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# RESOLVES

OF THE

**SEVENTH LEGISLATURE**

OF THE

**STATE OF MAINE,**

**PASSED AT THE SESSION**

WHICH COMMENCED ON THE THIRD DAY OF JANUARY, AND ENDED  
ON THE TWENTY-SIXTH DAY OF FEBRUARY, ONE THOUSAND  
EIGHT HUNDRED AND TWENTY-SEVEN.

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*Published agreeably to the Resolve of the 20th June, 1820,*

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**FORTLAND.**

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1827.

## CHAPTER XLVII.

Resolve in favor of Josiah Dunn Jun'r, Moses Sweat, and Noah Weeks.

*Resolved*, That a township of Land, of six miles square, subject to the reservation provided in the eighth section of an act to promote the sale and settlement of the Public Lands, be granted to Josiah Dunn, Junr. Moses Sweat, and Noah Weeks, upon the conditions following; the said township to be selected, within one year, from any of the townships in the first, second, third, and fourth ranges of townships, west of the monument, in the first six tiers of townships north of the line run due west from the monument, at the source of the St. Croix, belonging to this State, not being valuable principally for the timber thereon, but for settlement and cultivation; and within three years after such selection be made, the said Dunn, Sweat, and Weeks, shall cause said township to be surveyed into convenient lots for settlement, not exceeding two hundred acres each, and return a plan thereof into the Land Office; erect or cause to be erected in said township a good saw-mill and grist-mill, with all the necessary appurtenances to fit them for useful operation, and cause at least ten families to be settled and resident in said town, upon separate and distinct lots, and within seven years from the time of such selection, shall cause at least thirty families to be settled and resident in said town, and within ten years from the time of such selection, shall cause at least fifty families to be settled and resident in said town, and shall have erected in said town at least three convenient and comfortable school-houses, so situated as to accommodate the persons resident in said town, and shall pay into the Treasury of this State, three thousand five hundred dollars, in four equal annual payments from the time of making said selection, with interest thereon annually; and upon the performance of all said conditions of settlement, and payment of said sum and interest, the Land Agent may convey said township; or if said Dunn, Sweat, and Weeks, shall wish a conveyance of said land sooner, the Land Agent is authorized, upon receiving ample and satisfactory security for said sum of three thousand five hundred dollars and interest, payable as aforesaid, to convey said township, subject to the reservation for public use, to said Dunn, Sweat, and Weeks, and also subject to the performance of all the conditions of settlement within the periods specified, and to the lien of the State upon the land for the payment of said three thousand five hundred dollars and interest as aforesaid.

[Approved by the Governor, February 24, 1827.]