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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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prior to the third day of March next, notwithstanding the provision in said Act, that the same shall take effect from and after that period.

[Approved by the Governor, February 25, 1828.]

CHAPTER CCCCVIII.

AN ACT concerning Sheriffs.

SECT. 1. *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives, in Legislature assembled,* That, from and after the passage of this Act, there be allowed and paid to the Sheriffs, in the several counties, for each days attendance in the Supreme Judicial Court or Court of Common Pleas, three dollars, instead of the sum now allowed by law.

Allowance to Sheriffs for attending Courts reduced.

SECT. 2. *Be it further enacted,* That no Sheriff shall demand or receive from any of his deputies more than at the rate of twenty per cent. on the amount of fees for travel and service, accruing after the first day of April next.

Not to demand of their deputies more than a certain per cent.

SECT. 3. *Be it further enacted,* That the Sheriffs of the several counties in this State be, and they hereby are required, on or before the first Wednesday of January next, to file in the office of the Secretary of State, an exhibit, under oath, of all fees and other sums of money by them received, and which may have accrued and be due to them, by virtue of their office, for the year next preceding the first day of October next; and such exhibit shall specify the amount received, and which may be due, from each of their deputies, and the particular items of service, for which each and every other sum was received or may be due.

To make out and deposit in the Secretary's office an exhibit of their fees, &c.

[Approved by the Governor, February 25, 1828.]