

# 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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## CHAP. 186

## Chapter 186.

An act to amend section seventeen of chapter one hundred and thirty-two of the Revised Statutes, relating to Fees of Trial Justices.

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

Sec. 17, ch. 132,  
R. S., amended.

Section seventeen of chapter one hundred and thirty-two of the revised statutes is hereby amended, by inserting after the word "party," in the fourth line thereof, the words, 'or convicts a party, and such party appeals and is finally acquitted,' so that said section, as amended, shall read as follows :

Fees of magistrates, regulated.

'SECT. 17. When several warrants are issued by any magistrate where only one is necessary, he shall be allowed only the costs for one complaint and warrant; and when he binds over a party, and the grand jury do not find an indictment against such party, or convicts a party and such party appeals and is finally acquitted, he shall not have any fees in the case unless the same are certified and approved by the county attorney, and in no case shall he tax other or greater fees than are expressly allowed by law.'

Approved February 28, 1880.

## Chapter 187.

An act to amend section ten, chapter seventy-five of the laws of eighteen hundred and seventy-eight, relating to fisheries.

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

Sec. 10, ch. 75,  
public laws 1878,  
amended.

Section ten of chapter seventy-five of the laws of eighteen hundred and seventy-eight is hereby amended by adding to the end of the section the following proviso: '*Provided, however, that from said fifteenth day of July until the fifteenth day of September following, it shall be lawful to fish for and take salmon by the ordinary mode with rod and single line but not otherwise,*' so that said section when amended shall read as follows :

Close-time for  
salmon.

'SECT. 10. There shall be a close-time for salmon from the fifteenth day of July of each year to the first day of April following, during which no salmon shall be taken or killed in any manner, under a penalty of not more than fifty nor less

—penalty.

than ten dollars, and a further penalty of ten dollars for each salmon so taken or killed. *Provided, however,* that from the said fifteenth day of July until the fifteenth day of September following, it shall be lawful to fish for and take salmon by the ordinary mode, with rod and single line, but not otherwise.'

CHAP. 188.  
Proviso.

Approved February 28, 1880.

### Chapter 188.

An act in relation to Frivolous Exceptions.

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

SECT. 1. Section twenty-one of chapter seventy-seven of the revised statutes is hereby amended by adding thereto the following words: 'The provisions of this section shall be applied to exceptions filed in any criminal proceeding in the superior courts of Kennebec county and Cumberland county.'

Sec. 21. ch. 77,  
R. S., amended

Provisions ap-  
plied to superior  
courts.

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

Approved February 28, 1880.

### Chapter 189.

An act to protect Quails.

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

No quail shall be killed, nor had in possession except alive, at any time previous to September first, eighteen hundred and eighty-three, under penalty of twenty-five dollars for every offense, and one dollar additional for each quail killed, or had in possession except alive.

Quail, protection  
of.

—penalty.

Approved February 28, 1880.