

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

The following document is provided by the
LAW AND LEGISLATIVE DIGITAL LIBRARY
at the Maine State Law and Legislative Reference Library
<http://legislature.maine.gov/lawlib>



Reproduced from scanned originals with text recognition applied
(searchable text may contain some errors and/or omissions)

PUBLIC ACTS

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE,

PASSED BY THE

THIRTEENTH LEGISLATURE,

At its Session, held in January, 1833.

PUBLISHED AGREEABLY TO THE RESOLVE OF JUNE 28, 1820.

AUGUSTA :

I. BERRY & CO. PRINTERS TO THE STATE.

1833.

Chapter 83.

AN ACT relative to the Inspection of Lime and of barrels and casks.

Sawed, split, or rift staves may be used.

SECT. 1. *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives, in Legislature assembled,* That sawed or split or rift staves may be used in the making of barrels or casks to contain inspected lime.

Lime casks—how to be made.

SECT. 2. *Be it further enacted,* That no lime shall be sold or exposed to sale or shipped on board of any vessel, in casks, unless said casks, each of them, have at least ten hoops, well driven with nails or pins, and duly inspected, with staves not less than thirty inches long; and said casks shall be not less than twenty seven and a half inches in length between the heads, and seventeen inches in width between the chimes, and capable to contain at least thirty three gallons each.

Forfeiture for introducing into this State casks purporting to be Lime casks not filled with lime, &c.

SECT. 3. *Be it further enacted,* That if any person or persons shall by land or water, introduce into any town, plantation or city of this State, any cask or casks, purporting to be lime casks, not being filled with lime, but having thereon any mark or brand, uneffaced, of any inspector of stone lime or lime casks, the person or persons, so offending shall forfeit one dollar for each and every cask so introduced, to be recovered by action of debt, one half to the use of the State and the other half to the person who may sue therefor.

How to be recovered.

Lime casks—how to be branded.

SECT. 4. *Be it further enacted,* That each lime cask shall be branded on the outside at the bilge with the first letter of the christian name, and with the whole of the surname of the manufacturer thereof. And every such manufacturer or any other person, who shall sell or offer or expose in market for sale any lime casks, not branded as aforesaid, shall forfeit for every such cask, so sold or offered or exposed for sale, the sum of forty cents, to be recovered by action of debt, to the use of the person who may sue therefor.

Forfeiture for selling casks not branded as required by this Act.

SECT. 5. *Be it further enacted,* That the inspectors of stone lime and lime casks, who may hereafter be appointed in the town of Lincolnville, shall be liable to all the duties and penalties, to which deputy inspectors of lime and lime casks in the towns of Thomaston, Camden and Warren, are now liable by law.

Inspectors of Lime casks in Lincolnville liable to the same duties and penalties as those in Thomaston &c.

SECT. 6. *Be it further enacted,* That an act, passed the twenty-fifth day of February one thousand eight hundred and twenty five, entitled an act additional to an act to regulate the manufacture and inspection of stone lime and lime casks, and also the second section of an act, passed the fifteenth day of March one thousand eight hundred and thirty one, and all other acts and parts of acts, inconsistent with the provisions of this act, be and the same hereby are repealed.

Former Act repealed.

SECT. 7. *Be it further enacted,* That this act shall take effect and be in force from and after the first day of July next.

When this Act shall take effect.

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

Chapter 84.

AN ACT prescribing the duties of the Secretary of State and of Sheriffs, in the distribution of Public Documents.

SECT. 1. *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives, in Legislature assembled,* That whenever the Secretary of State shall be directed to furnish the several towns and plantations and the city of Portland, with any blank forms for election returns, it shall be his duty to cause such of them, as may not have been receipted for and taken by the members of the Legislature, or some other persons by the written request of one or more of the officers of said towns, to be seasonably delivered, in packages directed to the town, planta-

Secretary of State to furnish Sheriffs of the several counties with blank election returns.