

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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PUBLIC ACTS

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE,

PASSED BY THE

NINTH LEGISLATURE,

AT ITS

SESSION HELD IN JANUARY, 1829.

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safety of the inhabitants of such town to employ a hired Watch, it shall be lawful for the town at such meeting, to raise money to defray the expense of such Watch, and the sum thus voted, shall be apportioned and assessed upon the polls and estates within the town, in the same way and manner as monies are assessed for other town purposes.

Selectmen, Assessors and town Clerk to employ Watchmen and appoint a captain, &c.

SECT. 2. *Be it further enacted*, That it shall be the duty of the selectmen, assessors, and town clerk of towns in which money shall be raised for the support of a hired Watch, to employ suitable persons as watchmen, to determine on the number each night, and fix on the regulation of the same, and discharge, without pay, such as neglect their duty, or misconduct while on duty. And they shall appoint a captain of the Watch for the night, who shall be furnished with a warrant, signed by one of the selectmen, and attested by the town clerk, describing their duty generally, as is provided by the Act to which this is additional, and such further instructions as are not inconsistent with the laws of the State, as to the said selectmen, assessors and town clerk, may be deemed necessary for the peace and safety of the town. And the Watch thus established shall, in relation to the duty required of it, have all the authority which by law is vested in a Constable's Watch.

Sect. 3, Chap. 125 repealed.

SECT. 3. *Be it further enacted*, That the third section of the Act to which this is additional, be, and hereby is repealed.

[*Approved by the Governor, Feb. 28, 1829.*]



CHAPTER CCCXXXV.

Chap. 91.

AN ACT additional to "An Act providing that bonds shall be given by Sheriffs and Coroners to the Treasurer of this State and giving remedies thereon."

BE it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives, in Legislature assembled, That

any Coroners' bond given as now required by law with sureties, which shall be approved as sufficient by a certificate under the hands of any two of the Justices of the Court of Sessions of the County for which such Coroner is appointed, and filed with the Clerk of the Judicial Courts for such County, shall be deemed good and sufficient to authorize such Coroner to discharge the duties of his office until a new bond is approved by the Court of Sessions at their next term after the filing of the bond aforesaid, any thing contained in the Act to which this is additional to the contrary notwithstanding.

Bonds approved by two Justices of the Court of Sessions, good, until next term of the Court

[Approved by the Governor, March 2, 1829.]

CHAPTER CCCCXXXVI.

An Additional ACT for the regulation of Innholders, Retailers and Common Victuallers. Chap. 133.

SECT. 1. *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives, in Legislature assembled,* That every license granted by virtue of the second section of the original Act to which this is additional, shall fully express whether such license be granted to a victualler, innholder or seller of wine, beer, ale, cider, brandy, rum or other strong liquors, by retail—and no license granted as aforesaid shall authorize the sale of wine, spiritous or mixed liquors, part of which is spiritous, to be drank in the store or shop, of any victualler or retailer, and every victualler or retailer who shall sell or suffer any wine, spiritous or mixed liquors, part of which is spiritous, to be drank in his store or shop, shall forfeit and pay for each offence, the sum of five dollars: *Provided however,* That any town or plantation, may in the mode required by law for transacting

Form of license.

Liquors not to be drank in Stores or Shops.

Penalty. Proviso.