

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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ACTS AND RESOLVES

PASSED BY THE

THIRTY-FIRST LEGISLATURE

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE,

A. D. 1851.

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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.

1851.

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PUBLIC LAWS

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE.

1851.

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CHAP. 212.

No action shall be had or maintained for such liquors or the value thereof.

liquors, shall be utterly null and void against all persons and in all cases, and no rights of any kind shall be acquired thereby ; and in any action either at law or equity, touching such real or personal estate, the purchaser of such liquors may be a witness for either party. And no action of any kind shall be maintained in any court in this state, either in whole or in part for intoxicating or spirituous liquors sold in any other state or country whatever, nor shall any action of any kind be had or maintained in any court in this state, for the recovery or possession of intoxicating or spirituous liquors, or the value thereof.

SECT. 17. All the provisions of this act relating to towns shall be applicable to cities and plantations ; and those relating to selectmen shall also be applied to the mayor and aldermen of cities and assessors of plantations.

SECT. 18. The act entitled "an act to restrict the sale of intoxicating drinks," approved August sixth, one thousand eight hundred and forty-six, is hereby repealed, except the thirteen sections from section ten to section twenty-two, inclusive, saving and reserving all actions or other proceedings, which are already commenced by authority of the same ; and all other acts and parts of acts inconsistent with this act are hereby repealed. This act to take effect from and after its approval by the governor.

[Approved June 2, 1851.]

### Chapter 212.

An act to repeal an act entitled "an act providing for inspectors of beef and pork," approved March eleventh, eighteen hundred forty-two.

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

Appointments of inspectors general of beef and pork.

SECT. 1. An act entitled "an act providing for inspectors of beef and pork," approved March eleventh, eighteen hundred forty-two, be, and the same is hereby repealed.

SECT. 2. Sections first, second, third, fourth and fifth of chapter fifty of the revised statutes, repealed by the act of eighteen hundred and forty-two aforesaid, be and are hereby re-enacted.

[Approved June 3, 1851.]