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or her entering into a recognizance, with sureties, in such sum as the court may direct. The condition of the recognizance Condition shall be such that if the defendant shall make his or her per- nizance. sonal appearance in court whenever ordered to do so within the year, and shall further comply with the terms of the order and of any subsequent modification thereof, then the recognizance shall be void, otherwise in full force and effect.

If the court shall be satisfied by information and due proof, On proof of violation of under oath, that at any time during the year the defendant has violated the terms of such order, it may forthwith proceed with the trial of the defendant under the original indictment, or sentence him under the original conviction, or enforce the original sentence, as the case may be. In case of forfeiture or a recognizance, and enforcement thereof by execution, the sum recovered may, in the discretion of the court, be paid in whole or in part to the wife or to the guardian or custodian of the minor child or children.

Section 2. Strike out all of section two.

Section 3. Strike out all of section three and substitute therefor the following:

'Section 2. All fines or penalties provided for by the terms of this act may be recovered or enforced by indictment. The supreme judicial and superior courts shall have original and concurrent jurisdiction, in all cases under the provisions hereof. Provided that judges of municipal and police courts and trial justices, may cause persons brought before them on complaint under the provisions of this act to recognize with sufficient sureties to appear before the supreme judicial courts. and in default thereof shall commit them."

Approved April 1, 1909,

#### Chapter 179.

An Act for the encouragement of Shellfish Industry. Be it enacted by the People of the State of Maine, as follows:

The commissioner of sea and shore fisheries is hereby authorized and directed to expend from the moneys appropriated for the year nineteen hundred and nine, for the protection of to make ex-periments sea and shore fisheries, so much thereof, not exceeding the industry. sum of one thousand dollars, as may be found necessary to make such experiments as in his judgment are necessary to conserve, extend, encourage, develop, improve and increase the shellfish industry in this state; and he is authorized, during the

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order court may pro-ceed under original dictment.

-amount recovered may be paid to wife guardian.

Section 2 stricken out.

Section 3, amended.

Fines and penalties, how rehow re-covered.

Authorized

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year nineteen hundred and ten, to expend from the same appropriation and for the same purposes, not exceeding the sum of one thousand dollars, if in his judgment such expenditure can be judiciously made in the prosecution of the purposes and objects of this act.

Approved April 1, 1909.

#### Chapter 180.

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An Act to further define and enlarge the duties of the Commissioner of the Bureau of Industrial and Labor Statistics.

Be it enacted by the People of the State of Maine, as follows:

Duties of commissioner. Section 1. The commissioner of the bureau of industrial and labor statistics shall, as often as it may seem necessary, transmit by mail to the owner, operator or manager of every maufacturing establishment in the state a schedule embodying inquiries as to

1. Name of person, partnership or corporation.

2. Kind of goods manufactured or business done.

3. Number of partners or stockholders.

4. Capital invested.

5. Principal stock or raw material used, and total value thereof.

6. Gross quantity and value of articles manufactured.

7. Average number of persons employed, distinguishing as to sex, adults and children.

8. Smallest number of persons employed, and in what month.

9. Largest number of persons employed, and in what month.

10. Total wages, not including salaries of managers, paid during the year, distinguishing as to sex, adults and children.

11. Proportion that the business of the year bore to the greatest capacity for production of the establishment.

12. Number of weeks in operation during the year, partial time being reduced to full time.

Section 2. The owner, operator or manager of every establishment which is engaged in manufacturing, who receives the foregoing schedule, shall answer the inquiries thereon for the time called for and return said schedule to said commissioner, with the answers therein certified as to their accuracy, on or before the first day of September following the receipt of said schedule. Abstracts of the information so collected, with

Manufacturers shall file answers with commissioners.