

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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ACTS AND RESOLVES

OF THE

SIXTY-FIFTH LEGISLATURE

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE.

1891.

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PUBLIC LAWS
OF THE
STATE OF MAINE.

1891.

CHAP. 98**Chapter 98.**

An Act to amend chapter seventeen of the Revised Statutes, relating to Nuisances.

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

Sec. 1, ch. 17,
R. S., amended.

Section one of chapter seventeen of the revised statutes is hereby amended by adding thereto the following words: 'the supreme court shall have jurisdiction in equity, upon information filed by the county attorney or upon petition of not less than twenty legal voters of such town or city, setting forth any of the facts contained herein, to restrain, enjoin or abate the same, and an injunction for such purpose may be issued by said court or any justice thereof,' so that the said section as amended, shall read as follows :

Common
nuisances.

'SECT. 1. All places used as houses of ill-fame, or for the illegal sale or keeping of intoxicating liquors, or resorted to for lewdness or gambling; all houses, shops or places where intoxicating liquors are sold for tipping purposes, and all places of resort where intoxicating liquors are kept, sold, given away, drank, or dispensed in any manner not provided for by law, are common nuisances. The supreme court shall have jurisdiction in equity, upon information filed by the county attorney or upon petition of not less than twenty legal voters of such town or city, setting forth any of the facts contained herein, to restrain, enjoin or abate the same, and an injunction for such purpose may be issued by said court or any justice thereof.'

—power of S. J.
Court to abate.

Approved March 25, 1891.

Chapter 99.

An Act to amend sections seventeen, eighteen and twenty of chapter forty-eight of the Revised Statutes, relating to the organization of Corporations.

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

Sec. 17, ch. 48,
R. S., amended.

SECT. 1. Section seventeen of chapter forty-eight of the revised statutes is hereby amended, so as to read as follows :

First meeting.

'SECT. 17. Their first meeting shall be called by one or more of the signers of said articles, by giving notice thereof, stating the time, place and purposes of the meeting to each