

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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# ACTS AND RESOLVES

PASSED BY THE

## TWENTY-NINTH LEGISLATURE

OF THE

## STATE OF MAINE,

A. D. 1849.

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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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**Augusta:**  
WILLIAM T. JOHNSON, PRINTER TO THE STATE.

1849.

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PUBLIC LAWS

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE,

1849.

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**CHAP. 92.**

Forfeiture for  
fraudulent  
branding.

**SECT. 4.** If any inspector shall brand or put his name upon any cask, or upon any box of smoked herrings, out of the town for which he is appointed inspector, or if he shall permit any other person to use his brand or name out of said town, he shall forfeit for every cask or box, so branded or marked, twenty dollars.

Forfeitures and  
penalties.

**SECT. 5.** All forfeitures and penalties, provided for in the fifty-fourth chapter of the revised statutes of this state, shall be applied to this act, and, together with the forfeitures accruing under this act, shall be recovered as provided in the twenty-ninth section of said chapter of the revised statutes.

Fees for Inspect-  
ors.

**SECT. 6.** The fees for inspectors of fish shall be for each box of smoked herrings so inspected and branded or marked, not more than one cent.

Inconsistent pro-  
visions repealed.

**SECT. 7.** The ninth, tenth, and sixteenth sections of the fifty-fourth chapter of the revised statutes, and also the fifteenth section of said chapter, so far as it relates to boxes for smoked herrings, and all acts and parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act are hereby repealed.

When to take ef-  
fect.

**SECT. 8.** This act shall be in force and take effect from and after the first day of September, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-nine.

[Approved June 5, 1849.]

### Chapter 92.

An act additional to the one hundred and eighth chapter of the revised statutes.

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

Provision for  
widow, in the  
settlement of any  
solvent estate,  
testate.

In the settlement of any solvent estate, testate, in which the widow shall not have provision made for her in her husband's will, she shall, besides her apparel and ornaments, be entitled to so much of the personal estate as the judge of probate shall determine to be necessary, according to the degree and estate of her husband, regard being had to the state of the family under her care.

[Approved June 18, 1849.]