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ACTS AND RESOLVES

PASSED BY THE

THIRTY-FIRST LEGISLATURE

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE,

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OF THE

STATE OF MAINE.

1852.

Chapter 218.

An act to amend the thirty-fourth chapter of the revised statutes.

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

The sixth section of the thirty-fourth chapter of the revised statutes shall be so amended as to read thus:

Ch. 34, sec. 6, R.S., amended.

Section 6. When any chimney, stove or stove pipe, or any oven, furnace or boiler, or appurtenances thereto, in any town, shall be defective, or out of repair, or so placed in any building as to endanger the same, or any other building, by communicating fire thereto, the selectmen, on complaint of any fire-ward, or any other citizen of such town, being satisfied upon examination, or other proof, that such complaint is well founded, shall give notice in writing to the owner or occupier of the building, in which such stove or other apparatus is placed, and if he shall unnecessarily neglect for three days, to remove or repair the same effectually, he shall forfeit and pay a fine of not less than ten dollars, nor more than one hundred dollars, to be recovered by an action of debt.

Defective stove pipes, &c.

Duty of selectmen to give notice, &c.

Penalty in case of neglect to repair, &c.

[Approved January 28, 1852.]