

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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# SEVENTY-THIRD LEGISLATURE

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HOUSE.

No. 68

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## STATE OF MAINE.

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

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AN ACT to amend Chapter two hundred and forty-two of the Private and Special Laws of eighteen hundred and ninety-five, entitled "An Act to incorporate the city of South Portland," as amended by Chapter one hundred thirty-eight of the Private and Special Laws of nineteen hundred and five.

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

Section 1. Item two of section twenty-three of chapter 2 two hundred and forty-two of Private and Special Laws of 3 eighteen hundred and ninety-five, as amended by chapter 4 one hundred thirty-eight of the Private and Special Laws 5 of nineteen hundred and five, is hereby further amended 6 so that the same shall read as follows:

'Item 2. Said court shall have exclusive original jurisdiction of all offenses against the ordinances and by-laws of said city, and of the local board of health therein, and concurrent jurisdiction of all such criminal offenses and misdemeanors committed therein as are cognizable by trial justices, and concurrent jurisdiction of all civil actions in the county of Cumberland wherein the debt or damages demanded do not exceed twenty dollars, except when the judge of said court is interested in any such action as party or attorney; and original jurisdiction concurrent with the superior court of the county of Cumberland in all civil actions wherein the debt or damages do not exceed fifty dollars, exclusive of costs, in which any party to the action or person summoned as trustee shall reside, or, if not an inhabitant of the State, shall be commorant or have a place of business, in said city.'



STATE OF MAINE.

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HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,

Augusta, January 31, 1907.

Reported by Mr. GOODWIN from Committee on Judiciary, and  
ordered printed under joint rules.

E. M. THOMPSON, *Clerk.*