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ACTS AND RESOLVES

PASSED BY THE

TWENTY-FIFTH LEGISLATURE

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE,

A. D. 1845.

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OF THE

STATE OF MAINE.

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Chapter 130.

AN ACT altering the times of holding the stated sessions of the county commissioners in the county of Hancock.

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

SECT. 1. From and after the passage of this act the stated meetings of the county commissioners, for the county of Hancock, shall be holden at Ellsworth, in said county, on the second Tuesday of April, and fourth Tuesday of October, in each year, instead of the times now established by law for such meetings.

Altering the stated sessions of the county commissioners in the county of Hancock.

SECT. 2. All acts and parts of acts, inconsistent with the provisions of this act, are hereby repealed; and this act shall take effect from and after its approval by the governor.

[Approved February 10, 1845.]

Chapter 131.

AN ACT regulating the compensation to jailors for the support of prisoners in county jails.

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

SECT. 1. The keeper of any prison, in any county in this state, shall be entitled to receive such sum, not exceeding one dollar and

Fee to keeper of any prison for support of poor debtors.

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fifty cents a week, for the entire support of each debtor, being a pauper in close confinement, as the county commissioners shall adjudge to be a reasonable compensation therefor.

Fee to jailor for support of criminals.

SECT. 2. The jailor, in each county, shall be entitled to receive such sum, not exceeding one dollar and fifty cents a week, for the expenses of supporting prisoners, committed by due process of law, and unable to support themselves, in any jail, upon charges or conviction of crimes and offences committed against the state, as the county commissioners shall think reasonable, and shall order to be paid from the county treasury; and the same shall be refunded to the county treasurer by the state.

SECT. 3. All acts and parts of acts, inconsistent with the provisions of this act, are hereby repealed.

[Approved February 14, 1845.]

Chapter 132.

AN ACT to alter the time of holding the meetings of the county commissioners in the county of Somerset.

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

Altering the stated meetings of the county commissioners in the county of Somerset.

SECT. 1. The stated meetings of the county commissioners, required to be holden in and for the county of Somerset, on the third Tuesday of March, as provided by the eighth section of chapter ninety-nine, of the revised statutes, shall, from and after the passage of this act, be holden on the first Tuesday of March.

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

[Approved February 15, 1845.]

Chapter 133.

AN ACT additional relating to the duties of registers of deeds.

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

Certificate on deed to be signed within one hour, &c.

SECT. 1. The certificate required by the twenty-fifth section of the ninety-first chapter of the revised statutes, shall be made and signed by the register of deeds within one hour after the delivery of the deed to him.

In case of vacancy, duty of per-

SECT. 2. In all cases where any vacancy has occurred, or may