

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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# **PUBLIC ACTS**

OF THE

## **STATE OF MAINE,**

PASSED BY THE

### **EIGHTH LEGISLATURE,**

AT ITS

**SESSION HELD IN JANUARY, 1828.**

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liable to pay the same, thirty days at least before suit is brought.

[Approved by the Governor, February 23, 1828.]

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## CHAPTER CCCC.

AN ACT making further provisions concerning the Militia.

**SECT. 1.** *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives, in Legislature assembled,* That the Governor with the advice and consent of Council be, and he hereby is authorized, to appoint a Board, consisting of three persons, who shall have power to assemble in the recess of the Legislature, and devise, mature and report a code of rules and regulations, settling the rank of corps and officers, and to consider all subjects appertaining to the Militia, which may be submitted to them by the Commander in Chief, and report thereon to the next Legislature.

Military Board to be appointed with certain powers.

**SECT. 2.** *Be it further enacted,* That said Board be farther authorized to prepare and report a compendium of tactics for the use of the Militia of this State, to be compiled from the tactics which are or may be established by the Congress of the United States, to be submitted to the next Legislature.

Further powers.

[Approved by the Governor, February 23, 1828.]

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## CHAPTER CCCC.I.

AN ACT providing for the appointment of Public Administrators and enlarging the powers of Judges of Probate.

**SECT. 1.** *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives, in Legislature assembled,* That from and after the passage of this Act, it shall be the duty of the Governor and Council to appoint in each county in this State, some suitable and discreet person, as Public Administrator in such county, and it shall be the duty of

Public Administrator to be appointed, in each county, to administer upon intestate estates where there is no heir or kindred;