

GENERAL LAWS
OF THE
STATE OF OREGON

PASSED AT THE
FIFTH REGULAR SESSION

OF THE
LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY THEREOF,

1868.



SALEM, OREGON :
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thereof before a justice of the peace, shall be punished by a fine of not less than ten nor more than one hundred dollars, or imprisonment in the county jail not less than five days or more than two months, or both such fine and imprisonment, in the discretion of the court.

SEC. 9. All fines and forfeitures, except costs, recovered under the provisions of this act, shall be paid into the county treasury and constitute a part of the school fund.

SEC. 10. Chapter fifty of an act entitled "An act to provide a code of criminal procedure, and to define crimes and their punishment," which took effect from and after May 1, 1865, be and the same is hereby repealed.

Approved October 28, 1868.

An Act to protect the owners of Fire-Arms.

WHEREAS, The constitution of the United States, in article second of amendments to the constitution, declares that "the right of the people to keep and bear arms shall not be infringed;" and the constitution of the state of Oregon, in article first, section twenty-seven, declares that "the people shall have the right to bear arms for the defense of themselves and the state;" therefore,

Be it enacted by the Legislative Assembly of the State of Oregon as follows :

SECTION 1. Every white male citizen of this state above the age of sixteen years, shall be entitled to have, hold, and keep, for his own use and defense, the following fire-arms, to wit: Either or any one of the following-named guns, and one revolving pistol: a rifle, shot-gun (double or single barrel), yager, or musket; the same to be exempt from execution, in all cases, under the laws of Oregon.

SEC. 2. No officer, civil or military, or other person, shall take from or demand of the owner any fire-arms mentioned in this act, except where the services of the owner are also required to keep the peace or defend the state.

Approved October 24, 1868.

An Act granting the consent of the State of Oregon to the purchase, by the United States, of certain Lands for the purpose of the erection of a Custom House at Astoria, and for the purpose of the erection of a Branch Mint at Dalles City.

Be it enacted by the Legislative Assembly of the State of Oregon :

SECTION 1. That the consent of the State of Oregon is hereby given to the purchase, by the United States, of such lands in Astoria, not exceeding two acres in extent, as may have been, or may hereafter be, selected by the United States, as a site for a custom house, and of such lands in Dalles City, not exceeding two acres in extent, as may have been, or may hereafter be, selected by the United States as a site for a branch mint.

SEC. 2. The jurisdiction of the state of Oregon in and over the lands mentioned in the preceding section, when purchased by the United States, shall be, and the same hereby is, ceded to the United States; *Provided*, That the jurisdiction hereby ceded shall continue no longer than the said United States shall own the said lands.

SEC. 3. The said consent is given, and the said jurisdiction ceded, upon the express condition that the state of Oregon shall retain concurrent jurisdiction with the United States in and over the said lands, so far as that all civil process in all cases, and such criminal or other process as