

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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ACTS AND RESOLVES

OF THE

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OF THE

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not alleged to exceed thirty dollars, of the assaults and batteries described in section twenty-eight of chapter one hundred and eighteen of the revised statutes, and of the offenses described in section six of chapter one hundred and twenty-four of the revised statutes, and may punish for either of said offenses by fine not exceeding fifty dollars and by imprisonment in the county jail not exceeding three months; second, exclusive original jurisdiction of all civil actions, wherein the debt or damages demanded do not exceed twenty dollars, and both parties, or any plaintiff, and a person summoned as a trustee, reside in the town of Norway, including prosecutions for penalties in which said town is interested, and of all actions of forcible entry and detainer arising therein; and original jurisdiction concurrent with trial justices of all other civil actions in which the debt or damages demanded do not exceed twenty dollars, and the defendant, or a person summoned as trustee resides in the county of Oxford; third, original jurisdiction concurrent with the supreme judicial court, of all civil actions in which the debt or damages demanded do not exceed one hundred dollars, and both parties, or the defendant, or a person summoned as trustee, reside in the county of Oxford; provided, that any action, civil or criminal, in which the judge is interested, but which would otherwise be within the exclusive jurisdiction of said court may be brought before and disposed of by any trial justice within said county, in the same manner and with like effect as other actions before such tribunals.'

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

Approved March 17, 1893.

Chapter 528.

An Act to authorize the Richards Paper Company to issue preferred stock.

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

SECT. 1. The Richards Paper Company is hereby empowered to issue either first or second preferred stock or both, in such amounts, not exceeding in aggregate five hundred thousand dollars, upon such terms and conditions and

for such purposes as its stockholders may from time to time determine.

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

Approved March 17, 1893.

Chapter 529.

An Act to prevent the destruction of Smelts in the harbors, coves and inlets in the town of Bluehill.

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

SECT. 1. All persons are hereby prohibited from taking any smelts within one-half mile of the entrance of any harbor, cove or inlet in the town of Bluehill, in the county of Hancock, by means of purse or drag seine, or by weirs.

Taking of smelts, near entrance of Bluehill harbor, prohibited.

SECT. 2. Whoever shall violate the provisions of this act, shall, on conviction of the same before any municipal court or trial justice of said county of Hancock, be punished by a fine of not less than ten dollars, nor more than twenty dollars, or imprisonment in the county jail for a term not less than ten days, and imprisoned in said jail for same time for non-payment of said fine.

Penalty.

SECT. 3. This act shall take effect when approved.

Approved March 21, 1893.

Chapter 530.

An Act relating to the Electric Corporation.

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

SECT. 1. The Electric Corporation, a corporation organized under the provisions of the general laws of the state, in addition to the powers and purposes specified in its certificate of organization filed in the office of the secretary of state and which are hereby confirmed, is hereby authorized and empowered to enter into contracts for the construction and equipment of electric railroads with corporations holding charters authorizing the construction and operation thereof, and to furnish and advance money to such corporations, and

Organization confirmed, and corporation authorize to contract for construction of electric railroads.

—to furnish and advance money for equipping same.