

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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PUBLIC ACTS

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE,

PASSED BY THE

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Form of the article to be acted upon at the annual town meetings in September.

proclaim the fact by proclamation forthwith, 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 September next, and an article shall be inserted in the warrants, calling said meetings, in the following words viz: “Shall all the Judicial Courts and County Offices in the County of Washington be located at Calais, instead of Machias, as they now are?” And the voters shall give in their ballots with the words “Yea” or “Nay” on that question: And it shall be the duty of the Secretary of State seasonably to furnish the Selectmen of each town and the Assessors of each plantation in said County, with one printed copy of this act, and a suitable number of blank returns.

Time when 12th section of this act shall take effect.

SEC. 13. *Be it further enacted*, That the twelfth section of this Act shall take effect and be in force from the passage hereof.

[*Approved by the Governor, March 12, 1839.*]

Chapter 386.

AN ACT relating to Days of Grace on commercial paper in certain cases.

Time when bills, &c. discounted or left at any Bank, shall be payable, &c.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives, in Legislature assembled, That in all cases where bills of exchange, drafts or promissory notes, discounted at any bank, or left at any bank for collection, shall fall due on the fourth day of July (that being the last day of grace,) the same shall be payable on the day preceding; and in case of non payment, may be protested on such preceding day;

Provided That when the fourth day of July happens on Monday, said bills of exchange, drafts, or promissory notes, shall be payable, and may be protested for non payment on the Tuesday following said fourth day of July. Proviso.

[Approved by the Governor, March 12, 1839.]

Chapter 387.

AN ACT additional to an Act to regulate the inspection of Beef and Pork.

SEC. 1. *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in Legislature assembled,* That any person or persons packing Beef under the supervision of the Inspector General or either of his deputies may reserve for smoking, jerking or other purposes the following parts or pieces viz: The round so called, being that part of the leg cut from the hind quarter near to the edge-bone—and the neck and chines of the fore quarter cut as is provided by the present Inspection law. Kinds of Beef which may be reserved for smoking, &c. under certain circumstances.

SEC. 2. *Be it further enacted,* That the said beef so reserved shall be at the control and disposition of the packer or packers either for consumption or exportation in hogsheads or such other packages as they may select. Description.

SEC. 3. *Be it further enacted,* That the fees of the Inspector on said beef so reserved shall be fixed at six cents for each and every two hundred pounds. Subject to the disposition, &c. of packer.

SEC. 4. *Be it further enacted,* That all acts or parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act be and the same hereby are repealed. Fees for inspection.

[Approved by the Governor, March 12, 1839.] Acts repealed.