

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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# ACTS AND RESOLVES

PASSED BY THE

## THIRTY-FIFTH LEGISLATURE

OF THE

## STATE OF MAINE,

A. D. 1856.

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PUBLIC LAWS

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE.

1856.

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**Chapter 222.****CHAP. 222.**

An act to authorize the governor to appoint commissioners to take acknowledgment of deeds, or other contracts and depositions in foreign countries.

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

SECT. 1. The governor shall have power to appoint one or more commissioners in any foreign country, who shall continue in office during the pleasure of the governor; and shall have authority to take the acknowledgment and proof of the execution of any deed or other conveyance or lease of any lands lying in this state; and of any contract, letter of attorney, or any other writing, under seal or not, to be used or recorded in this state.

Appointment.

Power to authenticate deeds, &c.

SECT. 2. Commissioners so appointed shall have the same powers, and be subject to the same duties, and their acts shall have like effect, as is, or may be provided by the general laws of this state, in the case of commissioners appointed for similar purposes, in any one of the United States.

Powers and duties.

[Approved March 21, 1856.]

**Chapter 223.**

An act additional to "An act relating to hawkers and pedlers," approved July thirtieth, one thousand eight hundred and forty-six.

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

SECT. 1. Any person who shall first obtain a license to travel in any county in this state, for the purpose of vending any goods, wares or merchandise, as provided in the act to which this act is additional, shall be permitted to travel in any part of this state for the purpose aforesaid; anything in the act to which this is additional, to the contrary notwithstanding.

Persons licensed, may vend goods, &c., in any part of the state.

SECT. 2. This act shall take effect from its approval by the governor.

[Approved March 21, 1856.]