

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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ACTS AND RESOLVES

OF THE

FIFTY-EIGHTH LEGISLATURE

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE.

1879.

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PUBLIC LAWS

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE.

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CHAP. 151. dollars per annum. Said recorder shall account for all fees, and pay the same to the county treasurer.

To account.
Supt. common schools \$1000.

Clerk hire \$500-

Supt. insane hospital \$1,300.
Assistant superintendents \$850 each.
Steward \$900.
Chaplain \$200.
Matron \$350.

Supt. reform school \$1000.

Repealing clause.

SECT. 10. The annual salary of the state superintendent of common schools shall be one thousand dollars, instead of the sum now fixed by law, together with clerk hire, not to exceed the sum of five hundred dollars per annum.

SECT. 11. The compensation of the superintendent of the insane hospital shall be thirteen hundred dollars per annum; two assistant superintendents, eight hundred and fifty dollars each per annum; one steward, who shall also perform the duties of treasurer, nine hundred dollars per annum, in full for all services; chaplain, two hundred dollars per annum; matron, three hundred and fifty dollars per annum.

SECT. 12. The compensation of the superintendent of the State reform school shall be one thousand dollars per annum.

SECT. 13. All acts and parts of acts inconsistent with this act are hereby repealed.

Approved March 3, 1879.

Chapter 151.

An Act relating to Prosecutions for Embezzlement.

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

In prosecutions for embezzling, fraudulently converting to one's own use money, etc., by cashier or other officer.

What shall be sufficient allegation in the indictment.

What evidence may be given at the trial.

What sufficient to maintain the charge in the indictment.

SECT. 1. In prosecutions for the offense of embezzling, fraudulently converting to one's own use, or taking and secreting with intent so to embezzle, or fraudulently convert, the bullion, money, notes, bank notes, checks, drafts, bills of exchange, obligations or other securities for money, of any person, bank, incorporated company, or co-partnership, by a cashier or other officer, clerk, agent or servant of such person, bank, incorporated company or co-partnership, it shall be sufficient to allege generally in the indictment an embezzlement, fraudulent conversion, or taking with such intent, of money to a certain amount, without specifying any particulars of such embezzlement; and at the trial, evidence may be given of any such embezzlement, fraudulent conversion, or taking with such intent, committed within six months next before the time stated in the indictment; and it shall be sufficient to maintain the charge in the indictment, and shall not be deemed a variance, if it is proved that any bullion, money, notes, bank note, check, draft, bill of exchange or other security for money, of such person, bank, incorporated company or co-partnership of whatever amount was fraudulently embezzled, converted or taken with such intent by such cashier or other officer, clerk, servant, agent, within such period of six months.

Approved March 3, 1879.