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PUBLIC LAWS

OF THE

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## CHAP. 2.

## Chapter 2.

AN ACT explanatory of the twenty fourth, fifty seventh and fifty eighth sections of the fourteenth chapter of the revised statutes.

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

24th, 57th, and  
58th sections of  
the 14th chapter  
R. S. amended.

That the twenty fourth, fifty seventh and fifty eighth sections, of the fourteenth chapter of the revised statutes, shall be so construed, that, when the assessors of any city, town or plantation in the state, shall add their proportion of any state or county tax, to any of their other taxes, one warrant shall be held and deemed good and sufficient to enforce the payment of any and all taxes so added.

One warrant sufficient for the collection of all taxes.

[Approved February 13, 1843.]

## Chapter 3.

AN ACT repealing so much of section seven of chapter four of the revised statutes, as requires the governor to transmit to other states a copy of the bound public documents.

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

Sect. 7, chap. 4,  
R. S. repealed.

So much of section seven, of chapter four of the revised statutes, as requires the governor to transmit to other states a copy of the bound public documents, is hereby repealed.

[Approved February 14, 1843.]

## Chapter 4.

AN ACT additional to an act establishing the county of Piscataquis.

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

Prisoners in the county of Piscataquis to be committed to the jails of Penobscot or Somerset counties.

All officers within and for the county of Piscataquis, having authority to commit any prisoner or debtor to jail, shall be authorized and required, for the term of five years, from and after the passage of this act, if so long required by the county of Piscataquis, to commit such prisoners or debtors to jail in the counties of Penobscot and Somerset, in the same manner as like officers of said counties are by law authorized and required to do; and the keepers of said jails are hereby required and authorized to receive and detain in their custody all such prisoners and debtors. *Provided, however,* that the county of Piscataquis shall be liable to pay the counties of

Keepers of said jails to receive such prisoners.

County of Piscataquis liable for expenses therefor.

Penobscot and Somerset, all expenses and damages which shall accrue from such commitment.

CHAP. 5.

[Approved February 20, 1843.]

### Chapter 5.

AN ACT relating to town lines.

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

SECT. 1. It shall be the duty of the selectmen of all towns incorporated by this legislature, or that have been incorporated within two years past, to perambulate and mark the town lines of such towns, on or before the first day of May next.

Duties of selectmen in regard to town lines.

SECT. 2. And where there has been a division of any town within said time, it shall be the duty of the selectmen of all the towns about any part of which there has been any new line created, to perambulate and mark, (according to the provisions of the revised statutes,) any and every such new line, previous to the first day of May next; and the notices shall be given in the manner prescribed by the revised statutes.

In cases of division of towns, selectmen of each town to perform said duty, previous to the first day of May.

[Approved February 20, 1843.]

### Chapter 6.

AN ACT additional to chapter one hundred and forty-five of the revised statutes.

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

SECT. 1. To all real actions now pending or hereafter brought by a reversioner or a remainder man, or his or their assigns, after a termination of a tenancy in dower, or of any other life estate, against the assignee or grantee by deed of and from the tenant of the life estate, or against the heirs at law, or legal representatives of such tenant—the sections twenty-six, twenty-seven, twenty-eight, twenty-nine, thirty, thirty-one, thirty-two, thirty-three, thirty-four, thirty-six, thirty-seven, thirty-eight, thirty-nine, forty, forty-one, forty-two, forty-three, forty-four and forty-five of said chapter be, and the same are hereby, made to extend and apply. *Provided, however,* it shall further be the duty of the jury to enquire and return in their verdict, that the buildings and improvements were

Various sections of chap. 145 of the revised statutes made to apply in real actions brought by a reversioner or remainder man for certain purposes. Proviso.