable things are kept, and commits larceny therein, shall be punished by imprisonment for not ~~less than 1 year nor~~ more than 15 years; and when the offense is committed in the daytime, ~~by imprisonment for not more than 6 years or by a fine of not more than \$1,000~~ by a fine of not more than \$1,000 or by imprisonment for not more than 6 years.'

Effective September 21, 1963

Chapter 22

AN ACT Relating to Certificates for Female Dogs.

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

R. S., c. 100, § 10, amended. The 2nd sentence of the 2nd paragraph of section 10 of chapter 100 of the Revised Statutes is amended to read as follows:

'All female dogs shall be considered capable of producing young unless a certificate issued by ~~the Commissioner of Agriculture and signed by a~~ any licensed veterinarian, or any previous license record, is presented from a licensed veterinarian stating that such female was made incapable of bearing young by spaying by him.'

Effective September 21, 1963

Chapter 23

AN ACT Classifying Card Brook in Ellsworth.

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

R. S., c. 79, § 15, amended. Subsection X under the caption "Coastal Streams" of section 15 of chapter 79 of the Revised Statutes, as enacted by section 7 of chapter 426 of the public laws of 1955, is amended to read as follows:

'X. Card Brook, main stem, in Ellsworth from the farm pond about 250 yards west of U. S. highway No. 1 to tidewater — Class ~~D~~ B-2.'

Effective September 21, 1963