

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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ACTS AND RESOLVES

PASSED BY THE

TWENTY-SIXTH LEGISLATURE

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE,

A. D. 1846.

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Published by the Secretary of State, agreeably to Resolves of June 28, 1820, February 26, 1840,  
and March 16, 1842.

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WILLIAM T. JOHNSON,.....PRINTER TO THE STATE.

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PUBLIC LAWS

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE,

1846.

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SECT. 10. The act entitled an act relating to hawkers and ped- **CHAP. 201.**  
 lers, approved March twenty-third, in the year of our Lord one inconsistent acts  
 repealed.  
 thousand eight hundred and forty-three—and all other acts and  
 parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act, are hereby  
 repealed.

SECT. 11. This act shall take effect from and after the thirtieth When to take ef  
 fect.  
 day of September next..

[Approved July 30, 1846.]

### Chapter 201.

An Act in addition to an act relating to pounds and impounding beasts.

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

In all cases when any town shall omit to choose a suitable per- Selectmen au-  
 thorized to fill  
 vacancies.  
 son as pound-keeper in said town, or in case the person chosen fails  
 to be sworn, or a vacancy occurs by death, resignation, or other-  
 wise, the selectmen of said town shall have authority to fill the  
 vacancy.

[Approved August 6, 1846.]

### Chapter 202.

An Act explanatory of an act making further provision for cost in cases of usury.

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

The provisions of said act passed on the twenty-second day of Not to extend to  
 suits now pend-  
 ing.  
 July, eighteen hundred and forty-six, shall not extend to, or em-  
 brace in its application, any suits now pending.

[Approved August 7, 1846.]

### Chapter 203.

An Act in relation to the duties, privileges and liabilities of mutual fire insurance  
 companies.

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

SECTION 1. Upon the decease of a member of any mutual fire