

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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ACTS AND RESOLVES

OF THE

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OF THE

STATE OF MAINE.

1880.

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Chapter 206.

CHAP. 206

An act to authorize Collectors of Taxes to sue in their own names.

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

Any collector of taxes, or any executor or administrator of a deceased collector of taxes, may, after due notice, sue, in his own name, for any tax in any court competent to try the same.

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[This act was presented to the Governor the third day of March, 1880, and was retained by him for the term of five days, when it was forwarded to the office of Secretary of State, without his approval.]

Chapter 207.

An act to amend chapter one hundred and fourteen of the Revised Statutes, [Public laws 1876] relating to new trials for Capital Offenses.

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

Chapter one hundred and fourteen, of the public laws of eighteen hundred and seventy-six, is hereby amended, by adding the following section thereto :

Ch. 114, public laws, 1876, amended.

'SECT. 9. The supreme judicial court, or any superior court, before which any person has been convicted for an offense, capital, or formerly capital, or may be convicted for an offense formerly capital, may either in term time or vacation, when on the petition or motion in writing of such person, it is made to appear to the court that justice may be better done thereby, grant a new trial for any cause for which a new trial may or should be granted.'

S. J. court or superior court may grant new trial in certain cases.

Approved March 9, 1880.

Chapter 208.

An act to enlarge the powers and duties of the Commissioners of Fisheries, and Wardens.

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

SECT. 1. The powers and duties of the commissioners of fisheries, and wardens, shall extend to all matters pertaining

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