

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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ACTS AND RESOLVES

PASSED BY THE

THIRTY-FIRST LEGISLATURE

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE,

A. D. 1851.

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RESOLVES

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CHAP. 348. the meeting of the legislature," that a majority of the people voting on the question thereby submitted, is in favor of adopting said amendment; it is therefore declared, that the fifth section, article fourth, part first; the third, fourth and fifth sections, article fourth, part second; the first section, article fourth, part third; the second and third sections, article fifth, part first; the second section, article fifth, part second, and the fourth section, article ninth, of the constitution, are so far altered and amended as that the words, "the first Wednesday of January" are substituted for the words "second Wednesday of May," in each of said sections; and the provisions of the constitution are so far altered and amended as that the governor and other state officers elected for the political year commencing on the second Wednesday of May eighteen hundred fifty-one, shall hold their offices till the first Wednesday of January one thousand eight hundred and fifty-three; and there shall be no election of the same in the year one thousand eight hundred and fifty-one; and that said amendment has become part of the constitution of this state.

Amendment.

State officers,
tenure of office,
&c.

[Approved May 30, 1851.]

Chapter 348.

Resolve in favor of Thomas Briggs.

Thomas Briggs.

Resolved, That there be paid out of the treasury of the state to Thomas Briggs of Poland, a pension of fifty dollars a year for two years from July thirtieth, eighteen hundred and fifty-one, in consideration of an injury sustained while in the service of the state.

[Approved May 30, 1851.]

Chapter 349.

Resolve for the repair of the state house.

Room for use of
secretary's office.

Resolved, That the sum of three hundred dollars is hereby appropriated out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated, to be expended under the direction of the governor and council, for the finishing and furnishing a room in the basement, under the office of the secretary of state, for the use and accommodation of said office.

[Approved June 3, 1851.]