## MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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### ACTS AND RESOLVES

PASSED BY THE

### THIRTY-FOURTH LEGISLATURE

OF THE

### STATE OF MAINE,

1855.

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## PUBLIC LAWS

OF THE

# STATE OF MAINE.

1855.

withstanding the same may not be the property of the persons thus Chap. 139. making use of the same in the manner forbidden by this act, and shall be holden to respond the damages and costs in such suit.

This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its approval by the governor.

[Approved March 8, 1855.]

#### Chapter 139.

An act defining the terms of office of clerks of the courts and county attorneys.

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

Persons who have been, or shall hereafter be elected County attorneys by the people to fill vacancies in the offices of county attorney and courts, elected to fill vacancies, clerk of the courts, shall hold their respective offices for the term of terms of officed. three years from the first day of January next following their said election, having been duly qualified therefor in pursuance of the act passed February twenty-second, eighteen hundred and fortytwo, chapter three, anything in said act to the contrary notwithstanding.

Sect. 2. This act shall take effect from and after its approval by the governor.

[Approved March 12, 1855.]

#### Chapter 140.

An act to amond chapter seventy-seven of the revised statutes.

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

SECT. 1. Chapter seventy-seven of the revised statutes shall Bank commisbe amended in the sixtieth section, by inserting after the words examine saving "inquire into and examine the transactions of the several banks," the words "and savings institutions"; section sixty-one of said chapter shall also be amended, by inserting after the words "the bank commissioners shall have power to visit every bank," the words "and savings institutions."

This act shall take effect from and after its approval Sect. 2. by the governor.

[Approved March 12, 1855.]