

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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ACTS AND RESOLVES

PASSED BY THE

FORTY-FOURTH LEGISLATURE

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE.

1865.

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PUBLIC LAWS

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE.

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Sect. 82. *The voters of a town at their annual town meeting for the election of town officers may choose a collector or collectors of taxes and agree what sum shall be allowed as a compensation for the performance of their duties; but if none are chosen, or if those chosen refuse to serve or give the requisite bonds, the assessors may appoint a suitable person to act as constable and collector for the collection of taxes.*

CHAP. 319.

Collectors of taxes, how chosen or appointed.

Approved February 24, 1865.

Chapter 319.

An act in relation to the assessment of taxes.

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

In any proceeding now or hereafter commenced, wherein the power and authority of assessors to make an assessment upon any property shall arise, the rule prescribed by section fifty-three of chapter six of the revised statutes, and the provisions of chapter one hundred and thirty-eight of the public laws of eighteen hundred sixty-two, shall not be construed as a conclusive rule and limitation upon the assessors in making the assessment.

Chap. 6, sec. 53, R. S., and chap. 138, public laws of 1862, how construed.

Approved February 24, 1865.

Chapter 320.

An act to amend section three of chapter one hundred and thirteen of the public laws of eighteen hundred and sixty-two, relating to taxes upon certain towns and plantations.

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

SECT. 1. Section three of chapter one hundred and thirteen of the public laws of eighteen hundred and sixty-two, is amended by adding thereto the words following:—*And any prior organization of any such plantation for election purposes shall cease to have any legal effects; and the officers chosen under the organization provided for in this section, shall, as soon as may be, be qualified to discharge the duties of their respective offices; and for failure to do so, shall be subject to the penalties provided in such case in chapter three of the revised statutes, for town officers.*

Chap. 113, sec. 3, public laws of 1862, amended.

Prior organization ceases to have effect.

Duty of officers chosen.

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

Approved February 24, 1865.