

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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ACTS AND RESOLVES

OF THE

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OF THE

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OF THE
STATE OF MAINE.
1883.

Chapter 218.

An Act to amend section forty of chapter ninety-one of the Revised Statutes, relative to liens on goods in possession.

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

Section forty of chapter ninety-one of the revised statutes is hereby amended in the second line thereof by inserting after the word "judicial," the words 'or superior' so that said section, as amended, shall read as follows :

Sec. 40, ch. 91,
R. S., amended.

'SECT. 40. The person claiming the lien may file in the supreme judicial or superior court, in the county where he resides, or in the office of the clerk thereof, a petition briefly setting forth the nature and amount of his claim, a description of the article possessed, and the name and residence of its owners, if known to him, and a prayer for process to enforce his lien.'

Petition to be
filed; contents of
it.

Approved March 14, 1883.

Chapter 219.

An Act relating to Registers of Probate.

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

Section twenty of chapter sixty-three of the revised statutes is hereby amended by adding after the word "therefrom" in the seventh line, the words, 'and any matter, petition, process or proceeding drawn, commenced or conducted by the register, or his agent or clerk, in the probate court of which he is register, in violation of this act, shall be void, and such register shall be liable in damages to the party injured thereby.'

Sec. 20, ch. 63,
R. S., amended.

Register not to
be counsel in
cases incompati-
ble.

Penalty.

Approved March 14, 1883.