

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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Sixty - Fourth Legislature.

SENATE.

No. 34.

STATE OF MAINE.

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

AN ACT to hold the February term of the Superior Court, Kennebec County, in the City of Waterville.

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

SECT. 1. The February term of the superior
2 court which is now required to be holden at Au-
3 gusta, in and for the county of Kennebec, shall
4 after the first day April in the present year, be
5 holden in the city of Waterville, in said county; and
6 all writs, processes of any kind, and all proceedings,
7 shall after that time be made returnable accord-
8 ingly; and all writs, processes and proceedings
9 commenced prior to that time, and which would
10 otherwise be returnable to said February term of

11 said court at Augusta, shall be entered and have
12 day in said court at Waterville.

SECT. 2. The previous section of this act shall
2 be void and of no effect, unless the city of Water-
3 ville aforesaid, shall on or before the first day of
4 April, in the present year, without expense to said
5 county of Kennebec, provide a suitable court room
6 and other accommodations for said court and offi-
7 cers, to the acceptance of a majority of the county
8 commissioners, of the county of Kennebec, and
9 shall execute and deliver to said commissioners a
10 sufficient lease or other instrument to secure the
11 use thereof to said county, for the purposes afore-
12 said, during the time in which said term of court
13 is held in said city of Waterville.

SECT. 3. The county commissioners of said
2 county shall forthwith, after rooms for the accom-
3 modation of the court and officers as specified in
4 this act have been provided, cause notice of the
5 fact that suitable rooms have been provided as
6 herein specified, by publication in the daily issue
7 of the Kennebec Journal, for at least thirty days
8 prior to the first Tuesday of February, next after
9 this act is approved.

SECT. 4. The judge of said court may continue
2 any case pending in said court without costs when

3 in his judgment justice may require it, in order to
4 give the parties in interest opportunity to try any
5 such case in either said Waterville or Augusta in
6 said county.

SECT. 5. The said city of Waterville is hereby
2 authorized and empowered to provide a building and
3 furnish suitable accommodation, for holding the
4 superior court in said city of Waterville, and is
5 hereby authorized to raise by assessment or loan,
6 and appropriate a sufficient sum of money for the
7 purpose of providing said accommodation for the
8 said court.

SECT. 6. There shall be allowed to the presiding
2 justice of said superior court, and in addition to the
3 salary of such justice, otherwise provided, and for
4 the purpose of meeting the extra expenses of said
5 justice, entailed by holding said term of court at
6 said city of Waterville, the sum of one hundred
7 dollars, for each and every term of said court so
8 held at said city of Waterville.

SECT. 7. This act shall take effect when ap-
2 proved.

STATE OF MAINE.

IN SENATE, January 30, 1889.

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on table to be printed under joint rules.

C. W. TILDEN, *Secretary.*