

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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RESOLVES

OF THE

FOURTH LEGISLATURE

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE,

PASSED AT THE SESSION

WHICH COMMENCED ON THE SEVENTH DAY OF JANUARY, AND ENDED ON THE
TWENTY-FIFTH DAY OF FEBRUARY, ONE THOUSAND EIGHT
HUNDRED AND TWENTY-FOUR.

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CHAPTER XLVII.

Resolve on the petition of Alfred Gates and others, for a road to be opened through townships number one and two, belonging to this State.

Resolved, for reasons set forth in said petition, That the Governor, with the advice of the Council, be, and he hereby is authorized to take such measures as he may think proper, to ascertain the expediency of opening a road from Passadunkeag river, through townships number one and two, on the east side of Penobscot river, belonging to this State, as early in the approaching summer as may be practicable; and if he shall obtain satisfactory evidence that it is expedient to open a road through said townships, he is hereby authorized to take measures to cause such road to be opened, and to draw his warrant on the Treasurer for a sum not exceeding three hundred and sixty dollars to carry into effect the purposes aforesaid.

[*This Resolve passed February 21, 1824.*]

CHAPTER XLVIII.

Resolve on the Petition of the Selectmen of New-Castle.

On the petition of the Selectmen of the town of New-Castle, in the county of Lincoln, stating that it appears by the records of the Supreme Judicial Court, in that county, that at the term of said Court holden in September, A. D. 1805, a fine of one hundred dollars was imposed upon said town for not repairing a certain highway therein: and it now appearing to the satisfaction of the Legislature, that said fine was imposed in consequence of a misunderstanding between the agent of said town and the prosecutor in behalf of the government, the said highway having been repaired before the imposition of said fine: *Resolved*, That said fine of one hundred dollars, be, and the same hereby is remitted, upon the payment, by said town, of the costs taxed therewith.

[*This Resolve passed February 21, 1824.*]

CHAPTER XLIX.

Resolve making valid certain proceedings of the town of Thomaston.

On the petition of the Selectmen of Thomaston, in the county of Lincoln, stating that Charles Spofford, the Clerk of said town, chosen for the political year 1819, died in October of that year, without having recorded the administration of oaths of office to