

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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NEW DRAFT.

Sixty-Seventh Legislature.

HOUSE.

No. .45

STATE OF MAINE.

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD ONE THOUSAND EIGHT HUNDRED
AND NINETY-FIVE.

AN ACT relating to costs of trespass quare clausum upon
wild and unimproved lands, and tender of Damages.

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

No action of trespass quare clausum for any trespass
2 committed for the purpose of hunting or fishing upon
3 wild or unimproved lands shall be maintained unless the
4 party claiming damages for such trespass shall before
5 bringing said action demand of such trespasser the amount
6 of the damages claimed, and upon such demand the tres-
7 passers may make legal tender of such a sum as he may
8 deem sufficient to satisfy such damages ; and unless the

9 plaintiff in such action shall recover a larger amount than
10 that tendered he shall recover no costs, and the defendant
11 shall recover full costs of said plaintiff in said action
12 which shall be offset against the amount of damages recov-
13 ered by the plaintiff in such action, and if the costs so
14 recovered by said defendant or greater than the said
15 damages so recovered against said defendant in such
16 action, such defendant shall have judgment against such
17 plaintiff for the balance thereof.

STATE OF MAINE.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
January 31, 1895. }

Reported by Mr. HAINES of Waterville, from Committee on Judiciary,
and ordered printed under joint rules.

W. S. COTTON, *Clerk.*