# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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#### ACTS AND RESOLVES

OF THE

### SIXTY-SEVENTH LEGISLATURE

OF THE

### STATE OF MAINE

1895.

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## PUBLIC LAWS

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Chap. 173 be when so packed, good and sound, except that they shall be cleaned, headed and eviscerated, and of good uniform size.

Penalty for

Whoever packs or cans, or causes to be packed or canned any fish, in violation of this act, shall forfeit twenty dollars for every one hundred cans, or fifty cans, as aforesaid, as the case may be, so packed by him or by his employes, to be recovered by complaint.

Approved March 27, 1895.

#### Chapter 173.

An Act to provide for the printing and binding of department reports and other state publications and to regulate the numbers of the same.

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

Number of copies of reports to be printed at expense of the state.

The number of copies of the following named reports to be printed hereafter at the expense of the state shall be determined by the governor and council but shall not exceed the following numbers: The report of the secretary of the state board of agriculture, twelve thousand copies annually; the report of the bank examiner, twenty-five hundred copies annually; the report of the commissioner of the bureau of labor and industrial statistics, six thousand copies annually; the report of the officers and trustees of the state reform school, fifteen hundred copies annually; the report of the commissioners of fisheries and game, four thousand copies annually; the report of the industrial school for girls, fifteen hundred copies annually; the report of the officers and trustees of the state prison, two thousand copies annually; the report of the commissioners on the contagious diseases of animals, four thousand copies annually; the report of the Maine state college, fifteen hundred copies annually; the report of the registrar of vital statistics, twenty-five hundred copies annually; the report of the insurance commissioner, three thousand copies on each legislative year, and twenty-five hundred copies on the alternate year; the report of the railroad commissioners, three thousand copies on each legislative year, and twentyfive hundred copies on the alternate year; the report of the superintendent of common schools, five thousand copies on each legislative year, and forty-five hundred copies on the

alternate year; the report of the state treasurer, three thou Chap. 173 sand copies on each legislative year, and twenty-five hundred copies on the alternate year; the report of the trustees and officers of the Maine insane hospital, two thousand copies on each legislative year, and fifteen hundred copies on the alternate year; the report of the board of state assessors, six thousand copies on each legislative year, and three thousand copies on the alternate year; the report of the attorney general, fifteen hundred copies biennially; the report of the land agent and forest commissioner, twelve hundred copies biennially; the report of the state board of health, six thousand copies biennially; the report of the adjutant general, one thousand copies annually; the report of the librarian of the Maine state library, one thousand copies biennially; the report of the Bath military and naval orphan asylum, one thousand copies biennially. Of the above named reports, at least two hundred copies, bound in cloth, shall be delivered to the state librarian from the bindery, for exchange and library use; and of the balance of each such report, containing more than two hundred pages, two hundred and fifty copies shall be stitched and bound in paper, and the remainder in cloth; and of the balance of the number of each such report, containing less than two hundred pages and more than seventy-five pages, five hundred copies may be stitched and bound in paper and the remainder thereof may be bound in cloth; and of the balance of the number of each report, containing less than seventy-five pages, all may be stitched and The state librarian is hereby authorized to bound in paper. sell at cost to parties not entitled to said reports by custom or courtesy, such of said reports as may from time to time remain in his hands.

shall be bound, distributed.

Librarian may sell surplus reports.

The reports, catalogues and compilations of all state departments, bureaus, commissions and institutions, other than as enumerated in section one of this act, may be printed and bound, but the number and the styles in which the same shall be so printed and bound, at the expense of the state, shall be determined from time to time by the governor and council, who shall also fix the number of the same which shall be delivered from the bindery or printing office to the state librarian, and said librarian shall have the same power as to

Other reports may be printed and bound, as shall be determined by governor and council.

Chap. 173 the sale of the same, as is provided for in section one of this act.

Each department may print bulletins and circulars. SECT. 3. Each department, bureau and institution may have printed at the expense of the state, bulletins and circular letters of inquiry and information, at such times and in such numbers as the officer in charge thereof may consider necessary.

-except as herein provided, reports shall not be printed unless by special act.

Except as hereinbefore provided, no reports, catalogues or compilations shall be printed, stitched or bound by any department, bureau, commission or institution of the state, at the expense of the state, unless by virtue of special legislative provision therefor.

Librarian shall transmit all reports to the legislature.

SECT. 4. It shall be the duty of the state librarian to transmit to the legislature and to each member and officer thereof, as soon after the commencement of its session as practicable, one copy of each of the said reports printed by virtue of this act.

Inconsistent acts, repealed.

Sect. 5. All acts and parts of acts, all resolves and parts of resolves, inconsistent herewith, are hereby repealed.

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