

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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# SIXTY-FIRST LEGISLATURE.

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HOUSE.

No. 19.

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## STATE OF MAINE.

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IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD ONE THOUSAND EIGHT HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-THREE.

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AN ACT entitled an act to fix the dimensions of "ship knees," and to provide for the inspection and marking thereof.

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

SECTION 1. The dimensions of ship knees shall be not less than the following specifications, to-wit:

Thickness.	Length of Roots.	Length of Body.	Width of Face 2 Feet from Heel.
5 in. knees.	2 ft. 3 in.	4 ft. 9 in.	9 in.
6 " "	2 " 6 "	4 " 9 "	10 "
7 " "	2 " 9 "	5 " 0 "	11 "
8 " "	3 " 0 "	5 " 0 "	12 "
9 " "	3 " 4 "	5 " 6 "	13 "
10 " "	3 " 9 "	5 " 6 "	14 " $2\frac{1}{2}$ feet from heel.
11 " "	3 " 9 "	6 " 0 "	15 " " " " "
12 " "	4 " 0 "	6 " 0 "	16 " " " " "
13 " "	4 " 0 "	6 " 0 "	16 " " " " "

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SECT. 2. Ship knees shall be inspected in accordance with the provisions of section one of this act, and shall be marked to designate their dimensions and quality.

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

STATE OF MAINE.

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In HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }  
January 24, 1883. }

Presented by Mr. ROGERS of Bath, and on his motion ordered  
printed.

ORAMANDAL SMITH, *Clerk.*