

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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RESOLVES

OF THE

THIRD LEGISLATURE

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE,

PASSED AT THE SESSION,

WHICH COMMENCED ON THE FIRST DAY OF JANUARY, AND ENDED
ON THE ELEVENTH DAY OF FEBRUARY, ONE THOUSAND EIGHT
HUNDRED AND TWENTY THREE.

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RESOLVES.

JANUARY SESSION, 1823.

CHAPTER I.

Resolve relating to the Printing for the State.

Resolved, That the Secretary of State be authorized to contract for the printing necessary to be done for the State, for one year, on such terms as he may judge most advantageous to the State; the accounts to be laid before the next Legislature for allowance.

[*This Resolve passed January 8, 1823.*]

CHAPTER II.

Resolve appointing a Committee to inquire into the doings of the Bangor Bank.

Resolved, That Samuel Trask and Joshua Richardson, Esquires, of Portland, in the County of Cumberland, be a Committee to inquire into, and investigate the doings and situation of the Bangor Bank, incorporated February twenty-sixth, one thousand eight hundred and fourteen. And said Committee are hereby vested with power to examine the books, papers and vaults of said Bank, and to send for all persons, books and papers necessary to a full and complete exhibit of the transactions

and condition of said corporation. And said Committee are to make their report to this Legislature as soon as may be, and to exhibit fully the transactions and condition of said corporation.

[*This Resolve passed January 9, 1823.*]

CHAPTER III.

Resolve authorizing Barrett Potter to sell and convey lands of Elizabeth W. Chase, a minor.

On the petition of Barrett Potter, praying that he may be authorized to sell and make a deed of certain real estate belonging to Elizabeth W. Chase; *Resolved*, For reasons set forth in said petition, that the said Barrett Potter, be, and is hereby authorized and empowered, to sell for the sum of five hundred dollars, the hundred acre lot of land numbered thirty-seven, lying in the town of Minot, County of Cumberland, and State of Maine: And also to sell for the further sum of one thousand dollars, the easterly half of the hundred acre lot of land lying in said Minot, numbered ninety-two, together with one undivided half-part of a saw mill, mill yard and mill privilege on said lot: which, with lot numbered thirty-seven aforesaid, are both the same premises formerly mortgaged by one Nathaniel Ingersoll to George Chase, deceased, and now the property of the said Elizabeth Winslow Chase. And the said Potter, in his said capacity, as Guardian to the said Elizabeth, is hereby fully empowered to make, execute and acknowledge proper and sufficient deeds to convey all the estate and interest which the said Elizabeth W. Chase, has in and to the several lots and premises herein before described: *Provided*, the said Potter shall give bond with sufficient surety or sureties, to the Judge of Probate for the County of York, that he will place the money which he shall receive on sale of said estate, at interest, and account for the securities or money received thereon, at the final settlement of his guardianship account.

[*This Resolve passed January 10, 1823.*]

CHAPTER IV.

Resolve in favor of Nathaniel Tilton.

Resolved, That the sum of one hundred and twenty dollars, be paid to Nathaniel Tilton, as a compensation for the wounds inflicted upon him, while in the faithful execution of a warrant against one John M. Harmon, for the crime of forgery. And the Governor, with advice of Council, is hereby authorized to draw his warrant on the Treasury for the said sum.

[*This Resolve passed January 15, 1823.*]

MESSAGE OF THE GOVERNOR.

To the Senate and House of Representatives,

I lay before the two branches of the Legislature a copy of an unanimous act of the board of Commissioners, appointed under the law separating Maine from Massachusetts, by which a division is made of all the ordnance, arms, and military stores belonging to the two States.

Soon after this division was effected, I received from the Executive of Massachusetts a copy of a resolve, passed by the Legislature of that State, directing and requiring the Adjutant General thereof to deliver over to such person as might be duly authorized by this State to receive the same, the property to which it was entitled by said assignment. These documents, together with the Resolve of the Legislature of this State of the eighth of February last, "respecting the military stores of the State," were submitted to the consideration of the Council, who advised that the Adjutant General of Maine be appointed and authorized to receive from the Adjutant General of Massachusetts, the property mentioned in said assignment.

As no buildings had been provided by the Legislature for its safe keeping and preservation, and no appropriation made to defray the expenses incident to its removal, I was desirous that the ordnance, with its appendages, amounting to upwards of two hundred tons, should remain where it was then deposited, until after the present session. It was, however, on application, ascertained that the continuance of these articles in the arsenals of Massachusetts, would be so inconvenient as to render their removal unavoidable. Conformably therefore to the advice of

Council, the Adjutant General was directed to repair to Boston, and having received the said property, to superintend its transportation to this place, taking care "that every service be done at the lowest expense, to have full and satisfactory vouchers for every payment, and in no case to suffer any useless service to be performed, or unnecessary expense to be paid." The Council further advised to a sale of such part of the powder as would not be necessary for the use of the State; which was accordingly effected, leaving in the arsenal here a quantity, exclusive of fixed ammunition, estimated to be sufficient for three years expenditure. With the proceeds of the sale all the charges of removing the property to this place have been defrayed. The expenses of landing and securing it, after its arrival here, have been partially paid out of the contingent fund, with a small addition out of the money received from the parent State; but the accounts remain unsettled and will be submitted for your consideration.

Previous to the removal of the property, application had been made to the Secretary of War for permission to use two brick buildings in this town, belonging to the United States, which had for a long time remained unoccupied. The permission was granted upon condition that the buildings be retained by the State only during the time they may not be required by the United States, and that they be kept in good repair while they remain in possession of the State. It became necessary to repair these buildings in such a manner as to render one safe, as a magazine for powder only, and the other for fixed ammunition. It was also deemed necessary both for the security of the buildings and the preservation of the heavy ordnance placed near them, to enclose the whole with a substantial empaling. The accounts for these services will also be laid before you. The shot and shells, amounting to upwards of one hundred tons are deposited in a gun-house, belonging to the State, erected many years since, for the use of one of the Companies of Artillery in this town, which has lately been disbanded. This building is situated on land belonging to the town, and the municipal authority have recently suggested a wish for its removal. The subject will require a legislative provision.

The small arms, including our proportion of those already received from the United States, amount to nearly four thousand stands, which, with the accompanying equipments and camp equipage, have been deposited in a secure brick building in this town rented for that purpose; and the residue of the property, such as small ordnance and gun carriages have been secured in a building rented on account of the State in Westbrook. The

whole has been critically examined since its arrival here, and every part put into the best possible state of preservation—and it is presumed no one will doubt the expediency of keeping it in that repair, after having viewed it and become acquainted with its value and importance to the State. Such articles of ordnance and military stores, belonging to the two States as had been during the late war deposited in different places within this State, on the sea coast, and not subsequently withdrawn therefrom, were assigned to Maine and included in the final discharge executed by the Adjutant General. They are however, comparatively of inconsiderable magnitude, and it is apprehended not in the best state of preservation.

Whether it will be best to erect a cheap building to contain all the military property, except the powder and fixed ammunition, or to continue the whole where it is at present deposited, if the buildings can be rented, is a question submitted entirely to the judgment of the Legislature.

In the year eighteen hundred and eight, Congress passed a law appropriating two hundred thousand dollars annually "for the purpose of providing arms and military equipments for the whole body of the Militia of the United States." Owing to circumstances not within the control of the War Department, no distribution of the arms procured under this appropriation has been made for the last six years. In reply to a letter addressed to the Secretary upon this subject, I am assured that it is probable an apportionment will be made within a few months. Our proportion of the arms, now to be distributed, will be about two thousand five hundred stands, which we may calculate upon receiving the present year.

ALBION K. PARRIS,

Council Chamber, January 16, 1823.

CHAPTER V.

Resolve granting a pension to David Sevey.

Resolved, That there be paid out of the Treasury of this State, to David Sevey, of Machias, three dollars a month, annually, for the term of three years, if he shall so long live, commencing on the seventeenth day of March next, as a pension, in consequence of a wound received in the late war, while performing duty in the Machias Artillery: And the Governor,

with advice of Council, is hereby authorized to draw his warrant on the Treasury for payment of the same accordingly.

[*This Resolve passed January 16, 1823.*]

CHAPTER VI.

Resolve authorizing the conveyance of certain State lands to Robert Crosby and Joseph Kinsman.

On the petition of Robert Crosby and Joseph Kinsman: *Resolved*, for reasons set forth in their petition, that the Commissioners on the part of this State, under the act of Separation, or the major part of them, be, and they hereby are authorized and empowered to convey the right and title of the State of Maine, in and to four thousand acres of land, to said Robert Crosby and Joseph Kinsman, in the proportion of three quarters to said Crosby, and one quarter to said Kinsman, in compliance with, and satisfaction of, a contract, made by the Agents of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts and Ichabod Thomas, on the thirteenth day of February, in the year eighteen hundred and sixteen; which contract has been assigned by said Thomas to said Crosby and Kinsman, in the proportions aforesaid, on condition, and provided that said Crosby and Kinsman furnish evidence to said Commissioners of their having performed their part of said contract; and also that the Commonwealth of Massachusetts shall authorize the Commissioners on the part of that State, or the major part of them, to convey to said Crosby and Kinsman, the right and title of said Commonwealth in and to said four thousand acres of land.

[*This Resolve passed January 18, 1823.*]

CHAPTER VII.

Resolve providing for the promulgation and distribution of the Laws and Resolves of the State.

Resolved, That the printed copies of the Acts and Resolves, which are or may be passed or enacted, annually by the Legis-

lature of this State, be distributed by the Secretary of State, as follows, to wit: To the Clerk of each town or plantation which pays a State tax, one copy, for the use of such town or plantation; to each Clerk of the Judicial Courts of this State, one copy for the use of their respective counties; to each Judge of the Supreme Judicial Court, and Court of Common Pleas, one copy; to the Judges of Probate and County Treasurers in the several counties, one copy each, for the use of their respective offices in said county; to the Sheriffs of the several counties, one copy each; to each Gaoler, when he is not the Sheriff, one copy; to the Attorney General and to the several County Attornies, one copy each; to the Reporter of decisions in the Supreme Judicial Court, one copy; to the Secretary of State, Treasurer and Adjutant General, one copy each, for the use of their respective offices; one copy to the Library of Congress; one copy to the Legislatures of each of the United States; one copy to the Governor, and each member of the Council, Senate and House of Representatives, for the time being; and one copy each to the Secretary of the Senate and Clerk of the House of Representatives.

Be it further Resolved, That where any printed copies of the Acts and Resolves, distributed or to be distributed as aforesaid, are designated for the use of any public office, the same copies shall, on the death, resignation or removal of any incumbent, be delivered over to his successor by said incumbent, his executors or administrators, to and for the use of said office.

Be it further Resolved, That the Eastern Argus, a newspaper printed in Portland, be, and the same hereby is, declared to be the public newspaper in this State; in which all advertisements, notices or orders, shall be printed and published, that are or may be by law required to be printed or published in the public newspaper of the printer to the State. And that the laws and resolves, of a public nature, passed by the Legislature of this State, annually, shall be published in said Eastern Argus.

Be it further Resolved, That the printers of the Eastern Argus, and of such other newspapers printed in this State, who shall publish the laws and resolves of a public nature, annually, within six months from the adjournment of the Legislature, shall severally receive therefor, the sum of twelve dollars.

[*This Resolve passed January 20, 1823.*]

CHAPTER VIII.

Resolve confirming the doings of the town of Wilton.

Resolved, That the records of said town are hereby confirmed and made valid, notwithstanding the warrants had no seals, the records want the attestation of the Clerk, and the certificates of the qualification of several officers want the signature of any Justice of the Peace.

[*This Resolve passed January 20, 1823.*]

CHAPTER IX.

Resolve on the petition of Archelaus Lewis and others.

On the petition of Archelaus Lewis, Oliver Buckley, and Moses Quinby, a Committee of the first Congregational parish in Westbrook: *Resolved*, for reasons set forth in said petition, that the present Assessors of said Parish, be, and they hereby are authorized and empowered to issue warrants to James Bailey and Enoch Trickey, late collectors of said parish, or to the collector of the said parish, for the time being, in due form of law, to collect all parish taxes due and unpaid on the parish tax bills, for the years one thousand eight hundred and sixteen, one thousand eight hundred and eighteen, and one thousand eight hundred and nineteen.

[*This Resolve passed January 20, 1823.*]

CHAPTER X.

Resolve granting a pension to John Carleton, second.

Resolved, That there be paid out of the Treasury of this State, to John Carleton, second, of Frankfort, thirty six dollars annually, during three years, commencing on the seventeenth day of March next, if he shall so long live; as a pension in consequence of a wound received in a skirmish with the British troops on the

Penobscot, in the late war. And the Governor, with advice of Council, is hereby authorized to draw his warrant on the Treasury for payment of the same accordingly.

[*This Resolve passed January 20, 1823.*]

CHAPTER XI.

Resolve in favor of Ephraim Currier.

Resolved, That there be paid out of the Treasury of this State, to Ephraim Currier, of Anson, seventy-five dollars, in consequence of an injury sustained while on duty, as a soldier, at a military review, in October, one thousand eight hundred and twenty. And the Governor, with advice of Council, is hereby authorized to draw his warrant on the Treasury for the same.

[*This Resolve passed January 20, 1823.*]

CHAPTER XII.

Resolve granting a pension to Elisha Douglass.

Resolved, That there be paid out of the Treasury of this State, to Elisha Douglass, of Monroe, three dollars a month, annually, for the term of three years, commencing on the first day of October last, as a pension, in consequence of a wound received in a skirmish with the British troops, on the Penobscot, in the late war: *Provided, however*, that said pension shall cease on the death of said Douglass, within said time. And the Governor, with advice of Council, is hereby authorized to draw his warrant on the Treasurer for payment of the same accordingly.

[*This Resolve passed January 20, 1823.*]

CHAPTER XIII.

Resolve in favor of James Bridge.

Upon the memorial of James Bridge: *Resolved*, That there be allowed and paid to James Bridge, Esquire, of Augusta, one hundred and twenty dollars, in full for his services and expenses

for this State, to the present time; on condition that he refund and pay into the Treasury of this State, the sum of three hundred dollars, advanced and paid to him, as one of the Commissioners on the part of this State, pursuant to a Resolve of the twenty-first day of March, eighteen hundred and twenty-one; and upon said sum of three hundred dollars being paid into the Treasury by said Bridge, the Governor, with advice of Council, is authorized to draw his warrant upon the Treasurer for said sum of one hundred and twenty dollars.

[*This Resolve passed January 23, 1823.*]

CHAPTER XIV.

Resolve allowing compensation to Samuel Emerson and Abiel Hall, junior, for medical and surgical services.

Resolved, That there be allowed and paid out of the Treasury of the State, the sum of fifty dollars to Samuel Emerson, and to Abiel Hall, junior, the sum of twenty-six dollars, in full for medical and surgical services, rendered Oliver Perkins, a soldier, wounded while in the performance of his duty; and that the Governor, with the advice of the Council, be requested to draw his warrant on the Treasurer for the same.

[*This Resolve passed January 23, 1823.*]

CHAPTER XV.

Resolve providing for the printing and distribution of Blank Returns of Votes.

Resolved, That the Secretary of State cause to be printed and transmitted to the Selectmen and Town Clerks of the several towns, and to the Assessors and Plantation Clerks of the several plantations in this State, such number of Blank Returns of Votes for Governor, prescribed in a Resolve of March thirteenth, eighteen hundred and twenty-one, as will be sufficient for five years, with the addition of a blank superscription as follows, viz. To ———, Esquire, Secretary of State. This contains a list of votes given by the inhabitants of the [town or plantation, as the

case may be,] of for Governor, on the second Monday of September, 182 . Sealed up in open town meeting, by Selectmen or Assessors of Attest, Town or Plantation Clerk, as the case may be. Also a like number of such Blank Returns of Votes for Senators, with such additional superscription, substituting *Senators* for *Governor*. Also a like number of such Blank Certificates of the election of Representatives, in the Legislature of this State, with such additional superscription, substituting *Representatives in the Legislature of this State* for *Senators*. Also a like number of Blank Returns for Representatives in the Congress of the United States; which Returns shall be in the following form, viz: At a legal meeting of the inhabitants of the [town or plantation, as the case may be,] of in the County of qualified by the Constitution, to vote for Representatives in the Legislature of this State, holden on the day of being the day of said month, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and twenty , the said inhabitants gave in their votes for a Representative, to represent the inhabitants of this State, in the Congress of the United States, for the District; and the same were received, sorted, counted and declared in open [town or plantation] meeting, by the [Selectmen or Assessors] who presided, and in presence of the [town or plantation] Clerk, who formed a list of persons voted for, and made a record thereof, as follows, viz: For . Selectmen or Assessors, (as the case may be.) Attest, Town or Plantation Clerk; together with the aforementioned superscription, substituting *Representatives in the Congress of the United States* for *Representatives in the Legislature of this State*.

[*This Resolve passed January 23, 1823.*]

CHAPTER XVI.

Resolve making valid the doings of the town of Joy.

On the petition of the Selectmen of the town of Joy, stating that in the year eighteen hundred and nineteen, two of the Selectmen, chosen by said town, were not freeholders; and also, that the Collector for the year eighteen hundred and twenty was not sworn into office: *Resolved*, That the doings of the officers of said town, chosen as aforesaid, be, and they are hereby, confirmed and made valid in law, notwithstanding the said omissions.

[*This Resolve passed January 23, 1823.*]

CHAPTER XVII.

Resolve in favor of Joseph Huston.

Resolved, That there be paid out of the Treasury of this State to Joseph Huston, thirty-eight dollars, on account of an injury received while doing military duty ; and the Governor, with the advice of Council, is hereby requested to draw his warrant on the Treasurer for the same.

[*This Resolve passed January 24, 1823.*]

CHAPTER XVIII.

Resolve confirming the doings of the town of Unity.

Whereas it does not appear by the records of said town, that their town officers, in some years, were duly sworn ; and it being presumed the omission arose from mistake : *Resolved*, That the doings and records of said town are hereby confirmed and made valid in law, notwithstanding said omission.

[*This Resolve passed January 24, 1823.*]

CHAPTER XIX.

Resolve confirming the doings of the town of Gilead.

Whereas it does not appear by the Records of said town of Gilead, that the officers of said town, in some years, were duly sworn : Therefore, *Resolved*, That the doings of said town are hereby confirmed and made valid in law, notwithstanding said omission.

[*This Resolve passed January 27, 1823.*]

CHAPTER XX.

Resolve confirming the doings of the town of Putnam.

Whereas it appears by the petition of the Selectmen of the town of Putnam, in the County of Lincoln, that the doings of said town have been in some particulars informal or illegal ;

in that the Assessors of said town, have in some instances, overlaid more than five per cent. but never exceeding ten per cent. of certain taxes assessed, and that in some years, the Assessors have neglected to deposit in the Town Clerk's Office, the valuation and a copy of the tax by them assessed, within the year ; and that, in some instances, the town Clerks in recording the warrants for calling town meetings have neglected to affix the impressions of the seals thereto : *Resolved*, That the records of said town, and the doings of their officers, be, and the same hereby are confirmed and made valid in law, notwithstanding the irregularities above recited.

[*This Resolve passed January 27, 1823.*]

CHAPTER XXI.

Resolve in favor of Amos Nichols.

Resolved, That there be paid to Amos Nichols, Esquire, out of the Treasury of the State, one hundred and sixty-three dollars, in full compensation for engrossing and other services in the office of the Secretary of State, ending March thirty-first, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and twenty-two. And the Governor, with advice of Council, is hereby authorized to draw his warrant on the Treasurer for said sum.

[*This Resolve passed January 31, 1823.*]

CHAPTER XXII.

Resolve authorizing Supply Walker to convey a lot of land.

Resolved, That said Supply Walker, be, and he is hereby authorized to make a deed, conveying to James Deering fifty acres of land, being the westerly end of lot numbered three, in the first range of Academy land in Denmark, being the same now in possession of said Deering ; and such deed, duly executed and acknowledged, shall be valid and effectual in law, notwithstanding said Walker is under guardianship as a spendthrift : *Provided*, said Deering shall first release the said Walker from the covenants in another deed, which was intended to convey the land aforesaid.

[*This Resolve passed January 31, 1823.*]

CHAPTER XXIII.

Resolve in favor of Valentine Cook.

Resolved, That there be allowed and paid out of the Treasury of this State, to Valentine Cook, three dollars per month, for three years, to commence on the first day of February next, in consequence of a wound received while on military duty; and that the Governor, with the advice of Council, is hereby requested to draw his warrant on the Treasurer for the same, annually.

[*This Resolve passed January 31, 1823.*]

CHAPTER XXIV.

Resolve authorizing the Court of Common Pleas and Supreme Judicial Court to admit certain persons to practise in said Courts, respectively.

Upon the petitions and application of Daniel M. Christie, Mellen Chamberlain, and Charles O. Emerson: *Resolved*, for the reasons set forth in said petitions and application, that the said Court of Common Pleas, be, and it is hereby authorized to admit the said Daniel M. Christie, Charles O. Emerson, and Mellen Chamberlain, to practise as Attornies in said Court, notwithstanding they have not spent two years in professional studies in the office of a Counsellor at law within this State; they complying with the requisitions of the law in other respects.

And be it further Resolved, That the Supreme Judicial Court, be, and it is hereby authorized to admit the said Daniel M. Christie, Mellen Chamberlain, and Charles O. Emerson, to practise as Attornies in said Court, whenever they respectively shall have practised in the said Court of Common Pleas for the term of two years: *Provided*, they shall comply with the requisitions of law, and the rules of said Supreme Judicial Court, in other respects.

[*This Resolve passed January 31, 1823.*]

CHAPTER XXV.

Resolve in favor of Samuel Trask and Joshua Richardson.

Resolved, That there be allowed and paid out of the Treasury of the State, to Samuel Trask and Joshua Richardson, in full for their services and expenses as a Committee to investigate the concerns of the Bangor Bank, under a Resolve passed the ninth of January instant, the sum of one hundred, thirty-four dollars and fourteen cents; and that the Governor, with the advice of Council, be requested to draw his warrant on the Treasurer accordingly.

[*This Resolve passed February 5, 1823.*]

CHAPTER XXVI.

Resolve in favor of Todd and Smith.

Resolved, That there be paid out of the Treasury of this State, to Todd and Smith, Printers to the State, five hundred dollars, on account of the State printing for the current year; the same to be accounted for, by the said Todd and Smith, at the next session of the Legislature; and the Governor, with advice of Council, is hereby requested to draw his warrant on the Treasurer for the same.

[*This Resolve passed February 5, 1823.*]

CHAPTER XXVII.

Resolve authorizing the administrators of the estate of Thomas Cutts, deceased, to convey certain real estate.

Whereas Thomas G. Thornton, Thomas Cutts, and Ether Shepley, administrators of the estate of Thomas Cutts, late of Saco, in the county of York, Esquire, deceased, have, by their petition, represented, that the said deceased, during his lifetime, on the fourth day of December, one thousand eight hundred and twenty, bargained and sold to Benjamin M'Donald two lots of land,

situated in Baldwin, being lots number five and six, in the eighth range, east, containing one hundred acres each, for the sum of eleven hundred dollars; that a deed was written and forwarded to said Cutts by his agent, for his signature, a few days before his death; that said M'Donald gave security for payment of the money, had paid a part thereof, and was ready to pay the remainder; that no obligation under the seal of said Cutts was given to said M'Donald, although there was written evidence of said contract: And whereas said petitioners further represented, that, on the fourth day of February, one thousand eight hundred and seven, Josiah Milliken, of Baldwin, conveyed by absolute deed to the said Cutts, deceased, to secure the payment of a sum of money due from said Milliken to said Cutts; that said Cutts, at the same time, agreed in writing with said Milliken, that, upon payment of the sum due him, he would by deed of release, relinquish all title to two lots of land in Baldwin; one a tract of sixty acres, being part of lot number fifteen, in the second range, the other containing fifty acres, being the same John Messerve sold said Milliken; that said Milliken had entirely paid to said Cutts, during his lifetime, and to said administrators, all monies due from him to said Cutts: and further, that said Cutts, during his lifetime, contracted by writing, without seal, to convey a certain tract of land to Isaac Goodrich, described in said writing, in the possession of said Goodrich, and that said Goodrich had performed, or was ready to perform, all on his part to be performed, and was desirous of having said contract fulfilled:

Therefore, Resolved, That, for reasons assigned by said petitioners, they, as administrators of the estate of the said Thomas Cutts, deceased, be, and they hereby are authorized and empowered to make and execute good and sufficient deeds to the several persons named in their said petition, respectively, of the several lots or parcels of land to which they are, or may be, respectively, entitled, according to the terms of their several contracts or agreements with said deceased: *Provided*, Said administrators shall be first satisfied that all and several the agreements, stipulations, or payments required, shall have been performed on the part of those to whom such deeds are to be given, by virtue of this Resolve.

[*This Resolve passed February 5, 1823.*]

CHAPTER XXVIII.

Resolve authorizing the town of Sullivan to abate the taxes on Sullivan Bridge.

Resolved, That the Assessors of taxes of the town of Sullivan, with the assent of said town, be, and they are hereby authorized to omit the Bridge lately erected over Taunton Bay, in said Sullivan, by John Sargent, in the valuation and assessment of all State, County and Town taxes, until a new State valuation shall be taken.

[*This Resolve passed February 5, 1823.*]

CHAPTER XXIX.

Resolve authorizing Barrett Potter to settle an administration account, and a Guardianship account, before the Judge of Probate for the County of York.

On the petition of Barrett Potter, praying that provision may be made for him to settle and close the administration of the estate of George Chase, late of Portland, in the County of Cumberland, deceased, and settle an account as Guardian to Elizabeth W. Chase, a minor, before the Judge of Probate for the County of York: *Resolved*, For reasons set forth in said Petition, that the Judge of Probate for the County of York, shall have, and hereby is given the same jurisdiction and power, in regard to the settlement of the estate of the said George Chase, deceased; and also in respect to the settlement of the said Potter's account, as Guardian to the said Elizabeth W. Chase, his removal from said trust of Guardian, and the appointment of some other person thereto, that he would have in cases arising within his own County; and the same power therein, in every respect, that is given to a Judge of Probate for the most ancient next adjoining County, by the second section of the Act entitled "An Act to regulate the jurisdiction and proceedings of the Courts of Probate," in cases wherever a Judge of Probate is interested as heir, legatee, creditor or debtor.

[*This Resolve passed February 5, 1823.*]

CHAPTER XXX.

Resolve for purchasing Greenleaf's Reports.

Resolved, That the Secretary of State be, and he hereby is, authorized to purchase three hundred copies of Greenleaf's Reports of the decisions of the Supreme Judicial Court of the State of Maine, and to distribute to each town and organized plantation, one copy thereof: *Provided*, said Reports can be obtained for a sum not exceeding two dollars per volume. And the sum of six hundred dollars is hereby appropriated for that purpose: And the Governor, upon satisfactory evidence being exhibited to him, that said Reports shall have been deposited in the Secretary's office, for the use of the State, is hereby authorized and requested, with advice of Council, to draw his warrant on the Treasury accordingly.

[*This Resolve passed February 5, 1823.*]

CHAPTER XXXI.

Resolve allowing compensation to Daniel Rose and others, for certain services.

Resolved, That there be allowed and paid out of the Treasury of the State, to Daniel Rose, the sum of one hundred and fifteen dollars; to Benjamin Greene, one hundred and seventy-five dollars; and to John Chandler, seventy dollars, in full for their services and expenses as a Committee, appointed by the Governor and Council, agreeably to a Resolve of the last Legislature, to collect information, and investigate the subject of the punishment of convicts, and the establishment of a State Prison or Penitentiary; and also the subject of the location of the Seat of Government: And that the Governor, with the advice of Council, be requested to draw his warrant on the Treasury accordingly.

[*This Resolve passed February 5, 1823.*]

CHAPTER XXXII.

Resolve for the relief of John Brown and Samuel Bennett, junior.

Resolved, That there be allowed and paid out of the Treasury of the State, to John Brown and Samuel Bennett, junior,

sixty dollars in full of their claims against this State for abatement of certain State Taxes, assessed upon them in the years from eighteen hundred and twelve to eighteen hundred and fifteen, both inclusive: And the Governor, with advice of Council, is hereby requested to draw his warrant on the Treasurer accordingly.

[*This Resolve passed February 5, 1823.*]

CHAPTER XXXIII.

Resolve respecting contracts for sale of Public Lands.

Whereas sundry contracts have been made by certain persons with the Commissioners of the Land Office of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, to purchase certain public lands, a part of which have, by the Commissioners under the Act of Separation, been divided and set off to this State: Therefore,

Resolved, That the Governor, or such Agent as he may appoint, be, and he is hereby authorized and empowered, to make and execute good and sufficient deeds, in behalf of this State, of such lands belonging thereto, as have been contracted for with said Commissioners, and the conditions of the contract shall have been performed on the part of such contractors: And in case any person or persons having contracted in manner aforesaid, have not yet complied with the terms and conditions thereof, the Governor, or Agent aforesaid, may, notwithstanding such delinquency, make and execute deeds in manner aforesaid, provided such persons, having contracted as aforesaid, shall at any time within two years from the passing of this Resolve, comply with the terms and conditions of their several contracts.

[*This Resolve passed February 5, 1823.*]

CHAPTER XXXIV.

Resolve providing for the procurement of certain documents.

Resolved, That James L. Child, Esquire, the present Secretary of the Board of Commissioners under the Act relating to the Separation of the District of Maine from Massachusetts, be authorized and directed to make a copy of all such field books,

minutes of surveys, and other documents in the public offices in Massachusetts and elsewhere, as the Commissioners under said act, appointed on the part of Maine, may deem important to illustrate the situation, extent, description, and value of the lands divided and set off to this State; and that he deposit the same in the office of the Secretary of this State; and that he receive for such services, the same compensation he is now allowed as Secretary of said Board. And the Governor, with the advice of Council, on receiving his account allowed and certified by said Commissioners, on the part of Maine, is authorized and empowered to draw a warrant in his favor on the Treasurer for the same.

[*This Resolve passed February 5, 1823.*]

CHAPTER XXXV.

Resolve authorizing release of certain land to John Perham.

On the petition of John Perham, of Jefferson, in the county of Lincoln, praying that George Reed, of Nobleborough, in said county, administrator on the estate of Richard Powers, deceased, may be authorized to release to said Perham, certain real estate by him formerly conveyed to said Powers:

Resolved, For reasons set forth in the petition aforesaid, that said George Reed, administrator on the estate of said Richard Powers, be, and he is hereby authorized and empowered, by deed under his hand and seal, to release and convey to said John Perham, all the right, title and interest, which the said Powers had in the following described real estate, to wit: bounded, beginning at a pine tree, by the highway leading to the town of Palermo; thence running southwest by John Whitehouse's land, seventy-three poles to land belonging to James Kavanaugh; thence by said Kavanaugh's land, and land belonging to Daniel Noyes, northwest one hundred forty-two rods to a stake and stones; thence running northeast seventy-three rods to David Murphy's line to the said highway; thence down said highway southeast one hundred forty-two rods to the first mentioned bounds, containing seventy acres of land more or less. *Provided*, it shall appear to the satisfaction of the said administrator, that the money or debts for which the said land was originally conveyed as security for the payment thereof, have been paid and satisfied: And the deed or release, made pursuant to this Resolve, shall be

good and effectual in law to vest in the said Perham all the right, title and interest which the said Powers had in and to said estate.

[*This Resolve passed February 5, 1823.*]

CHAPTER XXXVI.

Resolve to ascertain the number of Deaf and Dumb persons in this State.

Resolved, That the Selectmen of the several towns, and the Assessors of plantations in this State, be required to ascertain the number of Deaf and Dumb persons within their respective towns and plantations, and report the same to the Secretary of State, on or before the second Wednesday of the first session of the next Legislature; specifying the age and sex of such persons, their situation, and that of their near relatives, in point of property. And the Secretary of State is hereby directed to cause to be printed a sufficient number of this Resolve, and to transmit the same, as soon as may be, to the Selectmen of the several towns, and the Assessors of plantations in this State, and to make report to the next Legislature, of all returns he may receive in pursuance of this Resolve.

[*This Resolve passed February 6, 1823.*]

CHAPTER XXXVII.

Resolve respecting the purchase of a standard of Weights and Measures.

Resolved, That the Treasurer of this State be, and he is hereby authorized, if he see fit, to omit purchasing a public Standard of Weights and Measures for the use of this State, until the meeting of the next Legislature.

[*This Resolve passed February 8, 1823.*]

MESSAGE OF THE GOVERNOR.

To the Senate and House of Representatives,

I lay before you a copy of the report of the Commissioners of Massachusetts and this State, showing their progress in dividing the public lands, together with copies of the documents and plan therein referred to.

As a portion of these lands are now held in severalty by this State, the Legislature will perhaps deem it advisable to adopt some plan for their management and sale, as well as for the better preservation of the timber. Many of the reserved lots, which have fallen to the share of this State, being in towns already settled with an enterprising population, may probably be sold to actual settlers, at an advantageous rate. Indeed it is desirable that all our public lands should be disposed of, to those who will settle on and improve them, rather than to the speculator.

There are no documents in the possession of this State, by which the value and situation of these reserved lots can be ascertained, or by which it can be determined whether, as is required by the several grants, they bear an equal proportion in quality to the residue of the tract granted.

There have likewise been assigned to this State sundry agreements for the sale of lands, and the monies now due, or which may hereafter become due thereon. Whenever the several payments thereby secured shall have been completed, the purchasers will be entitled to deeds, according to the terms of their respective contracts. It will therefore be necessary to make the requisite provision for the execution of such deeds, so far as it is to be done on the part of this State.

The Commissioners have also set off so much of the land falling to the share of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, upon the division of the public lands already made, as in their estimation is of the value of thirty thousand dollars, to the end that the said Commonwealth may be enabled to assign the same to this State, or in lieu thereof, pay the said sum at its election, as an indemnification to Maine, for having assumed to perform all the duties and obligations of the Commonwealth towards the Indians. I also lay before you a copy of this act of the Commissioners, from which you will perceive the rate at which the estimate was made. As the Commonwealth has the right to make the election at any time within one year, there is probably no reason to expect any further information upon this subject, during the present session.

It is understood that the Commissioners do not contemplate making any very considerable surveys or division of the public lands, the ensuing season, and it is presumed, therefore, that the necessary expenses in this business the present, will be much less than the last year. Until the north-eastern boundary of this State shall be settled, there can be no final division of these lands, and until then, it is believed, there will be no urgent necessity for any considerable expenditures, under this commission.

Although no progress has been made in the adjustment of that boundary the past year, there is reason to believe, that every thing within the power of our government, has been and will be done, to bring the subject to a speedy and an equitable settlement. The Commissioners having suggested the expediency of selling the public land and buildings in the town of Portland, upon such terms, and in such manner, as will best secure the value thereof to the two States, the attention of the Legislature is called to that part of their communication, which relates to this subject. The buildings are in a decaying situation, and unless sold will require immediate repairs.

ALBION K. PARRIS.

Council Chamber, January 13, 1823.

CHAPTER XXXVIII.

Resolve authorizing the sale of State Lands, and for other purposes.

Resolved, That the Governor, with the advice of Council, be, and he hereby is authorized and empowered to appoint such Agent or Agents as to him may seem expedient, from time to time, for the preservation, and to prevent the destruction of timber and grass standing or growing on the Public Lands; and such Agent or Agents shall give bond to the Treasurer of the State, to the satisfaction of the Governor and Council, for the faithful discharge of their duty; and shall annually exhibit to the Legislature a statement of their proceedings, and a fair account of receipts and expenditures.

Be it further Resolved, That the lands and tenements owned by this State in common with Massachusetts, situated in the town of Portland, shall and may be sold, under the direction of the Governor, or such Agent as he may appoint, as soon as may be,

either in conjunction with the State of Massachusetts, or such Agent as may be appointed by that State for the like purpose ; or in such other manner as to the Governor may seem most for the interest of this State.

Be it further Resolved, That the lands set off by the Commissioners under the Act of Separation, to be held by this State in severalty, shall and may be sold in lots, not exceeding five hundred acres each, and to actual settlers only ; in such manner and under such restrictions, as the Governor may from time to time direct. And the Governor is hereby authorized and empowered to make and execute good and sufficient deeds to purchasers, in either of the above cases, whenever such purchasers shall have complied with the conditions of sale : And the Resolve passed February the sixth, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and twenty-two, be and the same is hereby repealed, and no former Resolve shall be deemed revived by this repeal.

[*This Resolve passed February 8, 1823.*]

CHAPTER XXXIX.

Resolve in favor of the Passamaquoddy Indians.

Resolved, That the Governor be, and he is hereby authorized to cause to be expended such sum of money, as he may think proper, not exceeding fifty dollars annually, for the relief of the sick and indigent of the Passamaquoddy tribe of Indians, for the term of three years : And also such further sum, as he may think proper, not exceeding one hundred and fifty dollars, for the improvement and instruction of said Indians in the English language, and for their encouragement and assistance in Agriculture : And the Governor, with the advice of Council, is hereby authorized to draw his warrant on the Treasurer for said sums, or such parts thereof, as he may from time to time think proper.

[*This Resolve passed February 8, 1823.*]

CHAPTER XL.

Resolve authorizing the sale of a Gun House belonging to the State.

Resolved, That the Governor be, and he hereby is authorized to sell, or cause to be sold, a Gun House belonging to the State,

situated on land in Portland, belonging to that town; and any other military property, which he shall think most for the interest of the State, to be disposed of; and to cause the proceeds of such sale to be paid into the Treasury of the State: *Provided*, such sale be made within one year from the date hereof.

[*This Resolve passed February 8, 1823.*]

CHAPTER XLI.

Resolve in favor of the Treasurer of the State, and Adjutant General.

Resolved, That there be paid out of the Treasury of the State, to the Adjutant General three hundred dollars; and to the Treasurer of the State one hundred dollars; in full compensation to the Adjutant General for services as acting Quarter Master General, and for Clerk hire; and in full compensation to the Treasurer for Clerk hire; in their respective departments, for the year ending on the thirty-first day of December, eighteen hundred and twenty-two: And the Governor, with the advice of Council, is hereby authorized to draw his warrant on the Treasury accordingly for said sums.

[*This Resolve passed February 10, 1823.*]

CHAPTER XLII.

Resolve respecting Claims assigned by the Commonwealth of Massachusetts to the State of Maine.

Whereas, by a Resolve of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, passed June fifteenth, in the year of our Lord eighteen hundred and twenty-two, the State of Maine was entitled to have and receive all such sums of money, dues, claims, and demands belonging to said Commonwealth, from the Treasurers of the several counties now within the State of Maine, Justices of the Peace, Clerks of the several Courts, and County Attornies for the several counties, now in said State; and also from any per-

son or persons now or heretofore Sheriffs, or Gaolers of any county, of said State, for fines, forfeitures and bills of costs in criminal prosecutions; and the said officers or persons as aforesaid, by said Resolve were directed and required to pay over all such sums of money, dues, claims, and demands as aforesaid, to such person or persons as may be authorized by said State of Maine to receive the same: And whereas it is for the interest of this State, that said claims should be collected and adjusted as speedily as may be—

Therefore Resolved, That the Governor be, and he hereby is authorized and empowered to appoint two discreet persons in each county in this State, whose duty it shall be, and they are hereby authorized to collect and adjust all the claims aforesaid in their respective counties, and upon receipt of the amount due from any of the officers aforesaid, to give discharges therefor; and it shall also be the duty of the persons thus to be appointed, to render to the Governor and Council a just and accurate account of all sums by them received, and pay the same into the Treasury of the State, on or before the first day of October next; and if said persons, so appointed, shall not then have collected all sums, due as aforesaid, they shall also render to the Governor and Council an account of the sums uncollected, and the names of the persons delinquent.

[*This Resolve passed February 10, 1823.*]

CHAPTER XLIII.

Resolve for the admission of Josiah Hacker to practise Law in the Court of Common Pleas.

Resolved, For reasons set forth in said Hacker's petition, that the Justices of the said Court are hereby authorized to admit said Hacker, to practice law as an Attorney therein; he paying the duty required by law, and continuing his study of the law for the term of ten weeks in the office of a Counsellor at law in this State.

[*This Resolve passed February 10, 1823.*]

CHAPTER XLIV.

Resolve in favor of Benjamin J. Porter.

Upon the petition of Benjamin J. Porter: *Resolved*, That there be, and hereby is allowed to Benjamin J. Porter, Esquire, the sum of two hundred and twenty-nine dollars and sixty-two cents, in full satisfaction and discharge of all his claims against the State, for services and expenses: And the Governor, with advice of Council, is hereby authorized to draw his warrant on the Treasury for said sum, on condition that said Porter first pay into the Treasury the sum of three hundred dollars advanced to him in pursuance of a Resolve of 21st March, 1821.

[*This Resolve passed February 10, 1823.*]

 CHAPTER XLV.

Resolve correcting the valuation of Washington and Somerset counties.

Whereas it appears that township No. 1, second range, in Washington county, and one half of township No. 8, ninth range, in Somerset county, were at the time they were valued by the State valuation Committee, the joint property of Massachusetts and Maine:

Resolved, Therefore, that four thousand three hundred and fifty-two dollars be deducted from the estimate of Washington county, and one thousand seven hundred dollars be deducted from the estimate of Somerset county; and that the Treasurer of this State be authorized and directed to abate the taxes assessed on said townships.

[*This Resolve passed February 10, 1823.*]

 CHAPTER XLVI.

Resolve relating to the erection of a Jail in the county of York.

Resolved, That whenever the Court of Sessions for the county of York, during the time the Judicial Courts for the said county

shall continue to be holden at two different places, shall adjudge the erection of a new Jail at any place whatsoever in said county, to be of public convenience and necessity, they shall prior to the erection of such Jail, designate the place at which such Jail should be erected, and give notice in writing of such adjudication and designation, to the Selectmen of each town in said county; and in relation to such adjudication, designation, and erection, it shall be the duty of the said Court of Sessions, and Selectmen respectively, and the Clerks of the several towns to conform to the provisions of law, contained in the latter part of the first section of an "Act in addition to an act to establish Courts of Sessions," passed February eighth, eighteen hundred and twenty-two. And it shall be the duty of the Secretary of State to transmit a copy of this Resolve to the Clerk of the Judicial Courts for said county, who shall lay the same before the said Court of Sessions, to be holden on the Tuesday preceding the last Monday of May next.

[*This Resolve passed February 10, 1823.*]

CHAPTER XLVII.

Resolve authorizing the appointment of an Agent to represent the Claim of this State upon the United States for expenses incurred by Massachusetts during the late War.

Resolved, That the Governor, with advice of Council, be, and he is hereby authorized to appoint some suitable person to represent this State at the War Department, and to procure if practicable, the allowance of the just claims of this State upon the United States, for reimbursement of expenses incurred by the Commonwealth of Massachusetts during the late war.

[*This Resolve passed February 10, 1823.*]

ROLL No. 4...January, 1823.

THE Committee on Accounts having examined the several accounts they now present,

REPORT : That there is now due to the corporations and persons hereinafter mentioned, the sums set to their names respectively ; which when allowed and paid will be in full discharge of said accounts, to the several dates therein mentioned ; which is respectfully submitted.

ISAAC CASE, *Chairman.*

PAUPER ACCOUNTS.

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| <i>Fairfield</i> , town of, For support of Elizabeth Blackwell, and Benjamin Noble, | 64 00 |
| <i>Frankfort</i> , town of, For supporting H. Colson and Anna Crane, State paupers, | 44 10 |
| <i>Farmington</i> , town of, To March 21, 1821, | 12 38 |
| <i>Topsham</i> , town of, From January 1, 1820, to March 21, 1821, | 71 79 |
| Doctors Stevens and Hanscomb, for Medicine, &c. rendered Phebe Jarvis, town of Winslow, | 12 00 |
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MILITARY ACCOUNTS.

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| Cony, Samuel, Acting Quarter Master General for moneys laid out and expenses incurred in removing Military Stores belonging to the State from Boston to Portland, being the balance due on his account, | 394 84 |
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COURTS MARTIAL.

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| Holmes, Henry, Judge Advocate, 1st Division, Pay Roll of Court Martial, held at Shapleigh, 18th June, 1822, whereof Col. Henry Clark, was President, | 123 49 |
| Johnson, Alfred jr. Judge Advocate, 3d Division, Pay Roll of Court Martial, held at Steuben, April 9, 1822, whereof Col. Joseph Adams was President, | 133 91 |
| Johnson, Alfred jr. same, Pay Roll of Court Martial, held at Castine, March 8, 1822, whereof Col. Robert H. Wood was President, | 132 95 |
| Same, Pay Roll of Court Martial, held at Castine, July 4, 1822, whereof Col. Elijah P. Pike was President, | 154 35 |
| Same, Pay Roll of Court Martial, held at Bangor, January 14, 1823, whereof Major Joseph Treat was President. | 253 79 |

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| Porter, William K. Judge Advocate, 6th Division, Pay Roll of Court Martial, held at Paris, December 4th, 1821, whereof Col. Ichabod Bonney was President, | 772 86 |
| Sewall, Joseph, Judge Advocate, 4th Division, Pay Roll of Court Martial, held at Nobleborough, November 5th, 1822, whereof Col. Jonas Wheeler was President, | 110 67 |
| Same, Pay Roll of Court Martial, held at Brunswick, December 24, 1822, and by adjournment January 21, 1823, whereof Maj. Gen. Samuel Fessenden was President | 602 22 |
| Sprague, Peleg, Judge Advocate, 2d Division, Pay Roll, Court Martial, held at Bloomfield, 23d April, 1822, whereof Col. Gideon Farrell was President, | 211 53 |
| Same, Pay Roll of Court of Enquiry, held at Waterville, Dec. 24, 1822, whereof Brigadier General Jesse Robinson was President, | 146 01 |
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AIDS-DE-CAMP TO MAJOR GENERALS.

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| Fogg, Simon - - - - 1822 - - - - | 50 00 |
| Mellen, John W. - - - - " - - - - | 50 00 |
| Prince, Job jun. - - - - " - - - - | 50 00 |
| Sewall, Joseph - - - - " - - - - | 50 00 |
| Vose, Robert C. - - - - " - - - - | 41 67 |
| Ware, William R. 1821, 1822, and to January 1, 1823, | 127 74 |
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BRIGADE INSPECTORS.

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| Balkam, John A. - - - - 1822 - - - - | 20 00 |
| Clark, Joseph - - - - " - - - - | 20 00 |
| Eveleth, Nathaniel 3d. - - - - 1821 and 1822 - - - - | 40 00 |
| Herrick, Benjamin J. - - - - 1822 - - - - | 20 00 |
| Knight, Peter M. - - - - " - - - - | 15 00 |
| Knight, Peter M. - - - - " - - - - | 20 00 |
| Morse, William - - - - " - - - - | 20 00 |
| Otis, Ensign - - - - " - - - - | 20 00 |
| Pollard, Oliver - - - - " - - - - | 20 00 |
| Treat, Joseph - - - - " - - - - | 20 00 |
| Walker, Nathaniel - - - - 1821 and 1822 - - - - | 40 00 |
| Wheelwright, George - - - - 1822 - - - - | 20 00 |
| Woods, John F. - - - - " - - - - | 20 00 |
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BRIGADE QUARTER MASTERS.

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| Bodwell, John W. - - - - 1822 - - - - | 10 00 |
| Gleason, Jesse - - - - 1821 and 1822 - - - - | 20 00 |
| Hall, Paul - - - - 1822 - - - - | 10 00 |
| Hallet, Watson F. - - - - " - - - - | 10 00 |
| Leavitt, Isaac - - - - 1821 and 1822 - - - - | 20 00 |
| Quincy, William J. - - - - 1822 - - - - | 10 00 |
| Russ, John - - - - " " - - - - | 10 00 |
| Russell, William - - - - 1821 and 1822 - - - - | 20 00 |
| Stimpson, Joseph - - - - 1822 - - - - | 10 00 |

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| Smith, George | - - - | 1822 | - - | 10 00 |
| Wellington, John | - - - | " | - - | 10 00 |
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AIDS-DE-CAMP TO BRIGADIER GENERALS.

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| Conant, Alvah | - - - | 1822 | - - | 20 00 |
| Cunningham, William | - - - | " | - - | 21 50 |
| Evans, George | - - - | 1821 and 1822 | - - | 40 00 |
| Fiske, John | - - - | " | " | 40 00 |
| Jewett, Luther | - - - | 1822 | - - | 5 00 |
| Lucius, Loring | - - - | 1821 and 1822, | - - | 40 00 |
| Lunt, Amos | - - - | 1822 | - - | 15 00 |
| Rogers, George | - - - | " | - - | 20 00 |
| Tyler, Daniel | - - - | " | - - | 14 6 |
| Wheelright, George | - - - | " | - - | 20 00 |
| White, John | - - - | " | - - | 20 00 |
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ADJUTANTS OF REGIMENTS AND BATTALIONS.

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| Adams, Isaac | - - - | 1821 and 1822, | - - | 50 00 |
| Bradbury, William | - - - | 1822 | - - | 10 00 |
| Bucknam, Calvin | - - - | " | - - | 15 00 |
| Backus, Zenas | - - - | " | - - | 25 00 |
| Blanchard, John | - - - | " | - - | 25 00 |
| Bradford, Hira | - - - | 1821 | - - | 15 00 |
| Bourne, Edward E. | - - - | 1822 | - - | 15 00 |
| Black, Edmund | - - - | 1821 and 1822 | - - | 50 00 |
| Brooks, Jeremiah | - - - | 1822 | - - | 25 00 |
| Balkham, John A. | - - - | 1821 and 1822 | - - | 50 00 |
| Berry, William | - - - | " | " | 43 27 |
| Chick, James B. | - - - | " | " | 34 34 |
| Campbell, Daniel | - - - | 1822 | - - | 25 00 |
| Chase, James | - - - | 1821 and 1822 | - - | 50 00 |
| Cram, Levi | - - - | 1822 | - - | 15 00 |
| Davis, Joseph W. | - - - | " | - - | 25 00 |
| Dustin, Charles M. | - - - | 1821 and 1822 | - - | 37 50 |
| Farnsworth, Samuel | - - - | 1820, 1821 and 1822 | - - | 73 30 |
| Fales, Eusebius | - - - | 1821 | - - | 11 14 |
| Fletcher, Joel | - - - | 1821 and 1822 | - - | 30 00 |
| Gerrish, William | - - - | " | " | 30 00 |
| Greene, Henry B. C. | - - - | 1822 | - - | 25 00 |
| Goodwin, Elisha H. | - - - | " | - - | 25 00 |
| Hapgood, Sprout | - - - | " | - - | 10 10 |
| Healey, Halsey | - - - | 1820 and 1821 | - - | 22 27 |
| Hammond, Moses | - - - | 1822 | - - | 25 00 |
| Hunton, J. G. | - - - | 1821 and 1822 | - - | 50 00 |
| Haskins, Robert R. | - - - | 1822 | - - | 15 00 |
| Herrick, Benjamin J. | - - - | " | - - | 15 00 |
| Isley, Hosea | - - - | 1821 and 1822 | - - | 33 33 |
| Jordan, John | - - - | 1822 | - - | 10 00 |
| Jones, Joseph | - - - | 1821 and 1822 | - - | 33 33 |
| Jefferds, Ivory | - - - | 1822 | - - | 25 00 |
| Kimball, Moses F. | - - - | " | - - | 25 00 |
| Keith, Joseph | - - - | " | - - | 25 00 |

MILITARY ACCOUNTS.

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| Larrabee, Josiah | 1821 and 1822 | 61 32 |
| Libby, Nathan | 1822 | 25 00 |
| Lyon, Alpheus | " | 25 00 |
| Lee, Stephen Jun. | " | 25 00 |
| Loring, David | " | 15 00 |
| Low, Ephraim Jun. | " | 25 00 |
| Mitchell, Isaac | " | 25 00 |
| Merrill, Eli | 1821 and 1822 | 31 25 |
| Norton, Elihu | 1822 | 25 00 |
| Quinnam, Daniel | " | 25 00 |
| Robinson, Elijah | " | 25 00 |
| Richardson, George F. | 1821 and 1822 | 30 00 |
| Raymond, Aaron L. | " " | 37 50 |
| Rawson, Horace | 1822 | 25 00 |
| Robinson, William E. | 1821 and 1822 | 50 00 |
| Russell, Enoch | 1822 | 25 00 |
| Robinson, Ebenezer D. | " | 25 00 |
| Stacy, Samuel Jun. | " | 15 00 |
| Sewall, William D. | " | 16 66 |
| Sewall, Oliver | " | 25 00 |
| Smith, Edwin | 1821 and 1822 | 30 00 |
| Sanger, Zebulon | " " | 37 50 |
| Simpson, George | 1822 | 25 00 |
| Smith, James | " | 25 00 |
| Staples, Josiah | " | 10 41 |
| Treadwell, Thomas | 1821 and 1822 | 45 51 |
| Thomes, Job | 1822 | 25 00 |
| Tinker, Richard | " | 12 50 |
| Upton, John | " | 25 00 |
| Ware, Abel | 1821 and 1822 | 50 00 |
| Waterman, Daniel | 1822 | 25 00 |
| Wyman, Levi | " | 25 00 |
| Wilde, William C. | 1821 | 12 50 |
| Ware, John | 1821 and 1822 | 30 00 |
| Weeks, Joshua F. | 1822 | 15 00 |

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QUARTER MASTERS OF REGIMENTS AND BATTALIONS.

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| Allen, Francis A. | 1822 | 10 00 |
| Bodwell, John W. | " | 10 00 |
| Blackwell, Asa | 1821 and 1822 | 20 00 |
| Blake, John S. | " | 20 00 |
| Blackington, James W. | " " | 20 00 |
| Chick, Elisha | 1821 | 10 00 |
| Cottrill, John | 1822 | 10 00 |
| Crane, William | 1821 and 1822 | 20 00 |
| Cleaves, John F. | " " | 20 00 |
| Clark, Samuel Jun. | 1822 | 10 00 |
| Cornforth, Richard | " | 10 00 |
| Colby, Benjamin | " | 10 00 |
| Goodwin, F. L. B. | " | 10 00 |
| Gerrish, Oliver | " | 10 00 |
| Hammond, Jonathan | " | 10 00 |
| Hallet, Elisha | 1821 and 1822 | 20 00 |
| Haskell, Solomon | 1822 | 10 00 |

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| Hastings, John | 1822 | 10 00 |
| Hastings, Timothy | 1821 | 10 00 |
| Ireland, Benjamin | 1822 | 10 00 |
| Jack, Robert | " | 10 00 |
| Jellison, William | " | 10 00 |
| Lancy, John | 1821 and 1822 | 20 00 |
| Lowell, Mark | " " | 20 00 |
| Means, John | 1822 | 10 00 |
| Merrill, Samuel B. | " | 10 00 |
| Parker, Asa | " | 10 00 |
| Parker, Thomas | " | 10 00 |
| Plummer, John Jun. | " | 10 00 |
| Page, Reuben | 1821 and 1822 | 20 00 |
| Quinnam, Daniel | 1822 | 10 00 |
| Spring, Isaac | 1821 and 1822 | 20 00 |
| Swift, Dean | " " | 20 00 |
| Stevenson, Bryant P. | 1821 | 10 00 |
| Stacy, Lewis | 1821 and 1822 | 20 00 |
| True, William | 1822 | 15 00 |
| Waldron, Richard | 1821 and 1822 | 20 00 |
| Withee, John | 1822 | 10 00 |
| Walker, Daniel | " | 10 00 |

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EXPENSES OF ARTILLERY, POWDER, &c.

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| Banks, Rufus | 1822 | 8 75 |
| Chase, Jotham | " | 4 00 |
| Clark, Asa | 1820 and 1821 | 54 47 |
| Dennett, John | 1822 | 14 00 |
| Dresser, Rufus | " | 16 00 |
| Fuller, John | " | 25 54 |
| Fairbanks, Dennis | " | 15 00 |
| Gibson, Abel | " | 19 42 |
| Gilman, Samuel K. | " | 53 63 |
| Healey, Halsey | 1821 | 14 34 |
| Hyde, Henry | 1822 | 7 00 |
| Hall, Frederick N. | " | 13 09 |
| Hazelton, Benjamin | " | 9 59 |
| Larkin, Oliver repairing Artillery Harness, 1821 | | 11 00 |
| Litchfield, Samuel | 1822 | 13 40 |
| Leighton, Levi | " | 6 25 |
| Lowell, John moving Gun House and furnishing lumber &c. | | 66 35 |
| Horses to draw Artillery, &c. | | 14 00 |
| Moody, George | 1822 | 15 00 |
| Merrill, Moses | " | 12 00 |
| Marston, Shubael | " | 14 50 |
| Olmstead, Ethel | " | 7 50 |
| Palmer, Joseph | " | 16 81 |
| Pierce, Thomas | " | 31 99 |
| Stinchfield, Moses | " | 13 00 |
| Spaulding, Daniel | " | 21 25 |
| Townsend, Bartholemew | " | 24 50 |
| Varney, James | " | 6 00 |
| Wise, William | " | 10 38 |
| Williams, John | " | 14 95 |

 558 00

SHERIFFS.

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| Adams, Benjamin Sheriff of Somerset County, returning votes for Governor and Senators, and returning votes for Representatives and distributing precepts for choice of ditto from 1820, to 1822, | 66 50 |
| Balch, Horatio G. Sheriff of Washington County, returning votes for Governor and Sentaors and Postage of Letters, | 22 50 |
| Foxcroft, Joseph E. Sheriff of Cumberland County, for distributing precepts and returning votes for Governor and Senators, | 14 75 |
| Hamlin, Cyrus Sheriff of Oxford County, returning votes for Governor, | 4 00 |
| Jarvis, Leonard Sheriff of Hancock County, distributing precepts for election of Representatives to Congress, returning votes for ditto and votes for Governor, &c. | 69 59 |
| Robinson, Jesse Sheriff of Kennebec County, distributing Proclamations, returning votes and serving citations, | 13 94 |
| Seaver, Josiah W. Sheriff of York County, returning votes for Governor and Senators, | 4 00 |
| | <hr/> 195 23 |

CORONERS' ACCOUNTS.

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|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------|
| Brooks, Solomon for an inquisition on the body of a stranger, June 20, 1820, | 44 40 |
| Leland, Ebenezer and Merithew Aaron for picking up and burying a dead body, | 13 00 |
| M'Lellan, John for an inquisition on the body of Moses Page, a stranger and funeral expenses, | 23 75 |
| Mitchell, Charles C. for an inquisition on the body of a stranger, | 11 79 |
| Todd, John C. for an inquisition on the body of a stranger, Robert Long, October 2, 1820, | 13 90 |
| Wyman, Hezekiah, for an inquisition on the body of a stranger, | 23 39 |
| | <hr/> 130 23 |

PRINTERS.

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| Burton, James for publishing Laws and Resolves and advertising land for taxes, to April 4th 1822, in Bangor Register, | 14 50 |
| Dorr, John for publishing Laws and Resolves for 1822, in Lincoln Intelligencer, | 12 00 |
| Folsom, Benjamin for publishing notices and orders, &c. respecting assessors' lands in Washington County, &c. 1820, 1821, 1822, | 17 00 |
| Fellowes & Simpson, printing for State, Laws and Resolves and advertising land for taxes, &c. | 16 50 |
| Gilman, S. K. for publishing Laws and Resolves passed in 1822, and advertising land for taxes to March 30th 1822, in American Advocate, | 15 64 |
| Goodale, Glazier & Co. for publishing Laws and Resolves for 1822. in Hallowell Gazette, | 12 00 |
| Shirley, Arthur for publishing the Laws and Resolves of 1822, in the Portland Gazette, | 12 00 |

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| Thayer, Tappan & Stickney, for sundry Printing by contract for State, | 457 00 |
| Todd & Smith, for sundry Printing for the State, to January 1, 1823, | 147 00 |
| Torry, Joseph G. for publishing Laws and Resolves for 1822, in Maine Gazette, | 12 00 |

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MISCELLANEOUS ACCOUNTS.

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| Adams, James for sawing wood for State House, | 6 50 |
| Bailey, Thomas for sundry services performed in the State House, | 47 75 |
| Bowen, Abel for engraving thirteen seals for Supreme Judicial Court, | 29 25 |
| Bailey, Thomas for 16 1-2 days putting seals on Commissions, | 33 00 |
| Buxton, David for binding blanks, | 3 84 |
| Clapp, Asa, for rent of building in Hay-Market Row, | 106 67 |
| Chamberlain, Aaron, for one day's labor in Arsenal, | 1 00 |
| Cross, John B. for sundry articles for use of State, | 5 66 |
| Child, James L. for twenty days services in making Indices to four Volumes of the Journals of the House of Representatives pursuant to Resolve of February 9, 1822, | 60 00 |
| Cross, Nathaniel for sundry articles furnished Treasurer's Office, | 4 51 |
| Dana, David for Candles and Paper for use of State, | 18 68 |
| Davis, Moses for sundries furnished House of Representatives, | 6 25 |
| Foster, Charles for washing and cleaning State House, | 20 75 |
| Greenleaf, Simon for two Maps for Senate Chamber, | 8 00 |
| Goddard, John sundry articles furnished for State House, | 16 16 |
| Howe, Edward sundry articles for use of the State, | 41 66 |
| Hale & Greenwood, sundry supplies for State House, | 40 7 |
| Haskell, William sundries for State House, | 34 75 |
| Johnson, Samuel for Stationary furnished the State, up to January 29, 1823, | 257 22 |
| Lowell, William for deduction on account, | 2 85 |
| Nichols, Amos sundry articles furnished State House, | 29 63 |
| Portland Post Office, postage of Letters on public service, | 136 74 |
| Pratt, Simeon for cutting, cross ruling, &c. | 8 07 |
| Pratt & Sawyer, Book binding and Stationary January 31, 1822, to January 6, 1823, | 60 04 |
| Radford, D. for furnishing ballot and spit boxes, | 8 83 |
| Robinson, Daniel for Glass and other repairs, | 7 35 |
| Sewall, William B. for making Indices to the Journals of the Senate, for the Sessions of 1820, 1821 and 1822, pursuant to a Resolve of February 9th 1822—16 days services, | 48 00 |
| Smith, Charles B. for writing in Secretary's Office, two days, | 4 00 |
| Tucker, Aaron Dr. for medical assistance to Joseph Huston, wounded soldier, | 16 00 |
| Thompson, John H. for services of Notice on James M. Rogers, | 2 28 |
| Vaughan, Elliot G. for copying the Acts and Resolves of the last Session for the press, and services in the Secretary's Office, during the absence of the Deputy Secretary, on public business, &c. | 172 00 |

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| Vose, Robert C. for examining accounts against the State, per Resolve of Legislature 1821, | 15 00 |
| Vanbuskirk, Lawrence sundry labor on State House, | 7 12 |
| Winslow, Nathan for three Stoves and sundries for State House, | 104 70 |
| Wise, John Dr. for medical assistance to Oliver Perkins, wounded soldier, | 8 00 |
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AGGREGATE OF ROLL.

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|--------------------------------------------|---------|-------------------------|
| Pauper Accounts, - - - - - | | 204 27 |
| Military Accounts—Courts Martial, | 2969 83 | |
| Acting Quarter Master General, expenses, | 394 80 | |
| Artillery, Powder, &c. - - - - - | 553 01 | |
| Aids-de-Camp to Major Generals, | 369 41 | |
| Brigade Inspectors, - - - - - | 295 00 | |
| Brigade Quarter Masters, - - - - - | 140 00 | |
| Aids-de-Camp to Brigadier Generals, | 255 66 | |
| Adjutants of Regiments and Battalions, | 1943 73 | |
| Quarter Masters of Regiments & Battalions, | 525 00 | |
| | <hr/> | 7173 44 |
| Sheriffs' Accounts, - - - - - | 195 28 | |
| Coroners' Accounts, - - - - - | 130 23 | |
| Printers' Accounts, - - - - - | 715 64 | |
| Miscellaneous Accounts, - - - - - | 1422 33 | |
| | <hr/> | 2463 48 |
| TOTAL, | | <hr/> \$9,841 19 |

CHAPTER XLVIII.

Resolve for the payment of Accounts against the State.

Resolved, That there be allowed and paid out of the Treasury of the State to the several corporations and persons mentioned in this Roll, the sums set against such corporations', and persons' names respectively ; amounting in the whole to the sum of nine

thousand eight hundred forty-one dollars and nineteen cents, the same being in full discharge of the accounts and demands to which they refer ; and the Governor, with advice of Council, is authorized and requested to draw a warrant on the Treasury for the payment of the same.

[*This Resolve passed February 10, 1823.*]

CHAPTER XLIX.

Resolve laying a Tax on the several Counties.

Whereas the Treasurers of the several counties in the State, have laid their accounts before the Legislature, which accounts have been examined and allowed : And whereas the Clerks of the Courts of Sessions for said counties, have exhibited estimates made by said Courts, of the necessary charges which may arise within the said several counties for the year ensuing, and of the sums necessary to discharge the debts of said counties :

Resolved, That the sums annexed to the several counties, contained in the following Schedule, be, and the same are hereby granted, as a Tax for each county respectively, to be apportioned, assessed, paid, collected and applied for the purposes aforesaid according to law.

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|-------------|-------------------------------------------------|
| YORK, | Four thousand dollars. |
| CUMBERLAND, | Nine thousand eight hundred and forty dollars. |
| LINCOLN, | Five thousand dollars. |
| HANCOCK, | Four thousand dollars. |
| WASHINGTON, | Three thousand six hundred thirty-five dollars. |
| OXFORD, | Five thousand dollars. |
| SOMERSET, | Two thousand dollars. |
| PENOBSCOT, | Three thousand two hundred and thirty dollars. |
| KENNEBEC, | Four thousand eight hundred dollars. |

[*This Resolve passed February 11, 1823.*]

CHAPTER L.

Resolve making appropriation for the purchase of Fuel.

Resolved, That the Treasurer of this State, be directed to purchase fuel for the Legislature and Public Offices. And the

Governor, with the advice of Council, is hereby authorized to draw his warrant for such sums, as shall be necessary for that purpose, not exceeding two hundred dollars.

[*This Resolve passed February 11, 1823.*]

CHAPTER LI.

Resolve authorizing a tax on the Pews and Seats in the First Baptist Meeting-house in Bath.

Resolved, That a tax of six hundred dollars, be, and the same is hereby granted, to be levied, assessed and collected in the manner prescribed by law, on the pews and seats in the meeting house of the First Baptist Society in Bath; and the proceeds thereof shall be applied to the payment of debts due and incurred, in the erection of said meeting house; and such proceedings shall be had in all respects, in the assessment and collection of the tax hereby granted, as are prescribed in the act concerning Parishes, passed March thirteenth, eighteen hundred and twenty one.

[*This Resolve passed February 11, 1823.*]

CHAPTER LII.

Resolve for the relief of William Norwood.

On the petition of William Norwood, praying that redress may be granted for trespasses committed on his land by the Passamaquoddy Indians: *Resolved*, That the agent for said Indians, be, and he is hereby authorized and directed to pay to said William Norwood, out of any funds in his hands for the use of said Indians, arising from the sale of timber off the Indian township, such sum as may be settled and determined to be a full compensation for the trespasses aforesaid, by three persons to be mutually agreed upon by said Norwood and the Indian agent aforesaid.

[*This Resolve passed February 11, 1823.*]

CHAPTER LIII.

Resolve authorizing the purchase of Blank Books for the use of the Militia.

Resolved, That the Acting Quarter Master General be, and hereby is authorized to purchase for the use of the Militia of this State, such Blank Books, as may be found necessary from time to time. And for that purpose the Governor, with advice of Council, is hereby authorized to draw his warrant on the Treasury for such sums as may be necessary for that purpose, not to exceed four hundred dollars.

[*This Resolve passed February 11, 1823.*]

CHAPTER LIV.

Resolve respecting the Penobscot Indians.

Resolved, That, for the purpose of carrying into effect the Treaty, made with the Penobscot tribe of Indians, on the seventeenth day of August, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and twenty, to which treaty this State has become a party, under the fifth article of the first section of the act of separation, there be, and hereby is granted the sum of twelve hundred dollars, to be paid out of the Treasury of this State, to purchase sundry articles of provisions and clothing, which are to be furnished for the use of said tribe of Indians in the month of October annually: And the Governor, with the advice of Council, is hereby requested to carry into full effect, all the terms and conditions of said treaty, on the part of this State to be performed: And for that purpose to draw his warrant on the Treasury for all, or any part of said sum of twelve hundred dollars.

[*This Resolve passed February 11, 1823.*]

CHAPTER LV.

Resolve granting compensation to the Chaplain of the Senate, and Chaplains of the House of Representatives.

Resolved, That there be paid out of the Treasury to Thomas B. Ripley, Chaplain of the Senate, twenty-five dollars for his

services ; and to Elijah Kellogg, Joshua Taylor, Edward Payson, Ichabod Nichols, Thomas B. Ripley, Petrus S. Ten Broeck, Russell Streeter, David Kilburn and Thomas M. Smith, Chaplains of the House of Representatives, five dollars each, in full for their services, during the present session of the Legislature ; and that the Governor with advice of Council, be requested to draw his warrant on the Treasury for the same.

[*This Resolve passed February 11, 1823.*]

CHAPTER LVI.

Resolve requesting the Commissioners under the Act of Separation to report to the next Legislature their opinion as to the best mode of managing the Public Lands.

Resolved, That the Commissioners belonging to Maine, under the Act, entitled "An Act relating to the separation of the District of Maine from Massachusetts proper, and forming the same into a separate and independent State," be requested to consider the subject of the lands belonging to this State, and to report to the next Legislature, what measures in their opinion ought to be adopted, for the management and disposal of the same.

[*This Resolve passed February 11, 1823.*]

CHAPTER LVII.

Resolve respecting Sibley's Bridge in the town of Warsaw.

Resolved, That the Court of Sessions in and for the county of Somerset, be, and they are hereby authorized to expend in building or repairing a bridge over the southerly end of the fifteen mile pond, in the town of Warsaw, in said county of Somerset, called Sibley's Bridge, such sum or sums of money, as they may from time to time adjudge to be necessary and proper for said purpose, and to appoint one or more agents to superintend the expenditure of such sums upon said bridge ; and said Court are hereby authorized to add to their estimates of county taxes, such sum as they may from time to time order to be expended for

making and repairing said bridge. *Provided*, That the sum or sums, so appropriated, shall not exceed five hundred dollars.

[*This Resolve passed February 11, 1823.*]

CHAPTER LVIII.

Resolve in favor of the Messengers of the Legislature, and certain other persons.

Resolved, That there be allowed and paid out of the Treasury of this State, to Thomas Bailey, messenger to the Governor and Council, two dollars; to John Merrill, messenger and door-keeper to the Senate, two dollars; and to Moses Davis, for services of messenger, door-keeper and page to the House of Representatives, four dollars; and to Isaac Ingalls for services in the Senate and other offices, two dollars; for each and every day they shall have been severally employed, in their respective duties, during the present Session of the Legislature; and the Governor, with advice of Council, is requested to draw his warrant on the Treasury for the same.

[*This Resolve passed February 11, 1823.*]

CHAPTER LIX.

Resolve fixing the place for the meeting of the next Legislature.

Resolved, That Portland be the place for the meeting of the next Legislature of this State.

[*This Resolve passed February 11, 1823.*]

CHAPTER LX.

Resolve making appropriation for paying Wm. B. Sewall and the engrossing Clerks.

Resolved, That there be, and hereby is appropriated the sum of four hundred dollars for paying William B. Sewall, Esquire,

for services in drawing and copying Bills and Resolves for the use of the Legislature; and for paying the engrossing Clerks in the Secretary's office during the present session of the Legislature: *Provided*, That the charges of said Sewall, and said Clerks, be first approved by the Governor and Council, and that the pay of said Sewall shall not exceed three dollars and fifty cents per day; and the pay of the engrossing Clerks shall not exceed two dollars each per day. And the Governor, with advice of Council, is hereby authorized to draw his warrants on the Treasurer for so much of said sum as shall be necessary for the purposes aforesaid.

[*This Resolve passed February 11, 1823.*]

CHAPTER LXI.

Resolve confirming the doings of Belgrade.

On the petition of said Belgrade, stating that their Town Clerks have neglected to sign the records, and that warrants for calling town meetings do not appear by record to have been sealed: *Resolved*, That the doings of said town be, and the same are hereby made valid in law, notwithstanding said omissions.

[*This Resolve passed February 11, 1823.*]

CHAPTER LXII.

Resolve appropriating the sum of five hundred dollars as a contingent fund to be placed at the disposal of the Governor.

Resolved, That five hundred dollars be appropriated as a fund, to pay the contingent expenses of the current political year: And that the Governor, with the advice of Council, be, and he hereby is authorized to draw his warrant on the Treasury for the same, as occasion from time to time may require, and to be accountable for the same.

[*This Resolve passed February 11, 1823.*]

CHAPTER LXIII.

Resolve respecting the accounts of Land Agents.

WHEREAS by the report of a Committee of the present Legislature, appointed to examine the accounts of the Land Agents of this state, it appears that there is due on said accounts, to Mark Trafton, thirty seven dollars and nineteen cents ; to James Irish, two hundred forty dollars and fifty cents ; and to William Vance, seventy five dollars ; and that the accounts of Ephraim Whitney, are balanced by payment to the Treasurer : *Resolved*, That there be paid out of the Treasury of the State, from the proceeds of Notes deposited in the Treasurer's Office by said Trafton, when collected, the following sums, to wit ; to said Mark Trafton, thirty seven dollars and nineteen cents ; and to the said James Irish, two hundred forty dollars and fifty cents in full of the balance of their said accounts ; and that there be paid out of the Treasury of the State to said William Vance, out of monies by him paid over on account of his agency, seventy five dollars in full of his account settled, as aforesaid.

[*This Resolve passed February 11, 1823.*]

 CHAPTER LXIV.

Resolve in favor of the Penobscot Indians.

Resolved, That there be allowed out of the Treasury of the State, thirty dollars to John Neptune and Francis Loran, to defray the expenses of their journey to the seat of Government, respecting the affairs of their tribe ; and that the Governor, with advice of Council, be, and he is hereby authorized to draw his warrant on the Treasurer for the same.

[*This Resolve passed February 11, 1823.*]

 CHAPTER LXV.

Resolve for obtaining a Loan of twenty thousand dollars.

Resolved, That the Treasurer of the State be, and he hereby is authorized to obtain a loan, on the faith of the State, not exceeding twenty thousand dollars, at an annual interest not exceeding five per cent, in such sums, and at such times, as the

Governor may direct, reimbursable at the pleasure of the Legislature, to defray the expense of erecting a State Prison.

[*This Resolve passed February 11, 1823.*]

STATE OF MAINE.

PAY ROLL of the Senate of the third Legislature, at the Session held in Portland, commencing January 1st, and ending February 11th 1823.,

| Counties. | Names. | Miles travel. | Days attendance. | Amount of pay | |
|-------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------|------------------|---------------|--|
| LINCOLN, | Daniel Rose, <i>President</i> , | 120 | 42 | 180 | |
| | Peleg Tallman, | 80 | 27 | 62 | |
| | Nathaniel Green, | 60 | 42 | 90 | |
| | Edward Killeran, | 180 | 40 | 98 | |
| YORK, | John M Donald, | 60 | 42 | 90 | |
| | Mark Dennett, | 120 | 42 | 96 | |
| | Ellis B. Usher, | 30 | 42 | 87 | |
| CUMBERLAND, | William Buxton, | 20 | 42 | 86 | |
| | Josiah Dunn, Jun. | 70 | 42 | 91 | |
| | Sylvanus Higgins, | 20 | 42 | 86 | |
| HANCOCK, | Andrew Witham, | 360 | 42 | 120 | |
| | Samuel Whitney, | 240 | 42 | 108 | |
| WASHINGTON, | Jeremiah O'Brien, | 500 | 42 | 134 | |
| | Thomas Bond, | 120 | 42 | 96 | |
| KENNEBEC, | Rufus Burnham, | 200 | 42 | 104 | |
| | Abraham Morrill, | 100 | 42 | 94 | |
| | Samuel Small, | 140 | 42 | 98 | |
| OXFORD, | James Steele, | 90 | 42 | 93 | |
| | Obed Wilson, | 240 | 42 | 108 | |
| PENOBSCOT, | Isaac Case, | 320 | 42 | 116 | |
| | Charles B. Smith, <i>Secretary</i> , | | 42 | 182 | |
| | Same for making up records, &c. | | 10 | | |
| | Israel W. Bourne, <i>Ass't. Secretary</i> , | | 42 | 126 | |
| | John Merrill, <i>Messenger</i> , add two additional days for other services, | | 44 | 88 | |
| | Isaiah Ingalls, <i>Door Keeper</i> , including services prior to the Session, | | 44 | 88 | |
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| | Total, | - - - - | | \$2521 | |

CHAPTER LXVI.

Resolve on the Pay Roll of the Senate.

Resolved, That there be paid to the several persons named in the above roll, the sums set against their names, respectively amounting to two thousand five hundred and twenty one dollars : and that the Governor, with the advice of Council, be and he hereby is requested to draw his warrant on the Treasurer accordingly.

[*This Resolve passed February 11, 1823.*]

PAY ROLL of the members of the House of Representatives of the third Legislature of the State of Maine, held in Portland, county of Cumberland, beginning on Wednesday the first day of January eighteen hundred twenty-three, and ending on the eleventh day of February eighteen hundred and twenty-three.

COUNTY OF YORK.

| Towns. | | Miles travel. | Days of attendance. | Total travel & attendance. | Add. amount. Addic. attend. |
|------------------------|---------------------|---------------|---------------------|----------------------------|-----------------------------|
| <i>Alfred,</i> | John Sayward, | 35 | 39 | 85 | |
| <i>Buxton,</i> | Nathan Elden, | 15 | 42 | 87 | |
| <i>Berwick,</i> | Joseph Prime, | 45 | 41 | 91 | |
| <i>Biddeford,</i> | Isaac Emery, | 15 | 37 | 77 | |
| <i>Cornish,</i> | Ben Thompson, | 30 | 42 | 90 | |
| <i>Elliot,</i> | John Hammond, | 60 | 42 | 96 | |
| <i>Hollis,</i> | Stephen Hopkinson, | 20 | 42 | 88 | |
| <i>Kittery,</i> | Joshua T. Chase, | 60 | 42 | 96 | |
| <i>Kennebunk,</i> | Geo. W. Wallingford | 25 | 25 | 55 | |
| <i>Kennebunk-Port,</i> | Simon Nowell, | 25 | 40 | 85 | |
| <i>Limington,</i> | Nathaniel Clark, | 25 | 42 | 89 | |
| <i>Lyman,</i> | Thomas Sands, | 35 | 42 | 91 | |
| <i>Newfield,</i> | Simeon Moulton, | 45 | 42 | 93 | |
| <i>Parsonsfeld,</i> | Samuel Fox, | 40 | 42 | 92 | |
| <i>Saco,</i> | George Scammon, | 15 | 40 | 83 | |
| <i>Shapleigh,</i> | John Bodwell, | 50 | 39 | 88 | |
| <i>Waterborough,</i> | Phineas Ricker, | 30 | 42 | 90 | |
| <i>York,</i> | Alexander M'Intire, | 50 | 42 | 94 | |

COUNTY OF CUMBERLAND.

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|------------------------|----------------------|----|----|----|
| <i>Brunswick,</i> | Robert P. Dunlap, | 30 | 42 | 90 |
| <i>Bridgton,</i> | John Perley, | 40 | 36 | 80 |
| <i>Baldwin,</i> | William Fitch, | 30 | 42 | 90 |
| <i>Cumberland,</i> | Ephraim Sturdevant, | 10 | 42 | 86 |
| <i>Cape Elizabeth,</i> | Lemuel Cobb, | 10 | 42 | 86 |
| <i>Durham,</i> | Allen H. Cobb, | 25 | 42 | 89 |
| <i>Freeport,</i> | Edmund Pratt, | 15 | 42 | 87 |
| <i>Falmouth,</i> | Edmund Knight, | 5 | 42 | 85 |
| <i>Gorham,</i> | Seward Merrill, | 10 | 42 | 86 |
| <i>Gray,</i> | Timothy Weymouth, | 20 | 42 | 88 |
| <i>Harpwell,</i> | Benjamin Randall, | 40 | 42 | 92 |
| <i>Harrison,</i> | Jacob Emerson, | 40 | 42 | 92 |
| <i>Minot,</i> | Willard H. Woodbury, | 35 | 42 | 91 |
| <i>New-Gloucester,</i> | Isaac Gross, | 25 | 42 | 89 |
| <i>North-Yarmouth,</i> | Edward Russell, | 10 | 42 | 86 |
| <i>Portland,</i> | { Isaac Adams, | | 42 | 84 |
| | { Asa Clapp, | | 42 | 84 |
| | { Dudley Todd, | | 42 | 84 |
| <i>Poland,</i> | James Twitchell, | 30 | 42 | 90 |
| <i>Pownal,</i> | Benj. Mitchell, | 20 | 42 | 88 |
| <i>Raymond,</i> | Zachariah Leach, | 25 | 42 | 89 |
| <i>Scarborough,</i> | Benj. Larrabee, Jr. | 10 | 42 | 86 |
| <i>Westbrook,</i> | John Jones, | 5 | 42 | 85 |
| <i>Windham,</i> | John Eveleth, | 15 | 37 | 77 |

COUNTY OF LINCOLN.

| | | | | |
|-------------------------|-----------------------------|-----|----|-----|
| <i>Alna,</i> | Daniel Carleton, | 60 | 42 | 96 |
| <i>Appleton Planta.</i> | Abraham Ripley, | 95 | 42 | 103 |
| <i>Bath,</i> | Benj. Ames, <i>Speaker,</i> | 35 | 42 | 175 |
| <i>Bowdoinham,</i> | Samuel Gray, | 40 | 38 | 84 |
| <i>Bowdoin,</i> | Jonathan Purrington, | 40 | 42 | 92 |
| <i>Boothbay,</i> | John M'Kown, | 65 | 42 | 97 |
| <i>Bristol,</i> | James Drummond, | 70 | 42 | 98 |
| <i>Cushing,</i> | Robert M'Intyer, | 90 | 40 | 98 |
| <i>Camden,</i> | David Tolman, | 100 | 42 | 104 |
| <i>Edgecomb,</i> | Stephen Parsons, | 65 | 42 | 97 |
| <i>Friendship,</i> | Melzer Thomas, | 85 | 42 | 101 |
| <i>Jefferson,</i> | Justus Richardson, | 75 | 42 | 99 |
| <i>Litchfield,</i> | David C. Burr, | 50 | 40 | 90 |
| <i>Lisbon,</i> | Benj. H. Mace, | 35 | 42 | 91 |
| <i>Montville,</i> | Joseph Gowen, | 105 | 42 | 105 |
| <i>Nobleborough,</i> | Samuel Reed, | 65 | 42 | 97 |

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| <i>Phippsburgh,</i> | Parker M'Cobb | 45 | 42 | 93 |
| <i>Palermo,</i> | Moses Burley, | 90 | 42 | 102 |
| <i>Putnam,</i> | Samuel Doe, | 90 | 42 | 102 |
| <i>Thomaston,</i> | Martin Marsh, | 95 | 42 | 103 |
| <i>Topsham,</i> | Humph. Purrington, | 30 | 42 | 90 |
| <i>Wales,</i> | Joseph Small, | 45 | 42 | 93 |
| <i>Wiscusset,</i> | Daniel Quinnam, | 50 | 42 | 94 |
| <i>Warren,</i> | Samael Thatcher, | 75 | 38 | 91 |
| <i>Waldoborough,</i> | Jacob Ludwig, Jun. | 75 | 40 | 95 |
| <i>Whitefield,</i> | David Crowell, | 65 | 42 | 97 |

COUNTY OF HANCOCK.

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|-------------------------|-----------------------|-----|----|-----|
| <i>Bluchill,</i> | Amos Allen, | 180 | 42 | 120 |
| <i>Belfast,</i> | James M'Crillis, | 125 | 42 | 109 |
| <i>Bucksport,</i> | Abner Curtis, | 145 | 42 | 113 |
| <i>Castine,</i> | William Abbott, | 160 | 40 | 112 |
| <i>Deer Isle,</i> | Richard Warren, | 190 | 42 | 122 |
| <i>Frankfort,</i> | Elijah P. Pike, | 145 | 42 | 113 |
| <i>Islesborough,</i> | Josiah Farrow, | 145 | 42 | 113 |
| <i>Knox,</i> | Daniel Weed, | 110 | 42 | 106 |
| <i>Lincolntonville,</i> | Nathaniel Millikin, | 110 | 42 | 106 |
| <i>Mount Desert,</i> | David Richardson, | 205 | 42 | 125 |
| <i>Penobscot,</i> | Cha's. Hutchings, jr. | 160 | 42 | 116 |
| <i>Prospect,</i> | Thomas Merrill, | 145 | 42 | 113 |
| <i>Surry,</i> | Mark Shephard, | 190 | 42 | 122 |
| <i>Sullivan,</i> | John Sargent, | 200 | 36 | 112 |
| <i>Thorndike,</i> | Joseph Shaw, | 110 | 42 | 106 |
| <i>Vinalhaven,</i> | Benjamin Beverage, | 150 | 42 | 114 |

COUNTY OF WASHINGTON.

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|--------------------------|-------------------|-----|----|-----|
| <i>Cherryfield,</i> | Joseph Adams, | 250 | 42 | 134 |
| <i>Eastport,</i> | Worcester Tuttle, | 300 | 42 | 144 |
| <i>Jonesborough,</i> | Ephraim Whitney, | 245 | 38 | 125 |
| <i>Lubec,</i> | Jabez Mowry, | 300 | 30 | 120 |
| <i>Machias,</i> | Micah J. Talbot, | 260 | 42 | 136 |
| <i>Plantation No. 6,</i> | William Vance, | 320 | 42 | 148 |
| <i>Plantation No. 9,</i> | John Crane, | 275 | 42 | 139 |

COUNTY OF KENNEBEC.

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| <i>Augusta,</i> | Reuel Williams, | 60 | 39 | 90 |
| <i>China,</i> | Robert Fletcher, | 85 | 42 | 101 |
| <i>Clinton,</i> | Herbert Moore, | 85 | 42 | 101 |
| <i>Dearborn,</i> | Peaslee Morrill, | 75 | 42 | 99 |
| <i>Fayette,</i> | Charles Smith, | 65 | 32 | 77 |
| <i>Farmington,</i> | William Gould, | 80 | 42 | 100 |
| <i>Gardiner,</i> | James Parker, | 50 | 42 | 94 |
| <i>Hallowell,</i> | William H. Page, | 60 | 42 | 96 |
| <i>Joy,</i> | James Parker, | 105 | 42 | 105 |
| <i>Leeds,</i> | Tho's. W. Bridgham, | 55 | 40 | 91 |
| <i>Lygonia,</i> | Josiah Crosby, | 90 | 42 | 102 |
| <i>Monmouth,</i> | Benj. White, Jun. | 50 | 42 | 94 |
| <i>New-Sharon,</i> | Christopher Dyer, | 80 | 42 | 100 |
| <i>Pittston,</i> | Thomas Coss, | 60 | 42 | 96 |
| <i>Readfield,</i> | Edward Fuller, | 60 | 40 | 92 |
| <i>Sidney,</i> | Samuel Butterfield, | 70 | 42 | 98 |
| <i>Vassalborough,</i> | Philip Leach, | 70 | 42 | 98 |
| <i>Waterville,</i> | Baxter Crowell, | 80 | 42 | 100 |
| <i>Wilton,</i> | Elisha Clarke, | 80 | 40 | 96 |
| <i>Winthrop,</i> | Andrew Wood, | 55 | 42 | 95 |

COUNTY OF OXFORD.

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|-------------------|-----------------------|-----|----|-----|
| <i>Buckfield,</i> | Larned Swallow, | 50 | 42 | 94 |
| <i>Canton,</i> | Samuel Holland, | 75 | 42 | 99 |
| <i>Fryeburg,</i> | James Osgood, | 50 | 42 | 94 |
| <i>Gilead,</i> | Eliphaz Chapman, | 75 | 42 | 99 |
| <i>Hebron,</i> | Isaac Whittemore, jr. | 45 | 42 | 93 |
| <i>Livermore,</i> | Thomas Chase, jr. | 60 | 42 | 96 |
| <i>Lovell,</i> | Philip C. Johnson, | 60 | 42 | 96 |
| <i>Norway,</i> | Aaron Wilkins, | 50 | 42 | 94 |
| <i>Paris,</i> | Henry Prentiss, | 55 | 42 | 95 |
| <i>Porter,</i> | William Towle, | 45 | 42 | 93 |
| <i>Sumner,</i> | Calvin Bisbee, | 50 | 42 | 94 |
| <i>Turner,</i> | Joseph Bonney, | 50 | 42 | 94 |
| <i>Weld,</i> | Ja's. R. Kitteridge, | 100 | 42 | 104 |
| <i>Woodstock,</i> | Stephen Chase, | 60 | 42 | 96 |

COUNTY OF SOMERSET.

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| <i>Athens,</i> | Stephen L. Lewis, | 115 | 42 | 107 |
| <i>Avon,</i> | Eben. Thompson, | 110 | 42 | 106 |
| <i>Bloomfield,</i> | Brooks Dascomb, | 100 | 37 | 94 |
| <i>Fairfield,</i> | Ellis Burgess, | 85 | 40 | 97 |
| <i>Hartland,</i> | Ambrose Finson, | 110 | 42 | 106 |
| <i>Kingfield,</i> | Joseph Knapp, | 120 | 42 | 108 |
| <i>Mercer,</i> | Luther Burr, Jun. | 90 | 40 | 98 |
| <i>New-Portland,</i> | Samuel Hutchins, | 120 | 38 | 100 |
| <i>Norridgewock,</i> | Jonas Parlin, Jun. | 100 | 42 | 104 |
| <i>Solon,</i> | Elisha Coolidge, | 120 | 40 | 104 |
| <i>Warsaw,</i> | John Brown, | 125 | 42 | 109 |

COUNTY OF PENOBSCOT.

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|------------------------|--------------------|-----|----|-----|
| <i>Bangor,</i> | Samuel Call, | 130 | 42 | 110 |
| <i>Carmel,</i> | Abel Ruggles, | 150 | 42 | 114 |
| <i>Foxcroft,</i> | Nath. Chamberlain, | 170 | 42 | 118 |
| <i>Eddington,</i> | Joshua Stockwell, | 140 | 42 | 112 |
| <i>Hampden,</i> | Jouathan Knowles, | 140 | 42 | 112 |
| <i>New-Charleston,</i> | Daniel Wilkins, | 155 | 42 | 115 |

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| <i>Clerk,</i> | James L. Child, | 57 | 199 | 50 |
| <i>Assistant Clerk,</i> | John G. Richardson, | 42 | 126 | |
| <i>Door-Keeper,</i> | Moses Davis, } | 42 | 168 | |
| <i>Page,</i> | Samuel Davis, } | | | |

House of Representatives, February 11, 1823.

The Committee on the Pay Roll of the House of Representatives, Report the amount of travel and attendance of the Members at the present Session, and the additional pay of the Speaker, together with the pay of the Clerk, Assistant Clerk, Door Keeper, Page and Attendant, to be fourteen thousand five hundred and eighty two dollars and fifty cents; and Report herewith a Resolve:

CHAPTER LXVII.

Resolve on the Pay Roll of the House of Representatives.

Resolved, That there be allowed and paid out of the Treasury of the State, to the several persons mentioned in the preceding Roll, the several sums set against their names respectively, amounting to fourteen thousand five hundred and eighty two dollars and fifty cents ; and that the Governor, with the advice of Council, be requested to draw his warrant accordingly.

[*This Resolve passed February 11, 1823.*]

STATE OF MAINE.

SECRETARY OF STATES' OFFICE, }
 Portland, March 20, 1823. }

I HEREBY CERTIFY that the Resolves published in this pamphlet, have been compared with the originals deposited in this Office, and appear to be correctly printed.

AMOS NICHOLS,

Secretary of State.