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'Except as provided by sections sections 501 and 601, no licensee shall, directly or indirectly, offer or give any liquor, or any price premium, gift or inducement of any sort to other trade or consumer buyers, except such advertising novelties of nominal value as the commission may approve.'

Sec. 2. R. S., T. 28, § 501, amended. Section 501 of Title 28 of the Revised Statutes is amended by adding a new paragraph to read as follows:

'Manufacturers licensed under this section may deliver to the State Liquor Commission reasonable quantities of their products to be held for subsequent delivery to them for sales promotion purposes. The commission shall issue a receipt to the licensee for the products so delivered and no withdrawal of such products shall be made except by written order of the licensee.'

Effective September 3, 1965

Chapter 150

AN ACT Relating to Equal Pay for Men and Women Employees.

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

R. S., T. 26, § 628, amended. The first 2 sentences of section 628 of Title 26 of the Revised Statutes are repealed and the following enacted in place thereof:

'No employer shall discriminate between employees in the same establishment on the basis of sex, by paying wages to any employee in any occupation in this State at a rate less than the rate at which he pays any employee of the opposite sex for comparable work on jobs which have comparable requirements relating to skill, effort and responsibility. Differentials which are paid pursuant to established seniority systems or merit increase systems, or difference in the shift or time of the day worked, which do not discriminate on the basis of sex, are not within this prohibition. No employer may discharge or discriminate against any employee by reason of any action taken by such employee to invoke or assist in any manner the enforcement of this section.'

Effective September 3, 1965

Chapter 151

AN ACT Relating to Procedure for Commitment to the State Hospitals.

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

Sec. 1. R. S., T. 34, § 2332, amended. The last paragraph of section 2332 of Title 34 of the Revised Statutes is amended to read as follows:

'Such a certificate, if it states a belief that the individual is likely to injure himself or others if allowed to remain at liberty, upon endorsement for such purpose by a judge of probate, the District Court Judge or complaint justice within whose jurisdiction the individual is present, or by a Justice of the Superior Court, shall

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authorize any health or police officer to take the individual into custody and transport him to a hospital as designated in the application.'

Sec. 2. R. S., T. 34, § 2333, amended. The last paragraph of section 2333 of Title 34 of the Revised Statutes is amended to read as follows:

'Such a certificate, upon endorsement for such purpose by a judge of probate, the District Court Judge or complaint justice within whose jurisdiction the individual is present, or by a Justice of the Superior Court, shall authorize any health or police officer to take the individual into custody and transport him to a hospital as designated in the application.'

Effective September 3, 1965

Chapter 152

AN ACT Relating to Adequate Brakes on Truck Tractors and Semitrailers.

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

R. S., T. 29, § 1652, amended. The last sentence of section 1652 of Title 29 of the Revised Statutes is amended to read as follows:

'All trucks and combinations of truck tractor and semitrailer with 4 or more axles shall have adequate brakes on the wheels of all axles; except that this sentence shall not apply if the vehicle is in compliance with Interstate Commerce Commission safety regulations.'

Effective September 3, 1965

Chapter 153

AN ACT Classifying Collier Brook, Cumberland County.

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

R. S., T. 38, § 369, sub-§ 6-A, additional. That part which relates to Cumberland County of section 369 of Title 38 of the Revised Statutes is amended by adding a new subsection 6-A, to read as follows:

'6-A. Gray.

A. Collier Brook - Class B-2.'

Effective September 3, 1965

Chapter 154

AN ACT Relating to Procedure for Registration of Voters.

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

R. S., T. 21, § 102-A, additional. Title 21 of the Revised Statutes is amended by adding a new section 102-A, to read as follows: