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PERSONAL PROPERTY.

Chapter 186.

AN ACT Relating to Personal Property.

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

Sec. 1. R. S., c. 95, § 67, amended. Section 67 of chapter 95 of the revised statutes is hereby amended to read as follows:

'Sec. 67. Personal property. The following personal property is exempt from attachment and execution:

I. The debtor's apparel; household furniture necessary for himself, wife and children, not exceeding \$100 in value, and I bed, bedstead, and necessary bedding for every 2 such persons.

II. All family portraits, Bibles, and schoolbooks in actual use in the family; I copy of the statutes of the state, and a library not exceeding \$150 in value.

III. All his interest in I pew in a meeting-house where he and his family statedly worship.

IV. One cooking stove; all iron stoves used exclusively for warming buildings; charcoal, and not exceeding 12 cords of wood conveyed to his house for the use of himself and family; all anthracite coal, not exceeding 5 tons; all bituminous coal, not exceeding 50 bushels; and ten dollars' \$50 worth of lumber, wood, or bark.

V. All produce of farms until harvested; I barrel of flour; 50 bushels of oats, 50 barrels of potatoes; corn and grain necessary for himself and family, not exceeding 30 bushels; all potatoes and other provisions raised or bought, and necessary for himself and family; and all flax raised on a half acre of land, and all articles manufactured therefrom for the use of himself and family.

VI. The tools necessary for his trade or occupation, materials and stock designed and procured by him and necessary for carrying on his trade or business and intended to be used or wrought therein, not exceeding fifty dollars \$100 in value, and I sewing machine and I washing machine not exceeding \$100 each in value for actual use by himself or family.

VII. One pair of working cattle, or instead thereof I pair of mules or I or 2 horses not exceeding in value three hundred dollars \$400, and a sufficient quantity of hay to keep them through the winter season. If he has more than I pair of working cattle or mules, or if the 2 horses exceed in value three hundred dollars \$400, he may elect which pair of cattle or mules or which horse shall be exempt. If he has a pair of mules or I or 2 horses so exempt, he may also have exempt for each of said horses or mules, I harness not exceeding twenty dollars \$40 in value; and I horse sled not exceeding the same value; but if he has at the same time an ox sled, he may elect which sled shall be exempt.

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VIII. Domestic fowl, not exceeding fifty dollars \$100 in value, 2 swine, I cow, and I heifer under 3 years old and the calves raised from them until they are I year old, or if he has no oxen, horse or mule, 2 cows, and he may elect the cows or cow and heifer, if he has more than are exempt, 10 sheep and the wool from them, and the lambs raised from them until they are I year old, and a sufficient quantity of hay to keep said cattle, sheep, and lambs through the winter season.

IX. One plough, I cart or truck wagon or I express wagon, I harrow, I yoke with bows, ring and staple, 2 chains, I ox sled, and I mowing machine, I corn planter, I potato planter, I cultivator, I horse hoe, I horse rake, I sprayer or duster and I grain harvester and I potato digger.

X. One boat not exceeding 2 tons burden, usually employed in fishing business, belonging wholly to an inhabitant of the state.

XI. The personal property of any copartnership, or the interest of any copartner therein shall be exempt from attachment of mesne process or seizure on execution for any individual debt or liability of such copartner, but such copartner's interest in the partnership property may be reached and applied in payment of any judgment against him in the manner provided in section 39 of chapter 91.'

Revisor's note: See chapter 110 herein, for further amendments of this Sec. Approved March 28, 1933.

Chapter 187.

AN ACT Relating to Open Season on Fur-Bearing Animals.

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

R. S., c. 38, § 72, amended. The 1st paragraph of section 72 of chapter 38 of the revised statutes, as amended, is hereby amended to read as follows:

'Sec. 72. Trapping season regulated. Whoever from the 1st day of February to the 15th day of November, both days inclusive, hunts or traps any fur-bearing animal except wild hares and rabbits (which are protected under the provisions of section 71 of this chapter), bob-cats, loupcervier, Canada lynx, or muskrat, within the counties of Androscoggin, Cumberland, York, Sagadahoe, Kennebec, Lincoln, Waldo and Knox; except that it shall be lawful to hunt foxes with a dog and gun from November 16th to February 15th, both days inclusive, in the counties of Cumberland, York, Androscoggin, Kennebec, Knox and Waldo; provided further that in Lincoln and Sagadahoc counties trapping for foxes shall be lawful from November 16th to December 15th both days inclusive and hunting for foxes with dog and gun shall be lawful from November 16th

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