

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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FIFTY-FIRST LEGISLATURE.

HOUSE.

No. 75.

STATE OF MAINE.

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD ONE THOUSAND EIGHT HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-TWO.

AN ACT to increase the jurisdiction of the police court
of the city of Bangor.

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

SECTION 1. The judge of the police court of the
2 city of Bangor shall have concurrent jurisdiction with
3 the supreme judicial court of all civil actions where
4 the debt or damages demanded exceeds twenty dollars
5 and is not more than thirty dollars, to be exercised in
6 the same manner and under the same provisions as
7 apply to the jurisdiction of said court when the debt or
8 damages demanded does not exceed twenty dollars.

SECT. 2. Said judge shall have jurisdiction of the
2 offences described in the first, sixth, seventh, eighth
3 and ninth sections of chapter one hundred and twenty

4 of the revised statutes ; also of the offences described
5 in section one of chapter one hundred and twenty-six
6 of the revised statutes ; also of all the offences
7 described in chapter one hundred and twenty-seven of
8 the revised statutes except those in sections one, four,
9 and five of said chapter ; when the property stolen,
10 embezzled, obtained by false pretenses, or destroyed
11 or injured, is not alleged to exceed fifty dollars ; and
12 may punish for said offences by a fine not exceeding
13 fifty dollars, and imprisonment not exceeding six
14 months.

SECT. 3. Said judge shall have jurisdiction to try
2 and punish in cases of assaults and batteries, affrays
3 and riots, where the offence is not of a high and ag-
4 gravated nature, by a fine not exceeding fifty dollars.

STATE OF MAINE.

IN HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
February 15, 1872. }

Reported from the Committee on the Judiciary, by Mr. HUM-
PRHEY of Bangor, and ordered printed on motion of Mr. PORTER
of Burlington.

S. J. CHADBOURNE, *Clerk.*