

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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PUBLIC ACTS

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE,

PASSED BY THE

EIGHTEENTH LEGISLATURE,

JANUARY SESSION, 1838.

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Chapter 347.

AN ACT additional to an Act entitled An Act to apportion and assess on the inhabitants of this State a tax of fifty thousand three hundred and ninety-eight dollars and sixty-six cents.

Stock employed
in manufactories
—where taxed.

Upon whom as-
sessed.

Lien on such
stock for one
year.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in Legislature assembled, That all stock employed in manufactories shall be taxed in the town and plantation or other place, where it is so manufactured, and that the tax shall be so assessed against the person or persons, who may have the possession of the same, and that a lien shall be had upon the whole or any part of said stock for the payment of said tax for one year after the tax shall be so assessed.

[Approved by the Governor March 23, 1838.]

Chapter 348.

AN ACT additional to an Act regulating elections.

Penalty for refusal
or neglect to
keep a check list.

Qualifications of
voters in town
affairs.

Penalty—how re-
covered.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in Legislature assembled, That if the Wardens of any city, the Selectmen of any town, or the Assessors of any plantation, shall neglect or refuse to keep a check list and to use the same, as is provided in an Act to which this is additional, passed March twenty-ninth, A. D. one thousand eight hundred and twenty one, they shall forfeit and pay for each and every offence the sum of one hundred dollars.*

SECT. 2. *Be it further enacted, That any person within this State, qualified to vote in the election of town or plantation officers within any town or plantation, shall also be entitled to vote in the business affairs of such town or plantation.*

SECT. 3. *Be it further enacted, That the penalty that may be incurred by virtue of the provisions of this Act may be recovered in an action of debt in any court of competent jurisdiction to try the same, by any person who may sue therefor; and said penalty or*