

#### 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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### PRIVATE AND SPECIAL LAWS

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#### Chapter 250.

An act to create and establish the office of auditor in the county of Cumberland.

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

SECT. 1. The governor with the advice of the council, shall appoint an auditor for the county of Cumberland, whose duty it shall be once in every six months to examine, audit and allow, in accordance with the provisions of the revised statutes, the accounts of the county commissioners and clork of the courts; also all accounts for stationery furnished, and printing done for said county; and said auditor shall, once in every six months, cause to be published, in some paper printed within said county, a statement of all accounts by him audited and allowed.

SECT. 2. It shall also be the duty of said auditor to file a copy of all accounts by him allowed, with the county treasurer; and said treasurer shall not be authorized to pay any bills for stationery furnished, or printing for said county, or to pay said commissioners, or either of them or said clerk, any amount for services, except such sums as may have been audited, allowed and sworn to before said auditor. And said auditor shall cause to be entered, in a book kept for that purpose, in detail, all accounts by him audited and allowed; and said book shall be open for the inspection of any person.

SECT. 3. If said auditor shall allow said commissioners or either of them, or clerk, any sum or sums, directly or indirectly, for their services not allowable by law, he shall be removed by the governor.

SECT. 4. The salary of the auditor shall be one hundred and twenty-five dollars per annum, and paid semi-annually, out of the treasury of Cumberland county.

SECT. 5. No fees, compensation or emolument whatever, shall be allowed or paid from the treasury to said auditor, except the salary aforesaid, which shall be in full for his services.

SECT. 6. This act shall take effect when approved by the governor.

[Approved March 29, 1858.]

Further duty.

County treasurer not to pay any accounts until audited.

Auditor, to keep book, &c.

Auditor, shall be removed in certain cases.

Salary, \$125. —when and how paid.

-not to receive fees, &c.