

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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ACTS AND RESOLVES

OF THE

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OF THE

STATE OF MAINE.

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cannot be so completed, by reason of any two or more of such persons having received an equal number of votes, the persons having such equal numbers shall be declared not elected. In all cases not otherwise provided for, if no person eligible to the office receives the requisite number of votes to elect him, then the governor shall order a new election; *provided, however,* that nothing contained in this section shall be construed to give the governor and council any authority to determine questions of eligibility in cases of senators and representatives to the legislature.'

CHAP. 3.

Proceedings in case of tie vote.

Governor to order a new election, if no eligible person receives requisite number of votes. Governor and council not to determine questions of eligibility in cases of senators and representatives to the legislature.

Approved February 4, 1878.

### Chapter 3.

An act to amend chapter one hundred and twenty-four, section eighteen, of the Revised Statutes, relating to Campmeetings.

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

Section eighteen, chapter one hundred and twenty-four of the revised statutes, is hereby amended by inserting in first line, after the word "elder," 'officers or;' also after words "of a," in second line, 'religious or temperance,' so that said section shall read :

Sec. 18, ch. 124, R. S., amended.

'SECT. 18. On application of the presiding elder, officers or preachers in charge, or tent masters, of a religious or temperance campmeeting in any town, the municipal officers thereof shall appoint, in writing, signed by a majority of them, one or more police officers to preserve the peace during such meeting, who may arrest any person violating any provision of the preceding section, detain him until a warrant can be issued, and execute such warrant when directed to them; and the presiding officer or committee of arrangements of any such religious assembly or meeting may appoint some suitable person to keep boarders and sell refreshments at such meetings, who shall conform therein to such regulations as the officers appointing them prescribe.'

Special police at campmeetings, how appointed.

Persons to keep boarders, &c., how appointed.

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