

SESSION LAWS—1870.

CHAPTER I.

AN ACT

TO DECLARE THE PENAL CODE, AS COMPILED AND PUBLISHED
BY THE JUDGES OF THE SUPREME COURT TO BE THE
LAW OF THE LAND.

*Be it Enacted by the King and the Legislative Assembly of the
Hawaiian Islands, in the Legislature of the Kingdom assembled :*

SECTION 1. The Code of Penal Laws of the Kingdom, as compiled and published under the direction of the Judges of the Supreme Court, in conformity with the Act, approved upon the twenty second day of June, in the year One Thousand Eight Hundred and Sixty-eight, is hereby declared to be the Law of the land, and shall be respected accordingly, in all the Courts of the Kingdom.

SECTION 2. This Act shall take effect immediately.

Approved this 7th day of July, A. D. 1870.

KAMEHAMEHA R.

CHAPTER II.

AN ACT

TO ENLARGE THE JURISDICTION OF POLICE COURTS.

*Be it Enacted by the King and the Legislative Assembly of the
Hawaiian Islands, in the Legislature of the Kingdom assembled :*

SECTION 1. The several Police Courts shall have concurrent criminal jurisdiction, co-extensive with the several Judicial Cir-

CHAPTER XX.

AN ACT

TO LICENSE THE CARRYING OF FOWLING PIECES AND OTHER
FIRE-ARMS.

WHEREAS, The Act for the protection of Kolea or Plover and other useful birds, approved on the 20th day of April, A. D. 1859, has proved ineffectual for the purposes intended thereby, and

WHEREAS, The general and indiscriminate use of Fire-arms, which are frequently used for the destruction of useful, imported and migratory insectivorous birds and their progeny, is an injury to the agricultural and pastoral interests of this Kingdom, therefore,

Be it Enacted by the King and the Legislative Assembly of the Hawaiian Islands, in the Legislature of the Kingdom assembled :

SECTION 1. That the Minister of the Interior may at any time license for a term of one year, any applicant for such license, to use and carry fire-arms for sporting purposes, in the District of Kona, Island of Oahu, on receiving for such license the sum of Five Dollars.

SECTION 2. Any person in said District who shall use or carry for sporting purposes, any gun, carbine, rifle, pistol, or other fire-arms, without having at first obtained a license as hereinbefore provided, shall, upon conviction therefor, before any Police or District Justice, be fined in a sum not to exceed Fifty Dollars for every such offense, and in default of payment of such sum, shall be imprisoned at hard labor, until such fine and costs are paid, according to law.

SECTION 3. All such licenses shall be signed by the Minister of the Interior, numbered according to their respective dates and impressed with the seal of his Department, and no such license shall be transferable.

Approved this 18th day of July, A. D. 1870.

KAMEHAMEHA R.