

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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ACTS AND RESOLVES

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STATE OF MAINE.

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PUBLIC LAWS  
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**Chapter 96.****CHAP. 96.**

An act to amend section three, chapter one hundred and thirty-two of the revised statutes, relating to jurisdiction of justices of the peace.

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

Section three of chapter one hundred and thirty-two of the revised statutes, is hereby amended by inserting after the word "first," in the second line, the words, 'sixth, seventh, eighth,' so that said section, as amended, shall read as follows :

Criminal jurisdiction of justices of the peace extended.  
R. S., chap. 132, sect. 3, amended.

'SECT. 3. They shall have jurisdiction of the offences described in the first, sixth, seventh, eighth and ninth sections of chapter one hundred and twenty, when the value of the property is not alleged to exceed ten dollars ; and may punish for the first offence by fine not exceeding ten dollars, and by imprisonment not more than two months ; and on a second conviction, by fine not exceeding twenty dollars, and by imprisonment not more than six months.'

Approved February 26, 1870.

**Chapter 97.**

An act to repeal an act entitled "an act providing for reviews in criminal cases," approved March third, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-nine.

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

SECT. 1. An act entitled "an act providing for reviews in criminal cases," approved March third, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and sixty-nine, is hereby repealed.

Public laws 1869, chap. 39, relating to reviews in criminal cases, repealed.

SECT. 2. This act shall take effect when approved.

Approved February 26, 1870.

**Chapter 98.**

An act to amend sections ten and twelve of chapter three of the revised statutes, relating to choice of highway surveyors.

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

SECT. 1. Section ten of chapter three of the revised statutes is hereby amended by striking out the words "surveyors of highways," in the sixth and seventh lines thereof.

R. S., chap. 3, sect. 10, relating to highway surveyors, amended.

SECT. 2. Section twelve of the same chapter is hereby amended so as to read as follows :