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ACTS AND RESOLVES,

PASSED BY THE

TWENTIETH LEGISLATURE

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE,

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Chapter 56.

AN ACT to provide for furnishing Blank Books to the cities, towns and plantations in this State.

Secretary to furnish books for inventory, &c. annually.

SEC. 1. *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in Legislature assembled,* That the Secretary of State be and hereby is authorized and required to furnish annually at the expense of the State suitable Blank Books to each city, town and plantation in this State, in which to record their inventory and valuation.

SEC. 2. *Be it further enacted,* That this Act shall take effect and be in force from and after its approval by the Governor.

[Approved March 13, 1840.]

Chapter 57.

AN ACT accepting the surrender of the charter of the Bangor Commercial Bank.

SEC. 1. *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in Legislature assembled,* That the surrender of the charter of the Bangor Commercial Bank be, and the same is accepted, and the same shall terminate when this Act shall take effect.

Corporate powers to continue two years.

SEC. 2. *Be it further enacted,* That the said bank shall continue in its corporate capacity for and during the term of two years from the time this Act shall take effect, for the sole purpose of collecting the debts due the Corporation, selling and conveying the property and estate thereof, and doing those acts necessary for properly closing the affairs of said corporation, and shall remain liable for the payment of all debts due from the same, and shall be capable of prosecuting and defending suits at law, and of choosing directors for the purposes aforesaid and for closing its concerns.