

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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ACTS AND RESOLVES

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PUBLIC LAWS

OF THE

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**Chapter 192.****CHAP. 192.**

An act to amend section one hundred and sixteen of chapter six of the revised statutes, relating to the collection of taxes.

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

Section one hundred and sixteen of the revised statutes is hereby amended so as to read as follows: 'When the owner or possessor of goods, wares and merchandise, logs, timber, boards and other lumber, stock in trade, including stock employed in the business of any of the mechanic arts, horses, mules, neat cattle, sheep or swine, resides in any other town than the one in which such personal property is kept and taxed, the constable or collector having a tax on any such property for collection, may demand it of such owner or possessor in any part of the state, and on his refusal to pay it, may distrain him by his goods, and for want thereof, may commit him to jail in the county where he is found, till he pays it or is discharged by law.'

Collection of taxes on personal property of non-residents.

Approved February 17, 1871.

**Chapter 193.**

An act in relation to the times of holding sessions of the county commissioners of the county of Penobscot.

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

SECT. 1. The county commissioners of the county of Penobscot shall hold sessions on the first Tuesdays of January, April, July and October, instead of the times now provided by law.

SECT. 2. All acts inconsistent with this act are hereby repealed.

SECT. 3. This act shall take effect when approved.

Terms of sessions of county commissioners of Penobscot.

Approved February 18, 1871.

**Chapter 194.**

An act relating to instruction in industrial or mechanical drawing.

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

SECT. 1. Any city or town may annually make provision for giving free instruction in industrial or mechanical drawing, to persons over fifteen years of age, either in day or evening schools, under the direction of the superintending school committee.

SECT. 2. This act shall take effect when approved.

Cities and towns authorized to make provision for instruction in industrial or mechanical drawing.

Approved February 18, 1871.