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ACTS AND RESOLVES,

TWENTIETH LEGISLATURE

STATE OF MAINE,

JANUARY SESSION, 1840.

PUBLIC AND PRIVATE LAWS

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE.

1840.

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meeting-house in the town of Eliot, and on the Academy in said town, seven days prior to said meeting.

[*Approved February* 26, 1840.]

Chapter 26.

AN ACT additional to prevent obstructions to Ferries.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in Legislature assembled, That in addition to the several obstructions mentioned in " an Act to prevent obstructions to Ferries," passed February twenty-seventh, eighteen hundred and **The erection of weirs prohibited.** thirty-three, that if any person shall erect any weir for the taking of fish, or any other obstruction in said Ferry ways, as mentioned in said Act, the person or persons so offending shall be liable to pay, for each and every day such weir or other obstruction **Penalty.** is continued, not less than ten dollars, to be recovered in the same manner, as the before recited Act prescribes.

[*Approved February* 26, 1840.]

Chapter 27.

AN ACT to incorporate the town of Smithfield.

Sec. 1. *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in Legislature assembled,* That the territory herein after described, with **Boundaries, or territory composing the town.** the inhabitants having a legal settlement thereon, to wit; so much of the town of Mercer in the County of Somerset as lies east of a line commencing at the south west corner of Norridgewock, and