

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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ACTS AND RESOLVES

OF THE

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OF THE

STATE OF MAINE.

1880.

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Chapter 216.**CHAP. 216**

Resolves in favor of the State Prison.

Resolved, That the sum of twenty-six thousand dollars be appropriated for the benefit of the state prison, to be divided as follows: toward paying the debt, twenty-five thousand dollars; for repairs, eight hundred dollars; for library, two hundred dollars.

State prison, in favor of.

Resolved, That the prison inspectors are instructed to cause all accounts and indebtedness due the state prison to be collected, and all manufactured goods to be disposed of as fast as the interests of the state will allow.

Indebtedness to be collected and goods sold.

Resolved, That all debts and claims to be paid by this appropriation shall be first audited and allowed by the governor and council, and the governor shall draw his warrant for their payment. But this provision shall not be construed to prevent the warden from paying prison debts out of any surplus funds in his possession, or accruing from the sale of stock and collection of debts.

Debts and claims to be paid.

Approved March 18, 1880.

Chapter 217.

Resolves providing for an Amendment of the Constitution, changing the term of office of Senators and Representatives.

Resolved, Two-thirds of both branches of the legislature concurring, that section two, article four, part first, of the constitution of this state, as amended under the "resolutions concerning an amendment of the constitution of Maine," approved the fourth day of March, in the year eighteen hundred and seventy-nine, shall be further amended by striking out the words "first Wednesday in January next succeeding their election," and inserting in place thereof the words 'day next preceding the biennial meeting of the legislature, and the amendment herein proposed, if adopted, shall determine the term of office of senators and representatives to be elected at the annual meeting in September, in the year eighteen hundred and eighty, as well as the term of senators and representatives thereafter to be elected,' so that said section, as amended, shall read as follows:

Proposed amendment to art. 4, part 1, constitution.