

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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Seventy-first Legislature.

HOUSE.

No. 190

STATE OF MAINE.

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

AN ACT relating to the jurisdiction of the Municipal Court
of the city of Biddeford.

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

Section 1. The jurisdiction of the Municipal Court of
2 the city of Biddeford in civil causes is hereby enlarged from
3 one hundred dollars, as now established by law, to two
4 hundred dollars.

Sect. 2. In taxing costs in all civil suits in said court,
2 where issue has been joined, one dollar shall be allowed for
3 trial instead of the sums now fixed by law.

Sect. 3. Said court may take cognizance of simple
2 larcenies when the property alleged to be stolen shall not

3 exceed in value fifty dollars, and of the offenses described
4 in sections six, seven and nine of chapter one hundred and
5 twenty of the Revised Statutes, and in sections one and
6 four of chapter one hundred and twenty-six of the
7 Revised Statutes, where the value of the property does
8 not exceed fifty dollars, of offenses described in section
9 four of chapter one hundred and thirty-two of the Revised
10 Statutes, where they are not of a high and aggravated
11 nature, and on conviction, may punish by fine not exceed-
12 ing fifty dollars, or by imprisonment in the county jail for
13 a term not exceeding six months.

Sect. 4. This act shall take effect when approved.

STATE OF MAINE.

IN HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,

AUGUSTA, February 26, 1903.

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

W. S. COTTON, *Clerk.*