

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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ACTS AND RESOLVES

OF THE

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OF THE

STATE OF MAINE.

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PUBLIC LAWS
OF THE
STATE OF MAINE.

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Chapter 266.

An Act to establish a standard weight of a barrel of potatoes.

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

SECT. 1. The standard weight of a barrel of potatoes, in good order and fit for shipping, is one hundred and sixty-five pounds.

Standard weight of potatoes fixed

SECT. 2. Whoever, acting for himself or as the employe of another, takes more than the standard weight for a barrel of potatoes, shall forfeit fifty cents for each barrel, to the person prosecuting therefor, within thirty days.

Penalty for taking more than standard weight.

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

Approved February 16, 1883.

Chapter 267.

An Act relating to scientific temperance instruction in public schools.

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

SECT. 1. Provision shall be made by the proper local school authorities for instructing all pupils in all schools, supported by public money or under state control, in physiology and hygiene, with special reference to the effects of alcoholic drinks, stimulants and narcotics upon the human system.

Instruction in physiology and hygiene required in public schools.

SECT. 2. No certificate shall be granted any person to teach in the public schools of this state after the fourth day of July, eighteen hundred and eighty-five, who has not passed a satisfactory examination in physiology and hygiene, with special reference to the effects of alcoholic drinks, stimulants and narcotics upon the human system.

—knowledge of, requisite, before applicant to teach can receive certificate.

Approved February 19, 1885.