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# ACTS AND RESOLVES

OF THE

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## STATE OF MAINE

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**Chapter 29.**

An Act to amend section seven of chapter three hundred and twenty-nine of the Private and Special Laws of eighteen hundred and ninety-one, relating to the Waterville Municipal Court.

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

Sec. 7, ch. 329,  
Private Laws  
of 1891,  
amended.

SECT. 1. Section seven of chapter three hundred and twenty-nine of the private and special laws of eighteen hundred and ninety-one is hereby amended by striking out the word "three" in the seventh line of said section and inserting the word 'four' in its stead, so that said section, as amended, shall read as follows :

Clerk, ap-  
pointment of.

SECT. 7. The governor by and with the advice of the council, shall appoint a clerk of said court, who shall be a citizen of said Waterville, and who shall hold his office for the term of four years, who shall be sworn, and who shall give bond to the treasurer of said city in the sum of one thousand dollars, to be approved by said judge, and who shall receive from said city, in monthly payments, an annual salary of four hundred dollars, which shall be in full for all fees pertaining to his office, provided, however, that he shall receive, in addition to said salary all fees allowed by law in matters relating to civil business, except the trial fee hereinafter mentioned.

—salary.

—fees.

—vacancy,  
how filled.

In case of the absence of said clerk or vacancy in said office, the judge of said court may appoint a clerk who shall be sworn by said judge and act during said absence or until the vacancy is filled. Said clerk shall record the doings of said court, may administer oaths and shall have such powers and perform such duties as are possessed and performed by the clerks of the supreme judicial court. Said clerk shall hear complaints in all criminal matters, accusations in bastardy, draw all complaints and sign all warrants, and make and sign all processes of commitment, but the same shall be heard and determined as now provided by law, but such complaints, accusations, warrants or processes of commitment drawn and signed by the judge of said court shall be equally valid.

—powers and  
duties of.

—in absence of  
judge, may  
exercise  
powers of.

Whenever said judge shall be absent from the court room, or when the office of judge shall be vacant, the clerk shall have and exercise all the powers of the judge and perform all the duties required of said judge by this act, and shall be empowered to sign and issue all processes and papers, and to do all

acts, as fully and with the same effect as the judge could do were he acting in the premises. All processses issued by said clerk in criminal matters shall bear the seal of said court and be signed by said clerk and have the same authority as if issued and signed by said judge.' -seal.

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

Approved February 12, 1895.

### Chapter 30.

An Act to amend section two of chapter six hundred and fifty-four of the Private and Special Laws of eighteen hundred and fifty-six, entitled, "An Act to preserve the harbor of Portland."

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

Section two of chapter six hundred and fifty-four of the private and special laws of eighteen hundred and fifty-six entitled "An Act to preserve the harbor of Portland" is hereby amended by striking out the whole of said section after the word "south easterly" in the first line, and substituting in place thereof the following words, namely; 'between Portland bridge and the break water, beginning at a point marked A on the plan accompanying the report of the advisory council called by the commissioners on Portland harbor, Maine, showing harbor lines in Fore river made in July, eighteen hundred and seventy-three, said point A being on the westerly side of Portland bridge in line with the sea wall of the dry dock company's wall extended, from this point A the line runs in a north-easterly direction making an angle to the right from said Portland bridge of eighty-five degrees and thirty-eight minutes a distance of five thousand three hundred and thirty feet to a point nearly opposite the westerly end of the break water; thence in a more southerly direction about one thousand eight hundred and thirty feet to the centre of the light house at the easterly end of the break water,' so that said section as amended, shall read as follows :

Sec. 2, ch. 654,  
Private Laws  
of 1856,  
amended.

'SECT. 2. It is bounded south easterly between Portland bridge and the break water, beginning at a point marked A on the plan accompanying the report of the advisory council

Bounds.