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ROYDEN V. BROWN, Secretary.

Presented by Sen. Pinansky of Cumberland.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED THIRTY-FIVE

AN ACT to Provide Uniform Return Days of Municipal Courts and Their Jurisdiction.

Be it enacted by the People of the State of Maine, as follows:

Sec. 1. Return days. All municipal courts shall be held on each Tuesday at 10 o'clock in the forenoon for the entry, trial and determination of civil actions and for the transaction of other civil business that lawfully may be brought before them: the terms thereof shall continue in session for such time as the judge may determine.

Sec. 2. Jurisdiction. All municipal courts in their respective counties shall have original jurisdiction concurrent with the superior court and with any other municipal courts in the counties in which they are located, of all civil actions in which the debt or damage, exclusive of costs, does not exceed \$300 in which any defendant or a person summoned in good faith as trustee resides in the same county wherein is said municipal court.

Sec. 3. Acts repealed. All acts, parts of acts, either public or private, inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed or amended to conform with the provisions of this act.