

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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ACTS AND RESOLVES

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TWENTY-THIRD LEGISLATURE

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PUBLIC LAWS

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE,

1843.

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**Chapter 29.**

AN ACT concerning the duties of clerks of the judicial courts of this state.

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

SECT. 1. The clerks of the judicial courts shall deliver to the county treasurers duplicate copies of all bills of costs allowed by said courts, one of said copies to be used as a voucher in said county treasurer's account with the treasurer of state, instead of the voucher now required by law.

Duplicate copies of bills of costs to be furnished county treasurer.

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 All acts and parts of acts inconsistent with this act are hereby repealed.

[Approved March 24, 1843.]

**Chapter 30.**

AN ACT making the betterments and improvements on certain lands liable to taxation.

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

In all cases, where lands, in any town or plantation within this state, owned by the trustees of any literary institution, are exempt from taxation, the betterments and improvements upon said lands shall be taken and deemed to be personal property for all the purposes of taxing the same, and shall be liable to be taxed to the tenant or the owner thereof in the town or plantation in which the same may lie. *Provided*, that this act shall not be so construed as to apply to the betterments and improvements upon sites of colleges and other literary and scientific institutions. *Provided further*, that nothing contained in this act shall be so construed as to include any new settled part of the state which has been or may hereafter be organized for the purpose of elections only.

Betterments on lands of literary institutions, to be taxed to the tenant or owner thereof.

Proviso.

Further proviso.

[Approved March 24, 1843.]

**Chapter 31.**

AN ACT in relation to the sale of timber on the public lands.

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

SECT. 1. The land agent is hereby authorized to grant permits, to individuals to cut and haul pine timber upon any of the lands

Land agent to grant permits, in common with Massachusetts.