

### ACTS AND RESOLVES

#### AS PASSED BY THE

# Ninetieth and Ninety-first Legislatures

#### OF THE

# STATE OF MAINE

From April 26, 1941 to April 9, 1943 AND MISCELLANEOUS STATE PAPERS

Published by the Revisor of Statutes in accordance with the Resolves of the Legislature approved June 28, 1820, March 18, 1840, March 16, 1842, and Acts approved August 6, 1930 and April 2, 1931.

> KENNEBEC JOURNAL AUGUSTA, MAINE 1943

## PUBLIC LAWS

### OF THE

## STATE OF MAINE

As Passed by the Ninety-first Legislature

1943

### PUBLIC LAWS

### OF THE

## STATE OF MAINE

As Passed by the Ninety-first Legislature

### 1943

### Chapter 1

AN ACT Relating to Jurisdiction of Trial Justices.

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

**R. S., c. 144, § 6, amended.** Section 6 of chapter 144 of the revised statutes, as enacted by section 5 of chapter 118 of the public laws of 1933, is hereby amended by adding at the end of said section, the following:

', except as otherwise provided for by law.'

Effective July 9, 1943

#### Chapter 2

AN ACT Relating to Writs of Error in Criminal Cases.

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

R. S., c. 116, § 12, amended. Section 12 of chapter 116 of the revised statutes is hereby repealed and the following enacted in place thereof:

'Sec. 12. Effect; custody of plaintiff; release on bail. Writs of error shall issue of course upon all other judgments in criminal cases, and applications for the same shall be made to the supreme judicial court or to the superior court in the county where the restraint exists, if in session; if not in session, to a justice of either of said courts. Such court or such justice thereof in vacation may stay or delay execution of sentence or judgment, with an express order to stay all proceedings thereon; and in that case the court, or such justice thereof in vacation, may make such order as the