

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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ACTS AND RESOLVES

AS PASSED BY THE

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Legislatures

OF THE

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unless the same are properly provided with net or nets having all meshes thereon measure not less than  $4\frac{3}{4}$  inches mesh by diagonal, or stretch measurement as it is commonly known and called among shore fishermen.

**Sec. 2. Penalty.** Whoever violates any of the provisions of this act shall be punished by a fine of \$100 for the 1st offense and in default of payment, by 30 days in jail; and for the 2nd offense he shall be punished by a fine of \$200 and in default of payment by 60 days in jail.

**Emergency clause.** In view of the emergency recited in the preamble, this act shall take effect when approved.

Approved March 4, 1937.

## Chapter 35

### AN ACT Relative to Compensation of Reporter of Decisions.

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

R. S., c. 125, § 7, amended. Section 7 of chapter 125 of the revised statutes is hereby amended to read as follows:

'Sec. 7. The reporter of decisions. The reporter of decisions shall receive an annual salary of ~~\$2700~~ \$1700.'

Approved March 8, 1937.

## Chapter 36

### AN ACT Relating to Homesteads.

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

**Sec. 1.** R. S., c. 95, § 69, amended. Section 69 of chapter 95 of the revised statutes is hereby amended to read as follows:

'Sec. 69. Claim for homestead exemption to be recorded in registry of deeds; amount of exemption. Such person may file in the registry of deeds in the county or district where the land lies, a certificate signed by him, declaring his wish for such exemption, and describing the land and buildings; and the register shall record it in a suitable book; and so much of such property as does not exceed ~~five hundred dollars~~ \$1000 in value, is exempt from attachment or levy on execution issued on a judgment recovered for any debt, contracted jointly or severally by such person after