

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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PUBLIC ACTS

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE,

PASSED BY THE

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teen days from the time such meeting shall be holden, and it shall be the duty of the Governor and Council to open and examine said votes; and if a majority of the votes legally returned shall be in favor of a new county, the Governor shall proclaim the fact by proclamation, and this Act shall take effect from and after the date of said proclamation. And said town and plantation meetings, for the purposes aforesaid, shall be called and notified in the usual manner, and shall be holden on the second Monday of April next. And it shall be the duty of the Secretary of State forthwith to furnish the selectmen of each town and the assessors of each organized plantation, embraced within the limits of said proposed new county, one printed copy of this Act, and a sufficient number of blank returns.

Town and plantation meetings—how called.

Time of holding same.

Blanks, &c. how furnished.

[Approved by the Governor March 20, 1838.]

### Chapter 329.

AN ACT in addition to an Act concerning the public money apportioned to the State of Maine, passed February twenty-eighth in the year eighteen hundred and thirty-eight.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in Legislature assembled,* That the several cities, towns and plantations in this State, are hereby authorized and empowered to call meetings for the purposes mentioned in said act at other times than in the months of March or April as they may see fit, by giving legal and proper notice of the same.

Cities, &c. authorized to call meetings for certain purposes at other times than in March and April.

[Approved by the Governor March 20, 1838.]

### Chapter 330.

AN ACT providing for the appointment of Agents for demanding and receiving fugitives from Justice.

**SECTION 1.** *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in Legislature assembled,* That the Governor of this State, in any case authorized by

the Constitution and laws of the United States, may appoint an Agent to demand and receive of the Executive authority of any other State, any fugitive from justice, charged with treason, felony, or other crime in this State; and the accounts of such Agent shall be audited by the Governor and Council and paid from the Treasury.

Governor authorized in certain cases to appoint agent to demand and receive fugitives from justice.  
Agent's acc'ts, how audited and paid.

SECT. 2. *Be it further enacted,* That when a demand shall be made upon the Executive authority of this State by the Executive of any other State, in any case authorized by the Constitution and laws of the United States, for the delivery over of any fugitive from justice, charged in such State with treason, felony, or other crime, and the Governor shall be satisfied, on investigation of the grounds of such demand, and that the same is made conformable to law and ought to be complied with, he shall issue his warrant under the seal of the State, authorizing the Agent, who may make such demand, either forthwith, or at such time as shall be designated in the warrant, to take and transport such person to the line of this State at the expense of such Agent, and shall also, by such warrant, require the civil officers within this State to afford all needful assistance in the execution thereof.

Authorized to take and receive agents from other states.

SECT. 3. *Be it further enacted,* That this Act shall take effect from and after the same shall have been approved by the Governor; and that "An Act providing for the appointment of Agents for demanding fugitives from justice" be and the same is hereby repealed.

Act when to take effect—former act repealed.

[Approved by the Governor, March 20, 1838.]

### Chapter 331.

AN ACT additional to the several Acts for the better regulation and management of the Penobscot Tribe of Indians.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in Legislature assembled,* That the