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ACTS AND RESOLVES

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of as comports with the ordinary management of ~~lands real estate~~ in unorganized territory in this State, and it further appears that during such period no former owner, or person claiming under him, has paid any such tax, or any assessment by the county commissioners, or done any other act indicative of ownership, no action shall be maintained by a former owner, or those claiming under him, to recover such ~~land real estate~~ or to avoid such deed, unless commenced within said 20 years. Such payment shall give such grantee or person claiming, his heirs or assigns, a right of entry and seizin in the whole, or such part, in common and undivided, of the whole tract as the deed states, or as the number of acres in the deed is to the number of acres assessed.

This section shall apply to rights and interests acquired under tax sales made by the Treasurer of State for the nonpayment of taxes.

Sec. 12. R. S., T. 36, § 1331, amended. Section 1331 of Title 36 of the Revised Statutes is amended to read as follows:

§ 1331. Abatement of taxes and supplemental assessments

The State Tax Assessor shall make a supplementary assessment of any state, county or forestry district tax on ~~lands real estate~~ which ~~have~~ has been acquired by the State for nonpayment of such tax, which ~~have~~ has been omitted from the state valuation and which ~~have~~ has been conveyed by legislative authorization. Such supplementary assessment shall be made only for the calendar year following the date of conveyance and shall be based on the valuation to be established by the Board of Equalization.

The State Tax Assessor shall make a supplementary assessment of any state, county or forestry district tax on ~~lands real estate~~ in unorganized territory omitted by error from the last previous state valuation, and of buildings located in unorganized territory built since the last previous state valuation. Such supplementary assessment shall be based on the valuation to be established by the Board of Equalization.

Sec. 13. Effective date. This Act shall first be effective with the state valuation to be filed on or before November 30, 1968.

Effective October 7, 1967

Chapter 272

AN ACT Relating to the Practice of Hairdressing and Beauty Culture.

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

Sec. 1. R. S., T. 32, § 1551, sub-§ 1, amended. Subsection 1 of section 1551 of Title 32 of the Revised Statutes is amended to read as follows:

1. Practice of hairdressing and beauty culture. The practice of, teaching of or demonstration of hairdressing and beauty culture shall mean the engaging by any person for hire or reward in any one or more of the following practices: The application of the hands or of mechanical or electrical apparatus with or without cosmetic preparations, tonics, lotions, creams, antiseptics or clays to

massage, cleanse, stimulate, manipulate, exercise or otherwise to improve or to beautify the scalp, face, neck, shoulders, arms, hands or to manicure the fingernails of any person; or to arrange, dress, curl, wave, cleanse, cut, singe, bleach, color or similarly treat the hair of any person, or to arrange, dress, curl, wave, cleanse, cut, singe, bleach, color or similarly treat a wig, wiglet or hair piece made of human hair, animal hair or synthetics.

Sec. 2. R. S., T. 32, § 1551, sub-§ 3, amended. Subsection 3 of section 1551 of Title 32 of the Revised Statutes is amended by adding at the end thereof a new sentence to read as follows:

The term "demonstrator" shall not include one who performs such demonstrations for the benefit of persons who have a certificate to practice hair-dressing and beauty culture under this chapter.

Effective October 7, 1967

Chapter 273

AN ACT to Permit the Use of Candles in Religious or Fraternal Services.

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

R. S., T. 25, § 2452-A, additional. Title 25 of the Revised Statutes is amended by adding a new section 2452-A, as follows:

§ 2452-A. Use of candles

No regulation of the Insurance Commissioner shall prohibit the use of candles by any officials of religious or fraternal orders during the course of a religious or fraternal service, which service occurs on the property of said church or fraternal order, provided the said use of candles is properly supervised.

Effective October 7, 1967

Chapter 274

AN ACT Relating to the Length Provision in the Sale or Packaging of Herring.

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

R. S., T. 32, § 4159, amended. Section 4159 of Title 32 of the Revised Statutes is amended to read as follows:

§ 4159. Sale or packing of herring

It shall be unlawful for any person, firm or corporation to sell, offer for sale or transfer in any manner herring taken in the coastal waters of Maine ~~which are less than 7 inches long measured from one extreme to another~~ to any person, firm or corporation, other than for human consumption or bait purposes, unless such herring are not desirable for processing for human con-