

FIFTY-SIXTH LEGISLATURE.

SENATE.

No. 57.

STATE OF MAINE.

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

[S. 59.] AN ACT additional to chapter one hundred and ninety-three of the public laws of the year eighteen hundred and seventy-four, relating to clerks of judicial courts.

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

SECT. 1. In criminal prosecutions, clerks of judicial 2 courts shall make extended records of the process, 3 proceedings and judgment in all indictments for 4 felonies. In all other indictments it shall be sufficient 5 to record the title of the case, the nature of the in-6 dictment, the term when it was found, the proceedings 7 in brief thereon, and the judgment and sentence of the 8 court. And in all prosecutions brought up by appeal 9 from inferior courts it shall be sufficient for such clerks

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10 to record the title of the case, the nature and date of 11 the complaint, the name and official character of the 12 magistrate before whom the case was tried, and the 13 sentence and date of the sentence appealed from; to 14 be followed by correct minutes of the proceedings and 15 judgment in the appellate court.

SECT. 2. This act shall take effect when approved.

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IN SENATE, February 7, 1877.

Presented by Mr. STEVENS of Kennebec, by leave, and laid on the table to be printed under the Joint Rule.

8. W. LANE, Secretary.

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