

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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ACTS AND RESOLVES

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OF THE

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tenant, served on the landlord thirty days before the time appointed for its termination; and the provisions of this section shall apply to tenancies of buildings erected on land of a third party.

CHAP. 99.

Tenancy at will how terminated, &c.

[Approved March 14, 1862.]

Chapter 99.

An act amendatory of chapter forty of the revised statutes in relation to inspection of fish.

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

SECT. 1. The governor with advice of the council shall appoint an inspector general of fish, removable at pleasure, who shall be commissioned for a period not exceeding two years, and he shall be sworn and give bond with sufficient sureties in the sum of six thousand dollars to the treasurer of state for the faithful discharge of his duties before entering thereon.

Inspector general of fish, how appointed.
—term of office.
—shall be sworn and give bond.

SECT. 2. The inspector general shall appoint one or more deputies in every town in this state where pickled fish or smoked herrings and alewives are cured or packed for exportation, who shall be responsible for their neglect or misconduct while acting under him, and when the office of inspector general becomes vacant, they may continue to discharge the duties of the office until a successor is appointed, and they shall be accountable to the state.

—may appoint deputies.

Deputies of, continue in case of vacancy.

SECT. 3. Every deputy shall be duly sworn by the inspector general or by a justice of the peace, and give bond to the inspector general with sureties to his satisfaction for the faithful performance of his duty, and the bond shall be so expressed as to enure to the use of the state for the time the deputy exercises his duties during a vacancy in the office of inspector general.

Deputies to be sworn.
—to give bond.
—terms of.

SECT. 4. Each deputy shall pay to the inspector general one dollar, as an excise fee for his bond and commission, and the inspector general may receive from each of his deputies for every cask of pickled fish inspected by him the following fees: for each tierce four cents; for each barrel one cent; and every smaller package one half cent.

Excise fees.

SECT. 5. The inspector general shall in the month of January annually, make a return into the office of secretary of state, of all the fish inspected by him and his deputies during the year preceding the first day of said January, designating the quantities, kinds and qualities of pickled and smoked fish respectively, and the secretary shall publish the same as soon after as may be in the state

Inspector general, return of.
—to be published.

CHAP. 100. paper ; and the inspector general may require returns of his deputies as often as he sees fit.

Acts inconsistent, repealed. SECT. 6. All acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed.

[Approved March 14, 1862.]

Chapter 100.

An act to amend chapter eighty-six of the revised statutes, entitled trustee process.

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

Chap. 86, Sec. 55 of R. S., amended.
Amount of wages exempt, &c.

The sixth specification of section fifty-five of chapter eighty-six of the revised statutes, is hereby amended by adding to the end thereof the following words: and not exceeding twenty dollars of the amount due to him as wages for his personal labor ; and this shall not be exempt in any suit, for necessaries furnished him or his family.

[Approved March 15, 1862.]

Chapter 101.

An act in relation to state agents.

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

Agent or officer of state not to exceed appropriations.

—unless directed by the governor.

That no agent, or officer of the state, or of any department thereof, whose duty it may be to expend money under an appropriation by the legislature, and who shall exceed in his expenditure said appropriation, shall have any claim for reimbursement therefor ; nor shall his account for such excess be audited or allowed, unless such excess of expenditure shall have been previously specifically directed and authorized in writing by the governor. This act shall not be construed as conferring by implication upon the governor any greater power than he now has.

[Approved March 15, 1862.]