

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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PUBLIC ACTS

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE,

PASSED BY THE

NINETEENTH LEGISLATURE,

JANUARY SESSION, 1839.

PUBLISHED AGREEABLY TO THE RESOLVE OF JUNE 28, 1820.

AUGUSTA:
SMITH & ROBINSON, PRINTERS TO THE STATE.

1839.

SEC. 3. *Be it further enacted,* That all weirs erected for the purpose of taking or destroying any of said Fish in said waters, shall be entirely removed or destroyed by the owner or occupant thereof on or before the twenty-fifth day of July in each year, north of a line drawn from the south side of Sandy Point on the west side of Penobscot river, to the south line of the Town of Orland on the east side of said river.

Times and places when and where weirs for taking Fish, &c. shall be removed or destroyed.

SEC. 4. *Be it further enacted,* That such parts of said act to which this additional, as are inconsistent with the provisions of this act, be and the same are hereby repealed; excepting suits or prosecutions which have been commenced may be proceeded in to final judgment and execution.

Parts of former acts repealed, excepting as to suits, &c. now pending.

[Approved by the Governor, March 22, 1839.]

Chapter 406.

AN ACT imposing additional duties upon the Surveyor General.

SEC. 1. *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in Legislature assembled,* That whenever the Governor and Council and Land Agent, shall order the survey of any township or townships belonging to this State, or to this State and Massachusetts, it shall be the duty of the Surveyor General to survey the same in person; *Provided,* he shall not be required to survey personally, more than two townships into lots for settlement in any one year.

Surveyor General required personally to survey certain townships when so ordered by Governor and Council and the Land Agent.

Proviso.

SEC. 2. *Be it further enacted,* That it shall be the duty of the Surveyor General, whenever the Land Agent shall require him so to do, to examine any of the Public Lands for the purpose of detecting trespassers, and seizing timber cut by trespassers, and also to scale such timber cut on the Public

Duty of Surveyor General upon requisition of Land Agent, in relation to trespassers and timber cut under permits.

Lands, under permits from the Land Agent, as may be required by the said Agent, from time to time, and to make a report of his doings to the Land Agent.

[Approved by the Governor, February 23, 1839.]

Chapter 407.

AN ACT in addition to an act providing for the government of the State Prison, and for punishment of Convicts.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in Legislature assembled, That the Governor, with advice of Council, shall have power to and is hereby authorized, if they deem it necessary to change the present organized volunteer Militia company into a company of Riflemen, and to increase the number to sixty persons, subject to the same duties, liabilities, restrictions and penalties as the present company now are.

Governor, &c.
authorized to
change volunteer
company of militia
into company
of riflemen, &c.

[Approved by the Governor, February 23, 1839.]

Chapter 408.

AN ACT in addition to "An act respecting the offices and duties of the Attorney General and County Attorneys."

SEC 1. Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives, in Legislature assembled, That the several County Attorneys in this State shall receive each an annual Salary as follows ;

Annual salaries
allowed to County
Attorneys in
the respective
Counties.

York,

For the County of York, three hundred dollars;

Cumberland,

For the County of Cumberland, five hundred dollars;

Oxford,

For the County of Oxford, two hundred dollars;