

# 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 49.**

CHAP. 49.

Resolve to simplify the resolves of this state.

WHEREAS, the resolves of this state, after legislation of forty years, have become greatly complicated, rendering it difficult to separate those which have the force of law, from those which have ceased to be operative, and whereas, sundry and serious mistakes in legislation arise from this source, therefore,

*Resolved*, That the secretary of state, with the assistance of some competent person, to be employed by him, be instructed to prepare an accurate list and digest of those resolves which have the force of law, and to lay the same in written form before the next legislature.

Preamble.

Secretary of state to prepare list of certain resolves, &amp;c.

[Approved March 13, 1861.]

**Chapter 50.**

Resolve in favor of Presque Isle Academy.

*Resolved*, That the sum of five hundred dollars be appropriated to aid the Trustees of Presque Isle Academy in rebuilding their academy, and the governor is hereby required to draw his warrant on the treasurer for the same.

Presque Isle Academy, in favor of.

[Approved March 13, 1861.]

**Chapter 51.**

Resolve for the encouragement of building a grist mill in Limestone plantation in the county of Aroostook.

*Resolved*, That the land agent is hereby authorized and directed to convey to David Potter of Limestone plantation, in the county of Aroostook, or his assigns, five lots of land, consisting of block three and lot one in block four, or so much of the same as has not otherwise been disposed of, not to exceed in all seven hundred and sixty-five acres, whenever the said Potter or his assigns shall satisfy said land agent that he has built a good and substantial mill, with two run of stones suitable for the manufacture of flour, oat and other meals, and to meet the wants of the settlers, which mill is to be located upon said block four, in said plantation, and is to be completed within two years from the approval of this resolve.

Land agent authorized to convey certain lots of land to David Potter.

Potter to build mill.

—location of, —when to be completed.

[Approved March 14, 1861.]