

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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ACTS AND RESOLVES

PASSED BY THE

THIRTY-FIRST LEGISLATURE

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE,

A. D. 1851.

Published by the Secretary of State, agreeably to resolves of June 28, 1820, February 26, 1840, and March 16, 1842.

Augusta:

WILLIAM T. JOHNSON, PRINTER TO THE STATE.

1851.

RESOLVES

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE.

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Chapter 367.

CHAP. 367.

Resolves providing for the distribution of the report upon the survey of the European and North American Railway, and other documents in relation to the same.

Resolved, That the governor is hereby authorized to cause to be published and distributed in sufficient numbers of copies of the plan and survey made by A. C. Morton, esquire, of the line of the European and North American Railway, and such other information in regard to the said railway, its practicability and advantages, as he may deem for the best interests of the state.

European and North American Railway plan and survey—publication and distribution of, authorized.

Resolved, That the governor is hereby authorized to cause further explorations and surveys to be made, as far as may be necessary to perfect the plans and surveys already made.

Further explorations, &c., authorized.

Resolved, That the governor is hereby authorized to cause a suitable number of copies of the documents published in regard to said railway, to be forwarded to the provincial authorities of New Brunswick, Nova Scotia and Canada, and to the president and congress of the United States, and to the governors of other states, as he may deem expedient; and to lay before them such information as he may think advisable to communicate, in regard to the advantages of the route through Maine, for shortening the transit between Europe and America.

Further distribution of said documents authorized.

Resolved, That a sum not exceeding two thousand dollars be appropriated for carrying out these resolves, to be expended at the discretion of the governor.

\$2,000 appropriated, &c.

[Approved June 3, 1851.]

Chapter 368.

Resolve in favor of John Francis and Attean Lolah.

Resolved, That there be paid to John Francis, governor of the Passamaquoddy tribe of Indians, out of the treasury, the sum of forty dollars, for his travel of two hundred miles. And to Attean Lolah, representative from the Penobscot tribe of Indians, the sum of seventeen dollars, from the state treasury, for eighty-five miles of travel.

John Francis and Attean Lolah.

[Approved June 3, 1851.]