

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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# **PUBLIC ACTS**

OF THE

# **STATE OF MAINE,**

PASSED BY THE

# **THIRTEENTH LEGISLATURE,**

*At its Session, held in January, 1833.*

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PUBLISHED AGREEABLY TO THE RESOLVE OF JUNE 28, 1820.

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**AUGUSTA :**

**I. BERRY & CO. PRINTERS TO THE STATE.**

**1833.**

sell wine, rum, and other spirituous liquors, to be drunk in their stores or shops.

Persons aggrieved may apply to the County Commissioners—who may adjudicate on the subject, &c.

SECT. 2. *Be it further enacted,* That if any person shall feel aggrieved at the doings of the officers of any town, plantation or city, in refusing to grant to such person a license for selling spirituous liquors, when the same shall have been duly applied for; or in revoking any such license, already granted; such person may, by petition, apply to the County Commissioners of the County in which he may reside; and it shall be lawful for said Commissioners, at a regular term of their Court, after notice and hearing given to said officers, to adjudicate upon the subject; and if it appear to them that such license was improperly withheld or revoked, they are hereby authorized and directed to grant to such person a license, which shall have the same effect as if granted by said proper officers of the town, plantation or city, in which such person may reside: *Provided,* That such person pay for such license six dollars for the use of the County. And all licenses shall expire on the first Monday of May annually, and a duty of six dollars per year to be paid for each license when granted.

Proviso.

Acts repealed.

SECT. 3. *Be it further enacted,* That all acts and parts of acts, inconsistent with the provisions of this Act, be and the same hereby are repealed.

[Approved by the Governor, March 4, 1833.]

## Chapter 78.

AN ACT to repeal an act additional to an act to provide for the packing and inspection of pickled and smoked fish.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives, in Legislature assembled,* That an act, passed the twelfth day of February, one thousand eight hundred and thirty-one, entitled, An act additional to an act to provide for the packing and

Act of 1831  
repealed.

inspection of pickled and smoked fish, be and the same hereby is repealed.

[Approved by the Governor, March 4, 1833.]

### Chapter 79.

AN ACT relative to certain powers and duties of County Commissioners.

SECT. 1. *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives, in Legislature assembled,* That whenever any highway shall hereafter be located and established by the County Commissioners of any County, through any unincorporated tract of land, it shall be the duty of said Commissioners to decide whether such tract, or any part of it, will be enhanced in value by such road. And said Commissioners may, upon a plan or sketch of such tract, whether said tract consist of one or more townships or less than a township, divide the same into so many divisions as they may think justice and equity shall require, conforming to any known divisions or separate ownerships as near as may be. And they may assess upon each division, which they shall deem to be enhanced in value, toward the expense of making and opening such road, such sum as, in their judgment, shall be proportionate to the value thereof and to the benefits to be derived thereto, by the establishment of such road. And nothing in this section shall be construed as dispensing with the provisions of any previous Acts any farther than the same shall be inconsistent herewith.

Commissioners shall decide whether the value of the land through which any road may pass, will be enhanced thereby, &c.

--may assess upon the same the sum each division may be benefited, to defray the expense of making said road;

SECT. 2. *Be it further enacted,* That whenever any alteration shall be made in any County road, the Commissioners, in their return thereof, shall fix a time, at which the old or altered part thereof shall be discontinued or cease to be a public highway.

--shall fix the time in their return when any discontinued road shall cease to be a public highway.