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# ACTS AND RESOLVES

PASSED BY THE

## THIRTY-EIGHTH LEGISLATURE

OF THE

## STATE OF MAINE.

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## CHAP. 86.

and deliver a deed of such pew to said parish; where no such written dissent is given, the pews of such owner or occupant shall be forfeited to the said parish.

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

[Approved March 29, 1859.]

### Chapter 86.

An act additional to chapter seventy-eight of the revised statutes.

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

Ch. 78, sec. 21,  
R. S. amended.

SECT. 1. Section twenty-one of chapter seventy-eight of the revised statutes, is amended so as to read as follows:

Power of county commissioners to obtain loans restricted.

SECT. 21. The county commissioners have power to obtain loans of money for the use of their county, and to cause notes or obligations, with coupons for lawful interest to be issued for payment thereof at such times as they deem expedient; but such loans shall not exceed ten thousand dollars, without first obtaining the consent of the county, substantially as provided in sections sixteen and seventeen.

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

[Approved March 29, 1859]

### Chapter 87.

An act concerning allowances to widows.

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

Judge may order allowance to widow during pendency of appeal.

SECT. 1. When a will has been proved and allowed by a judge of probate, and an appeal from his decree has been claimed, and a special administrator has been appointed, or letters testamentary have been granted to the executors named in such will, the judge of probate may, during the pendency of such appeal, order an allowance to the widow of the deceased as in other cases, and such administrator or executor, besides paying debts and charges of administration, shall also pay said allowance.