

ACTS AND RESOLVES

PASSED BY THE

THIRTY-SEVENTH LEGISLATURE

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE,

1858.

Pablished by the Secretary of State, agreeably to Resolves of June 28, 1820, February 26, 1840, and March 16, 1842.

AUGUSTA: STEVENS & SAYWARD, PRINTERS TO THE STATE.

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PUBLIC LAWS

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE.

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Снар. 8.

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

[Approved February 22, 1858.]

Chapter 8.

An act relating to the sale of land warrants by executors and administrators.

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

SECT. 1. Courts of probate may authorize the executor or administrator of a deceased person, whose real estate is not disposed of by will, to sell, as other real estate of deceased persons is sold, the interest which such deceased person had in any land warrant, issued in his name by virtue of any act of congress granting bounty land to persons engaged in the military service of the United States, and such executor or administrator shall distribute the net proceeds thereof among the persons entitled by law to said land, and in like proportions.

SECT. 2. This act shall take effect when approved by the governor.

[Approved February 26, 1858.]

Chapter 9.

An act additional to the several acts establishing the county of Piscataquis.

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

SECT. 1. All officers within and for the county of Piscata-Officers in Pisquis, having authority to commit any prisoner or debtor to jail, shall be authorized and required, for the term of five years from and after the fourteenth day of July, one thousand eight hundred and fiftyeight, if the county of Piscataquis shall so long remain without a jail within its own limits, to commit persons or debtors to jail in either of the counties of Penobscot or Somerset in the same manner and with as ample authorization as like officers in said counties of Penobscot and Somerset are by law authorized and required to do; and the keepers of the jails in said counties, are hereby authorized and

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