

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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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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1845.

PUBLIC LAWS

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE,

1845.

ERRATA:

**The following leaf is
inserted because one or more pages
in this chapter have errors
noticed and corrected here.**

STATE OF MAINE.

SECRETARY'S OFFICE,
Augusta, July 14, 1845. }

I HEREBY CERTIFY, That the acts and resolves contained in this pamphlet, have been compared with the originals deposited in this office, and that they appear to be correctly printed, with the exceptions mentioned in the *errata* hereunto annexed.

PHILIP C. JOHNSON, *Secretary of State.*

ERRATA.

PUBLIC LAWS.

Chapter 139, sect. 2, first line, read "any" justice, for "and" justice.

PRIVATE AND SPECIAL.

- Chapter 193, sect. 1, tenth line, for "lot" read "lots"
- " 19, sect. 12, fourth line from bottom, for "connected" read "connecting"
 - " 19, sect. 12, same line, for "hereafter" read "hereby"
 - " 198, sect. 1, eighth line, strike out after the word "Readfield" to and including "Readfield" in the twelfth line.
 - " 208, sect. 2, third line, for "respectfully" read "respectively"
 - " 258, page 331, twenty-ninth line, for "recorded" read "recovered"
 - " 258, page 332, twentieth line, for "at" read "of"
 - " 294, page 360, for "Piscataquis" read "Franklin"

RESOLVES.

- Page 413, against Pownal, read "182,134" for "181,134"
- " 414, against Georgetown, read "190" for "180"
 - " 415, against Waltham, read "29,747" for "29,744"
 - " 421, aggregate of county of Somerset should be "3,925,603"
 - " 439, third line, read "2d" for "3d" regiment.

CHAP. 139.

Application to be made in writing, &c.

Provisions of the 140 ch. R. S. applicable, &c.

SECT. 3. The application shall, in all the cases specified in this act, be in writing and signed and sworn to by the person making the same.

SECT. 4. All the provisions of the one hundred and fortieth chapter of the revised statutes, applicable hereunto, shall apply to and regulate the cases herein provided for, and the proceedings thereon.

[Approved March 17, 1845.]

Chapter 139.

AN ACT to prohibit special warrants.

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

Special warrants not returnable before the justice by whom issued.

SECT. 1. No justice of the peace shall issue a special warrant, on any complaint, for any supposed offence, returnable before himself; but all warrants, issued by any justice of the peace, shall be made returnable before any justice of the peace of the county.

Penalty for violation.

SECT. 2. And justice of the peace, who shall violate the provisions of the preceding section, shall be imprisoned six months in the county jail on indictment and conviction therefor, and shall also pay the costs of prosecution.

[Approved March 17, 1845.]

Chapter 140.

AN ACT additional to the thirtieth chapter of the revised statutes.

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

When a beast under the value of \$5 shall be impounded, pound keeper may advertise, &c.

When any beast shall be impounded for going at large, or for doing damage, pursuant to the provisions of said statute, and in the estimation of the pound keeper, the value of such beast shall not exceed five dollars, the pound keeper shall post a notice in same manner required by the fifteenth section of said statute, and shall in the same advertisement state that he estimates the value of the same to be not more than five dollars; and if the damages and costs are not paid, or the beast replevied, pursuant to the provisions of said statute, within five days after the notice so posted, the pound keeper shall, without any other process, proceed to sell the said beast at public auction, and shall give notice of the time and place and