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ACTS AND RESOLVES

PASSED BY THE

TWENTY-FIFTH LEGISLATURE

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE,

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OF THE

STATE OF MAINE,

1845.

CHAP. 135.

Chapter 135.

AN ACT granting proprietors and owners of unincorporated lands forfeited to the state for the non-payment of taxes, the right to redeem the same, and further time to pay certain taxes.

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

Time of redemption of certain lands extended.

SECT. 1. Proprietors and owners of unincorporated lands forfeited to the state, for the non-payment of taxes, or any person or persons interested therein, may redeem the same by paying into the state treasury, the amount of tax for which the same may have been forfeited, together with twenty per cent. interest and such legal costs as may have accrued thereon, at any time prior to the first day of May, in the year of eighteen hundred and forty-six, and not afterwards; and such payment being made as aforesaid, the right and interest of all persons to such lands shall be the same as they would have been, had no such forfeiture occurred as aforesaid.

—until May, 1, 1846.

Taxes assessed in 1841—may be paid within five years from assessment.

SECT. 2. Proprietors and owners of unincorporated townships or tracts of land, or any person or persons interested therein, on which taxes were assessed by the legislature or county commissioners, in the year eighteen hundred and forty-one, be, and they hereby are, allowed to pay said taxes, at any time within five years from the act of assessment by the legislature or from the time of publishing the assessment by the county commissioners and not afterwards; and every such township or tract of land on which said taxes and interest thereon, as required by law, shall not have been paid into the treasury of state, within five years as aforesaid, shall be wholly forfeited and the title thereof shall vest in the state as provided in the ninth section of the fourteenth chapter of the revised statutes.

Otherwise lands to be wholly forfeited.

SECT. 3. This act shall take effect at its approval.

[Approved February 28, 1845.]

Chapter 136.

AN ACT additional to an act relating to trustee process or foreign attachment.

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

When any person adjudged trustee, shall be or reside without the limits of the state, manner of service, &c.

When any person is adjudged trustee, and the officer holding the execution cannot find the trustee in the state; and the trustee has no dwelling house or place of abode within the state, a copy of the execution, with notice of the trustee indorsed thereon, and signed by the officer, signifying that he is required to pay and deliver towards satisfying such execution, the goods, effects and credits for

which he is liable, left at his dwelling house without the state, or delivered to him personally, by the officer, or any other person, shall be deemed a sufficient demand for all the purposes mentioned in the eightieth and eighty-first section of the act to which this is additional.

[Approved February 28, 1845.]

Chapter 137.

AN ACT altering the time of holding the spring term of the district court in the county of Piscataquis.

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

SECT. 1. The spring term of the district court, in and for the county of Piscataquis, shall be holden at Dover, on the last Tuesday of March, instead of the time now provided by an act additional to chapter ninety-seven of the revised statutes, passed March twenty second, eighteen hundred and forty-four.

Time of holding spring term of the district court in the county of Piscataquis altered.

SECT. 2. This act shall take effect and be in force after the first Tuesday of May next.

[Approved March 14, 1845.]

Chapter 138.

AN ACT additional to the one hundred and fortieth chapter of the revised statutes.

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

SECT. 1. The parent, master or guardian, of any minor, shall be entitled to the writ of habeas corpus for such minor, under the provisions of the one hundred and fortieth chapter of the revised statutes, whenever such minor shall be imprisoned or restrained of his liberty, and would be entitled to said writ on his own application.

Parent, master, or guardian may obtain a writ of habeas corpus for minor under his charge.

SECT. 2. The supreme judicial court or district court, or any justice of either of said courts, may, at their discretion, on application of any person, issue the writ of habeas corpus to bring before them any individual alleged to be imprisoned or restrained of his liberty, and who would be entitled to said writ, on his own application, whenever such individual shall be, for any cause, incapable of making application in writing therefor.

From what source such writ shall proceed, &c.