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ACTS AND RESOLVES

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PUBLIC LAWS

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE,

**1842.**

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**Chapter 13.**

AN ACT allowing additional fees to coroners.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in Legislature assembled, as follows :*

In addition to the fees now allowed by law to coroners, they shall be allowed ten cents a mile for travel, to be computed from the place of residence of the coroner to the place where any inquest shall be taken.

Additional fees  
to coroners.

[Approved March 10, 1842.]

**Chapter 14.**

AN ACT to repeal the forty second section of the sixteenth chapter of the revised statutes.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in Legislature assembled, as follows :*

The forty second section of the sixteenth chapter of the revised statutes, is hereby repealed.

R. S. § 42 of ch.  
16, repealed.

[Approved March 11, 1842.]

**Chapter 15.**

AN ACT providing for inspectors of beef and pork.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in Legislature assembled, as follows :*

SECT. 1. The governor, with consent of the council shall appoint, in each town in which beef and pork are usually packed for exportation, or where he may deem necessary, one person, well skilled in the knowledge thereof, to be an inspector of beef and pork within and for the county in which he may reside, who shall be duly sworn, and shall give bond, with sufficient sureties to the treasurer of the State, in the penal sum of four thousand dollars for the faithful discharge of his duties.

Inspectors of beef  
and pork, how  
appointed.

Bond, \$4,000.

SECT. 2. The said inspector shall perform all the duties now by law required of the inspector general of beef and pork, or of his deputies, and shall be entitled to the following fees, instead of the fees heretofore allowed by law for the same services, viz : for each harrel, inspecting and branding, ten cents ; for each half barrel, inspecting and branding, six cents ; and for each certificate required by law, twelve cents.

Duties.

Fees.

**CHAP. 15.**

R. S. § 1, 2, 3, 4,  
and 5 of ch. 50,  
repealed.

SECT. 3. The first, second, third, fourth and fifth sections of chapter fifty of the revised statutes, entitled “of the inspection of beef and pork,” are hereby repealed.

[Approved March 11, 1842.]

**Chapter 16.**

AN ACT in relation to ferries.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in Legislature assembled, as follows :*

Provisions in re-  
lation to ferries.

SECT. 1. Where a ferry has been established, or may hereafter be established by the legislature, on which a horse boat or steam boat is to be run, the county commissioners shall not have power to establish another ferry on the same river within one mile above or below the place of such horse or steam ferry.

Acts, &c. incon-  
sistent, repealed.

SECT. 2. All acts and parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act, are hereby repealed.

[Approved March 14, 1842.]

**Chapter 17.**

AN ACT to alter the time of holding the supreme judicial court in the county of Somerset.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in Legislature assembled, as follows :*

Time of holding  
S. J. C. in Som-  
erset.

The supreme judicial court shall be holden annually at Norridge-wock in the county of Somerset by one or more justices, on the Wednesday next after the second Monday of September, instead of the last Tuesday of September, as now required by law.

[Approved March 14, 1842.]

**Chapter 18.**

AN ACT relating to appeals from county commissioners.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in Legislature assembled, as follows :*

Appeals from de-  
cisions of county  
commissioners in  
certain cases.

SECT. 1. Any person or corporation, aggrieved by the decision of any court of county commissioners, on an application to lay out, alter, or discontinue any highway, or to assess any tax on unincor-