

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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ACTS AND RESOLVES

OF THE

FORTY-EIGHTH LEGISLATURE

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE.

1869.

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each of the said meridian lines, and deposit a record thereof with the clerk of the courts in each of the counties aforesaid; and the said commissioner shall be paid for his services such compensation as by the governor and council may be deemed equitable and just.

SECT. 6. Any person or persons who shall wilfully displace, alter, deface, destroy, or otherwise injure any of the monuments or points by which such meridian lines shall be marked, or shall destroy, break down, or carry away the enclosure aforesaid, or any lock, bar, bolt, or any part thereof, the said person or persons so offending shall be punished, upon complaint and conviction before any court of competent jurisdiction, by fine not exceeding one hundred dollars, one-half to be paid to the complainant, and the other half to the county wherein such offence may have been committed.

Penalty for injuring monuments or fixtures.

Approved March 11, 1869.

Chapter 59.

An act relating to evidence.

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

SECT. 1. Neither party to the record shall be excused or excluded from testifying in the trial of any action against any executor or administrator, if the party in whose name the suit is prosecuted is nominal only, having no interest in the subject-matter of the suit, or had assigned, or disposed of his interest during the lifetime of the executor's testator or the administrator's intestate.

Neither party in actions against executors or administrators shall be excused from testifying if the party prosecuting is nominal.

SECT. 2. Any act inconsistent herewith is so far repealed, and this act shall be in force from its approval.

Inconsistent acts repealed.

Approved March 12, 1869.

Chapter 60.

An act in relation to savings banks and savings institutions.

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

SECT. 1. Savings banks and savings institutions shall exercise the powers and be subject to the duties, liabilities and provisions of this act and of their respective charters, and of the general law of the state, respecting corporations, except as otherwise provided.

Savings banks and savings institutions to be subject to provisions of this act and their charter.