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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 648.

Снар. 648.

An act for the protection of certain roads.

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

All sleds used for the transportation of provisions, sleds, width grain, forage, lumber or merchandize of any kind, over any public road in the county of Aroostook, or that part of the county of Penobscot, over which the Aroostook road passes, drawn by two or more horses or other animals, shall be at least four feet, four inches in width, from outside to outside of the runners thereof.

Any owner or driver of a team, using a sled on any of the roads named in the first section of this act, not conforming to the provisions thereof, shall forfeit and pay for every such offense, a fine of one dollar, and one dollar additional for each and every ten miles of any of said roads, over which such sleds shall pass. The fines for violating the provisions of this act to be recovered, with costs of prosecution, by any person who may sue for the same, for the sole benefit of the prosecutor.

Penalty for violation, &c.

SECT. 3. All actions arising from the violation of this act, shall be tried before two justices of the peace for the county of Penalty, I recovered. Aroostook, or two justices of the peace for the county of Penobscot residing in some town or plantation on the Aroostook road, whose decision in the case shall be final.

Penalty, how

This act shall take effect and be in force on and after the first day of October next.

[Approved April 26, 1852.]

Chapter 649.

An act additional to an act entitled "an actlin favor of certain plantations."

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

It shall be lawful for the plantations named in the act to Annual which this is additional to hold their annual meetings for the present year, in the month of May in lieu of March or April, as named in said act.

[Approved April 26, 1852.]