

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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ACTS AND RESOLVES

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PASSED BY THE

FORTIETH LEGISLATURE

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE.

1861.

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**Chapter 28.****CHAP. 28.**

Resolve in favor of the committee on the state prison.

*Resolved*, That there be paid out of the treasury of the state, the sum of ten dollars each, to the following members of the committee on the state prison, who by order of the legislature visited that institution, to wit: R. E. Rider, N. G. Marshall, Otis Kaler, D. H. Teague, Eben Woodbury, Oren Currier, J. P. Dorr, Wm. F. Lord and J. H. Sherman. Said sum being in full for travelling and other expenses in discharge of that duty.

State prison  
committee, in  
favor of.

[Approved March 5, 1861.]

**Chapter 29.**

Resolve in aid of the road through township number two, range three, west east line state.

*Resolved*, That there be appropriated and expended under the direction of the land agent the sum of three hundred dollars in making necessary repairs upon said road.

Township No.  
2, R. 3, W. E.  
L. S., road  
through, in aid  
of.

[Approved March 5, 1861.]

**Chapter 30.**

Resolve relating to school books.

WHEREAS, the inhabitants of this state are subjected to a heavy expense and to various other inconveniences by the frequent changes made in the text books used in our public schools, and whereas this want of uniformity and permanency interferes with the best progress of public education, therefore

Preamble.

*Resolved*, That the superintendent of common schools be instructed to make special examination of this whole subject, and present the result of his inquiries in his next annual report, with a view to such future legislation as may be deemed expedient.

Superintendent  
of common  
schools to make  
examination  
and present  
same in annual  
report.

[Approved March 7, 1861.]