## MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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### ACTS AND RESOLVES

PASSED BY THE

### FORTY-FIRST LEGISLATURE

OF THE

### STATE OF MAINE.

1862.

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# PUBLIC LAWS

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CHAP. 82.

mit any gambling or drinking of intoxicating liquors in or about his premises; or any minor to play or roll therein without the written consent of his parent, guardian or master; or his alley or billiard room to be opened or used from ten o'clock in the evening to sunrise.

Ponalties.

Sect. 7. The keeper of any bowling alley or billiard room, who violates any of the provisions of this act, shall forfeit ten dollars for the first offence, and twenty dollars for each subsequent offence; and any marshal, sheriff, police or other officer may at any time enter said bowling alley or billiard room or rooms connected therewith, for the purpose of enforcing this or any other law; and any person who obstructs his entrance shall forfeit not less than five, nor more than twenty dollars. The penalties provided in this section may be recovered by complaint, indictment or action of debt to the use of the person so prosecuting.

Officer may enter at any time.

Sect. 2. Section eight of said chapter twenty-nine is hereby repealed.

Penalty for obstructing officer's entrance.

—how recovered, &c.

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

Sec. 8 of chap. 29, R. S., repealed.

[Approved February 28, 1862.]

#### Chapter 82.

An act repealing section three of chapter forty-four of the public laws of eighteen hundred and fifty-seven relating to the killing of wolves and other animals by poison.

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

Sect. 3 of chap. 44, laws of 1857, repealed. Sect. 1. Section three of chapter forty-four of the public laws of eighteen hundred and fifty-seven is hereby repealed.

Sect. 2. This act shall take effect upon its approval by the governor.

[Approved February 28, 1862.]

### Chapter 83.

An act authorizing the governor to appoint one or more commissioners in each regiment of Maine volunteers to take acknowledgment of deeds and conveyances and to administer oaths and take depositions.

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

Commissioners of regiments Maine volunteers, how appointed. Sect. 1. The governor of the state is hereby authorized and empowered to appoint one or more suitable persons in each regiment of Maine volunteers, now or hereafter raised, to act as com-

missioners for said state during the time said regiments may be out of the state, and in the service of the United States.

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Such commissioners shall have power to administer Duties of. oaths, take depositions in any of the modes now authorized by law, and also to take and certify the acknowledgment of all deeds, conveyances and other instruments which by law require an acknowledgment before some magistrate or justice of the peace.

Sect. 3. The authority conferred by this act may be exercised by said commissioners, in any place where said regiments may be, or may be stationed. No particular seal or device shall be neces--how sary as evidence of the proper execution of the power herein conferred; but the official signature of the commissioner shall be deemed sufficient in all cases authorized by this act.

Authority of, how exercised.

authenticated.

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

[Approved March 3, 1862.]

#### Chapter 84.

An act additional to chapter eighty-seven of the revised statutes authorizing administrators de bonis non to maintain an action of debt on judgments recovered by the deceased or by former administrators or executors.

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

An action of debt may be maintained by an administrator de bonis non on judgments recovered by the deceased while in life, or by his administrators or executors before their death or removal from office, and not by them collected.

Administrator de bonis non, may maintain certain actions.

[Approved March 3, 1862.]

#### Chapter 85.

An act to make valid the doings of towns in providing for the payment of a bounty to volunteer soldiers enlisted therein and to authorize the assessment of a tax or taxes to pay the same.

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

Sect. 1. In any town where, at a legal meeting of the qualified voters thereof, pursuant to an article in the warrant calling such meeting, a bounty to volunteer soldiers enlisted in such town was voted to be paid, the doings of such town in this respect are hereby

Doings of towns which have voted bounties to soldiers, made valid.