

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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CHAP. 241**Chapter 241.**

Resolve in favor of cities and towns in which was owned, on the first day of April, eighteen hundred and eighty-seven, capital stock of the Belfast and Moosehead Lake Railroad.

Cities and towns, owning stock in Belfast & Moosehead Lake Railroad, 1887, in favor of.

*Resolved*, That the governor and council be, and they are hereby directed to inquire into any claim which they may find legally or equitably due from the state to the cities and towns on which was owned on the first day of April eighteen hundred and eighty-seven, capital stock of the Belfast and Moosehead Lake Railroad, and cause to be paid said cities and towns such additional amount as may be found to be due to them by reason of any error, legal or equitable, in the apportionment of the railroad tax for said year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven.

Approved March 13, 1889.

**Chapter 242.**

Resolve in favor of the Legislative Committee to attend the celebration of the Inauguration of Washington.

Committee on Inauguration of Washington, in favor of.

*Resolved*, That the sum of three thousand dollars be and is hereby appropriated to defray the expenses of the legislative committee chosen to represent the legislature of Maine at the centennial celebration of the inauguration of Washington, to be held at the city of New York, on the thirtieth day of April next.

Approved March 13, 1889.

**Chapter 243.**

Resolve in relation to the State Geological Collection.

Colby University, in favor of.

*Resolved*, That the superintendent of public buildings be and hereby is authorized and directed to transfer and remove the geological specimens, now stored in the basement of the capitol building, to Colby University, at Waterville, Maine; and that the governor and council be authorized to draw a warrant for the necessary expenses attending such removal. Said university as far as it may be within the power of the officers of its geological department so to do, shall arrange and classify said specimens, label them with a card bearing

the words, "State Geological Collection," place them on exhibition during the entire college year, answer all questions in reference to the same, addressed to said department by the people of the state, and in general shall take all the care and precaution which scientific institutions usually exercise in the preservation of such specimens. Said specimens to remain the property of the state, subject to the order of the legislature.

Approved March 13, 1889.

### Chapter 244.

Resolve providing for the payment of the contingent expenses of the Legislature.

*Resolved*, That there be paid from the treasury to the secretary of the senate, for furnishing daily papers to members and officers of the senate, to members and officers of the house of representatives, and to the executive council during the present session, for advertising for the legislature and executive council, and for postage and transportation of mail and documents for the senate and house of representatives, the sum of seventeen hundred and ninety-five dollars and seventy-two cents.

Contingent  
expenses of  
Legislature.

Approved March 13, 1880.

### Chapter 245.

Resolves authorizing a temporary loan for the year eighteen hundred and eighty-nine.

*Resolved*, That to provide for the wants of the treasury, the treasurer of state be, and is hereby authorized to procure on the faith of the state, if he shall deem it necessary, at any time during the year eighteen hundred and eighty-nine, a temporary loan of three hundred thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be needed.

Temporary  
loan, authorized.

*Resolved*, That the treasurer of state be and is hereby authorized to give notes in behalf of the state, payable within two years from the date hereof, for such portions of the loan hereby authorized as may be required.

Approved March 13, 1880.