

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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ACTS AND RESOLVES

OF THE

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OF THE

STATE OF MAINE.

1887.

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PUBLIC LAWS  
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STATE OF MAINE.

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## CHAP. 49

**Chapter 49.**

An Act to repeal chapter thirty-four of the Public Laws of eighteen hundred and eighty-seven, relating to Steam Boilers.

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

Ch. 34, laws  
1887, repealed.

Chapter thirty-four of the public laws of eighteen hundred and eighty-seven is hereby repealed, and the following is enacted in place thereof :

Sec. 21, ch. 17,  
R. S., amended.

Section twenty-one of chapter seventeen of the revised statutes is hereby repealed, and the following is inserted in place thereof :

Steam boilers to  
be provided  
with fusible  
safety plugs.

'SECT. 21. No person or corporation shall manufacture, sell, use, or cause to be used, except as hereinafter provided, any steam boiler in this state unless it is provided with a fusible safety plug, made of lead for boilers carrying steam pressure above fifty pounds per square inch, and of tin for boilers carrying steam pressure of fifty pounds and less per square inch, and said safety plug shall be not less than one-half inch in diameter, and shall be placed in the roof of the fire-box when a fire-box is used, and in all cases shall be placed in the part of the boiler fully exposed to the action of the fire, and as near the surface line of the water as good judgment shall dictate, excepting in cases of upright tubular boilers, when the upper tube sheet is placed above the surface line of the water, which class of boilers shall be exempted from the provisions of this section.'

—exceptions.

Approved March 1, 1887.

**Chapter 50.**

An Act to amend section twenty-four of chapter seventy-nine of the Revised Statutes, relating to the admission of Attorneys.

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

Sec. 24, ch. 79,  
R. S., amended

Chapter seventy-nine, section twenty-four, of the revised statutes is hereby amended by striking out in the third line of said section, the words "not exceeding twice in each year," so that said section as amended, shall read as follows :

Examinations  
must be public,  
before a just  
of the S. J.  
court.

'SECT. 24. All examinations shall be public, and in the presence of some justice of the supreme judicial court during term time. The time for holding the same in each county