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ACTS AND RESOLVES

PASSED BY THE

THIRTY-FOURTH LEGISLATURE

OF THE

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CHAP. 185.

Penalty for neglect.

SECT. 2. If any person upon whom such summons shall be served, on having tendered to him twelve cents for each mile to be traveled to and from such court, and two dollars for each day his attendance may be required, shall unreasonably neglect or refuse to attend and testify at said court, he shall forfeit the sum of two hundred dollars to any person who will sue for the same.

SECT. 3. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its approval by the governor.

[Approved March 17, 1855.]

Chapter 185.

An act to amend "An act in relation to the affairs of the state prison," approved April first, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-three.

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

Inspectors of state prison, compensation for services.

The inspectors shall be paid one hundred dollars each per annum for their services, from and after January first, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-five, instead of the sum provided in the third section of the act to which this is additional.

[Approved March 17, 1855.]

Chapter 186.

An act to abolish the police court for the city of Bangor, and to establish a municipal court for said city, with enlarged jurisdiction.

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

Municipal court of Bangor established.

SECT. 1. There is hereby established in and for the city of Bangor a court to be denominated the municipal court of Bangor.

—to be a court of record.

SECT. 2. Said court shall be a court of record and have a seal to be affixed to all original processes issuing therefrom.

Judge.

SECT. 3. Said court shall consist of one judge, to be appointed in the manner and for the term provided by the constitution.

—concurrent jurisdiction with justices of the peace and justices of the peace and quorum.

SECT. 4. Said judge shall have concurrent jurisdiction with justices of the peace in all matters, civil and criminal, within the county of Penobscot, and with justices of the peace and quorum in all cases of forcible entry and detainer arising in said county.