

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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ACTS AND RESOLVES

PASSED BY THE

THIRTY-SEVENTH LEGISLATURE

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE,

1858.

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county of Lincoln, instead of the third Tuesday of May as is now provided by law.

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SECT. 2. All matters and things pending in or returnable to said court, and which would but for the provisions of this act, have day at the term of said court to be held on the third Tuesday of May of the present year as by law provided shall be returnable to and have day at the term of said court to be held on the first Tuesday of May of the current year.

Matter pending, when returnable and to have day.

SECT. 3. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its approval by the governor.

[Approved February 17, 1858.]

#### Chapter 4.

An act additional to chapter seventy-seven of the revised statutes relating to the supreme judicial court.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in Legislature assembled,* as follows :

The supreme judicial court shall not sit on Christmas day; and when the time fixed by law for beginning and holding any term of said court shall be on that day, or on the fourth of July, or on the day designated for the choice of electors of president and vice president of the United States, said court shall stand adjourned until the day following, which shall for the entry of actions and other purposes, be deemed the first day of said term.

S. J. Court not to sit on Christmas day.

First day of term.

[Approved February 17, 1858.]

#### Chapter 5.

An act to define intelligibly the northern registry district of Aroostook county.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in Legislature assembled,* as follows :

Section nine of chapter seven of the revised statutes, is hereby amended by substituting the word south-east for the word "north-east" in the second line, so that said section as amended, shall read as follows :

Northern registry district of Aroostook co. defined.

SECT. 9. All that part of the county of Aroostook lying north of a line commencing in the south-east corner of township E, in the

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first range west from the east line of the state; thence west on the south line of said township and the south line of township I in the second range, to township numbered fourteen in the third range; thence south to the north-east corner of township numbered thirteen in the third range; thence west on the dividing line of townships thirteen and fourteen, to the seventh range line; thence due west to the west line of the state, shall compose the northern registry district of Aroostook county, and the register shall keep his office in Madawaska plantation in said district.

Office, where kept.

[Approved February 18, 1853.]

### Chapter 6.

An act to amend chapter thirty-eight of the revised statutes, relating to the inspection of beef and pork.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in Legislature assembled, as follows:*

Ch. 38, sect. 23,  
R. S. amended.

SECT. 1. In the sixth line of the twenty-third section of chapter thirty-eight of the revised statutes, as printed, after the word "therein" insert the words "for exportation" so that said section as amended shall read as follows:

Beef and pork not to be sold for exportation without inspection.

SECT. 23. No pork or beef, except hams reserved for pickling or smoking, packed in this state or imported into it in barrels, half barrels, or other casks not bearing the name and brand of an inspector of some one of the United States, showing the quality and quantity thereof, shall be transported out of the state, or shipped, sold, or offered for sale therein for exportation, under a penalty of ten dollars for each package; nor shall any salted beef or pork be exported from the state, unless the master or owner of the vessel produces to the collector, or other officer of the United States granting a clearance, a certificate from the inspector general or his deputy, that it is inspected and branded according to law, and each certificate shall express the number of barrels and half barrels of beef or pork of each sort; and on producing such certificate, he shall take and subscribe the following oath before said officer, namely:

Penalty.

Certificate of inspection to be produced by master or owner of vessel.

Certificate to be sworn to.

Form of oath.

I — A. B. — master (or owner, as the case may be,) of the —, do swear, that according to my best knowledge and belief, the certificate hereunto annexed contains the whole quantity of salted beef, (or pork as the case may be) on board the — master; and that no salted beef, or pork, is shipped on board the said vessel for