

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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SEVENTY-THIRD LEGISLATURE

HOUSE.

No. 273

STATE OF MAINE.

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

AN ACT to amend the third paragraph of Section fifty-one of
Chapter seventy-nine of the Revised Statutes relating to
Supreme Judicial Courts.

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

Section 1. The third paragraph of Section fifty-one of
2 Chapter seventy-nine of the Revised Statutes is hereby
3 amended by striking out the word "third" in the first line
4 and inserting in place thereof the word 'first;' by striking out
5 the word "Tuesdays" in the first line and inserting in place
6 thereof the word 'Tuesday;' by inserting after the word
7 "and" in the first line the words 'third Tuesday of;' by strik-
8 ing out the word "December" in the third line and inserting

9 in place thereof the word 'November,' so that said paragraph
10 as amended shall read as follows:

'Aroostook at Houlton on the first Tuesday of April and
12 third Tuesday of September for civil and criminal business,
13 and at Caribou on the third Tuesday of November for civil
14 business only. At every said April term, the court upon the
15 completion of the business conveniently triable therein at said
16 Houlton, shall adjourn to Caribou to there complete such
17 civil business pending in said court as ought to be and may
18 be more conveniently there tried and heard; and the jurors
19 in attendance at said court, except grand jurors, may be
20 required to attend said adjournment, or may be discharged,
21 or new jurors summoned, as the circumstances may require.'

Sect. 2. The term of said Supreme Judicial Court which
2 shall be held at Houlton on the first Tuesday of April 1907
3 shall continue in session at said Houlton until at least the
4 Friday next after the third Tuesday of April 1907, and all
5 writs, petitions, recognizances, appeals in civil and criminal
6 cases, and all processes whatsoever, which have been or may
7 be made or entered into before or after this act takes effect
8 and are returnable to said term of said court on the third
9 Tuesday of April 1907, shall be returnable to and entered on
10 the docket of said court on the third Tuesday of April 1907,
11 and shall have day in said term of said court and be heard
12 and disposed of as if said term had been holden on said
13 third Tuesday of April, 1907; and all parties, witnesses and
14 others, except as provided in the following section, who

15 would have been held to appear at the term of said court
16 which was to be held on the third Tuesday of April 1907,
17 shall be holden to appear on the third Tuesday of April 1907,
18 at the term of said Supreme Judicial Court to be held in
19 Houlton in said county on the first Tuesday of April 1907,
20 after this act takes effect.

Sect. 3. All grand jurors and witnesses that have recog-
2 nized for their appearance before the grand jury, who would
3 have been held to appear at the term of said court which
4 would have been held on the third Tuesday of April 1907,
5 shall be holden to appear on the first Tuesday of April 1907,
6 at the term of said Supreme Judicial Court at that time to be
7 held in Houlton in said county, after this act takes effect.

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

STATE OF MAINE.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,

Augusta, February 22, 1907.

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

E. M. THOMPSON, *Clerk*