

Seventieth Legislature.

HOUSE.

No. 377

STATE OF MAINE.

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

AN ACT to amend section six of chapter one hundred and thirty-two of the Revised Statutes relating to the issuing of warrants by magistrates.

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

Section six of chapter one hundred and thirty-two of the 2 Revised Statutes is hereby amended by inserting after the 3 word "shall" in the fourth line thereof the following 4 words, namely: 'on any day, Sundays and holidays not 5 excepted,' so that the said section as amended shall read 6 as follows:

'Sect. 6. When complaint is made to any such magis-8 trate, charging a person with the commission of an offence, 9 he shall carefully examine, on oath, the complamant, the

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10 witnesses by him produced, and the circumstances, and, 11 when satisfied that the accused committed the offence, 12 shall, on any day, Sundays and holidays not excepted, 13 issue a warrant for his arrest, stating therein the substance 14 of the charge; and he may try those brought before him 15 for offences within his jurisdiction, although the penalty 16 or fine accrues wholly or partly to his town.'

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IN HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, AUGUSTA, March 13, 1901.

Reported by Mr. WEBB of Portland. from Committee on the Judiciary, and ordered printed under joint rules.

W. S. COTTON, Clerk.