

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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PUBLIC ACTS

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE,

PASSED BY THE

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ing to the 9th section of an Act to which this is additional, the town furnishing the same, shall be repaid by the city or town where such person has his settlement.

tation according to the provisions of the ninth section of the Act to which this is additional, the town furnishing the same shall be remunerated by the city or town where such poor person may have his or her settlement in the same manner as if such poor person had been a resident of any city or town.

[Approved by the Governor March 29, 1837.]

Chapter 298.

AN ACT supplementary to "an Act to secure to mechanics, and others, payment for their labor and materials expended in erecting and repairing houses and other buildings with their appurtenances.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives, in Legislature assembled,* That the provisions of the first section of the Act to which this is supplementary shall extend to all such contracts and agreements as are therein described, whether in writing or by parol.

Act securing to mechanics and others, payment for their labor so far extended, as to relate to all contracts whether under seal or not.

—4th section of said Act, repealed.

SECT. 2. *Be it further enacted,* That the fourth section of said Act be and the same is hereby repealed.

[Approved by the Governor March 29, 1837.]

Chapter 299.

AN ACT concerning the Municipal Court at Hallowell.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in Legislature assembled,* That the person, who was the acting Judge of the Municipal Court, in the town of Hallowell in the County of Kennebec, be authorized to finish the business pending in said Court at the time of his resignation and to renew executions on judgments

Judge of the Municipal Court, Hallowell, authorized to finish business pending before him and renew executions for two years.

rendered by him for two years from and after the passage of this Act.

SECT. 2. *Be it further enacted*, That this Act shall take effect on the day of its passage. Act to take effect immediately.

[*Approved by the Governor March 29, 1837.*]

Chapter 300.

AN ACT additional to the several Acts in force regulating Elections.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives, in Legislature assembled*, That it shall be lawful for, and hereby is made the duty of the Selectmen of towns and Assessors of plantations in this State, having more than five thousand inhabitants to receive evidence of the qualifications of voters and to add the names of such as they judge to be qualified to the list of voters, at any time before one of the clock in the afternoon of the day of any election in their respective towns and plantations, any thing in the several Acts to which this is additional to the contrary notwithstanding.

Names of voters may be added to the list of voters any time before 1 o'clock of the day of election.

SECT. 2. *Be it further enacted*, That in addition to the duty required by law to be performed by the Aldermen of cities, in relation to correcting the list of voters, it shall be and hereby is made their duty, on all days of election in their respective cities, to be in session from nine o'clock in the forenoon to one o'clock in the afternoon, at some central and convenient place therein, of which notice shall be given in the warrant calling the meeting, for the purpose of receiving evidence of the qualification of voters whose names have not been entered upon the Ward lists; and on satisfactory evidence being produced by any inhabitant that he is qualified to vote, and that his name is not borne upon either of the Ward lists, it shall be the duty of said Aldermen to make out and deliver to such inhabitant a

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—certificate to be given to a person who may be adjudged qualified to vote directed to the Warden of the Ward, in which such person lives, &c.