

#### THE

# REVISED STATUTES

OF THE

## STATE OF MAINE,

PASSED APRIL 17, 1857;

TO WHICH ARE PREFIXED

### THE CONSTITUTIONS

OF THE

### UNITED STATES AND OF THE STATE OF MAINE:

WITH AN

APPENDIX.

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1857.

#### CONTAGIOUS SICKNESS.

TITLE II.

Снар. 12.

First meeting of trustees, how called. R. S., c. 20, δ 15.

annual income of such lands and of the proceeds of their sale according to the terms of the grants and reservations by which they were so vested; and at each annual meeting for choice of parish officers, exhibit an account of their proceedings, and a statement of funds, receipts, and expenditures.

SEC. 45. The first meeting of the trustees constituted by sections thirty-six and forty-four in any year, may be called by seven days personal notice of the time and place thereof, given by one of them to all the others.

#### CHAPTER 13.

#### THE PRACTICE OF MEDICINE AND SURGERY.

Physic and surgery.

Restrictions on certain

practitioners.

R. S., c. 22.

No person, except a physician or surgeon who com-Sec. 1. menced practice prior to February sixteenth, eighteen hundred and thirty one, or has received a medical degree at a public medical institution in the United States, or a license from the censors of the Maine Medical Society, shall recover any compensation for medical or surgical services, unless previous to such services, he had obtained a certificate of good moral character from the municipal officers of the town where he then resided.

#### CHAPTER 14.

#### PREVENTION OF CONTAGIOUS SICKNESS.

- SEC. 1. Precautions against infected persons; duty of municipal officers.
  - 2. Precautions against persons arriving from infected places; same.
    - 3. Restrictions on such persons ; may be removed if refractory ; penalty if they return.
    - 4. Precautions authorized in border towns.
    - 5. Process for removal or separate accommodation of infected persons.
    - 6, 7. Process for securing infected articles.
    - 8. Powers of officers in executing such process.
    - 9. Expenses, how paid.
  - 10. Compensation for men or property impressed.
  - 11. Adjournment of courts because of danger from infection.
  - 12. Removal of infected prisoners from places of confinement.
  - 13. Order for removal, how returned. Such removal not an escape.
  - 14. Health committee, how chosen; their duties.
  - 15. If no committee chosen, selectmen to perform the duties.
  - 16. May order removal of private nuisances; proceedings thereon.
  - 17. Masters, &c., of vessels may be examined on oath in certain cases.
  - 18. Vessels with infected persons to anchor at a distance from towns.
  - 19. Penalty for violation of this provision.
  - 20. Selectmen may establish quarantine regulations. Penalty for breach thereof.
  - 21. Duty of pilots to give notice thereof.
  - 22. Punishment for violation or evasion of quarantine, after notice.
  - 23. Selectmen to furnish signals, to be kept hoisted by master. Restriction of persons visiting vessels at quarantine.

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