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SENATE

RESOLVE

FOR APPORTIONING

BEPRESENTATIVES.

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STATE OF MAINE.

In Senate, March 2, 1842.

The joint select committee, which was directed, by an order of the 15th of January, 1842, "to apportion the State for the election of Representatives to the State Legislature," have attended to that duty, and ask leave to report the following Resolve, which is herewith submitted.

G. L. BENNETT, Chairman.

STATE OF MAINE.

RESOLVE for apportioning one hundred and fifty one representatives among the several counties, cities, towns, plantations and classes in the State of Maine at the fourth apportionment.

RESOLVED, That the county of York shall

- 2 choose sixteen representatives, to be apportion-
- 3 ed as follows:—Saco, one; York, one; Wells,
- 4 one; Kennebunk-port, one; Biddeford, one;
- 5 Buxton, one; Kittery, one; Parsonsfield, one;
- 6 South Berwick and Eliot, one; Sanford and
- 7 Lebanon, one; Waterborough and Lyman, one;
- 8 Alfred and Kennebunk, one; Limington and
- 9 Hollis, one; Berwick and North Berwick, one;
- 10 Shapleigh and Acton, one; Cornish, Limerick
- 11 and Newfield, one.

That the county of Cumberland shall choose

- 2 twenty representatives, to be apportioned as fol-
- 3 lows:—city of Portland, three; Westbrook, one;

4 Brunswick, one; Gorham, one; North Yarm-5 outh, one; Freeport, one; Poland, one; Stand-6 ish, one; Windham, one; Minot and Auburn, 7 one; Baldwin, Sebago and Naples, one; Cas-8 co, Raymond and Otisfield, one; Durham and 9 Pownal, one; Cumberland and Falmouth, one; 10 Gray and Harpswell, one; Scarborough, one for 11 the years eighteen hundred and forty three, eight-12 een hundred and forty five, eighteen hundred 13 and forty seven, eighteen hundred and forty nine 14 and eighteen hundred and fifty one; Cape Eliz-15 abeth, one for the years eighteen hundred and 16 forty four; eighteen hundred and forty six, eight-17 een hundred and forty eight and eighteen hund-18 red and fifty; Bridgton and Harrison, one; 19 New Gloucester and Danville, one.

That the county of Lincoln shall choose 2 nineteen representatives, to be apportioned as 3 follows:—Thomaston, two; Bath, one; Waldo-4 borough, one; Warren and Friendship, one; 5 St. George, Cushing and Muscle Ridge island, 6 one; Union and Washington, one; Whitefield 7 and Patricktown plantation, one; Jefferson and 8 Alna, one; Wiscasset and Woolwich, one;

9 Newcastle and Edgecomb, one; Nobleborough 10 and Bremen, one; Boothbay, Townsend and 11 Westport, one; Phipsburg, Georgetown and 12 Arrowsic, one; Bristol, Monhegan and adjacent 13 isles of St. George and Matinic, one; Bow-14 doinham and Webster, one; Lewiston and 15 Lisbon, one; Bowdoin and Topsham, one; 16 Richmond, one, for the years eighteen hundred 17 and forty three, eighteen hundred forty five, 18 eighteen hundred forty seven, eighteen hundred 19 and forty nine, and eighteen hundred and fifty 20 one; Dresden, one, for the years eighteen 21 hundred and forty four, eighteen hundred and 22 forty six, eighteen hundred and forty eight, and 23 eighteen hundred and fifty.

That the county of Hancock shall choose nine 2 representatives, to be apportioned as follows:—3 Bucksport and Wetmore isle, one; Penobscot, 4 Castine, Holbrook island and Matinicus plan-5 tation, one; Brooksville, Sedgwick, Swan's 6 island plantation, Hog island plantation and 7 Long island plantation, one; Deer isle, Bear 8 island, Beach island, Pickering's island, Great 9 Spruce Head island, Little Spruce Head island, 10 Butter island, Eagle island and Hacketask

11 island, one; Bluehill and Surry, one; Mount

12 Desert, Eden, Cranberry isles, Mount Desert

13 Rock and Seaville, one; Orland, Dedham,

14 Otis, Mariaville, Aurora, Amherst, Greenfield,

15 townships numbered one, two, three, four, six-

16 teen, twenty one, twenty two, twenty eight,

17 thirty two, thirty three, thirty four, thirty five,

18 thirty nine, forty and forty one, one; Ellsworth,

19 Trenton and Waltham, one; Gouldsborough,

20 Sullivan, Franklin, Eastbrook, Hancock, town-

21 ships numbered seven, eight, nine and ten, one.

That the county of Washington shall choose

2 nine representatives, to be apportioned as fol-

3 lows:—Calais, one; Eastport, one; Steuben,

4 Cherryfield, Annesburg, Beddington, Devereaux,

5 townships numbered eighteen, twenty four, twen-

6 ty five, thirty, thirty one, thirty six, thirty seven

7 and east half of thirty five, one; East Machias,

8 Machias Port, Whiting, Marion, Edmunds,

9 Dennysville and township numbered fourteen,

10 one; Columbia, Harrington and Addison, one;

11 Jonesport, Jonesborough, Machias, townships

12 numbered twenty three, eighteen, nineteen,

13 twenty six, Northfield, Wesley and Crawford,

14 one; Lubec, Trescott and Cutler, one; Pem-

15 broke, Perry, Robbinston, Charlotte and Medy-16 bemps, one; Baring, Baileyville, Alexander,

17 Princeton, Topsfield and Cooper, together with

18 all the townships and plantations in the county

19 of Washington, not included in any other dis-

20 trict, one.

The county of Kennebec shall choose sixteen 2 representatives, to be apportioned as follows:-3 Augusta, one; Hallowell, one; Gardiner, one; 4 Vassalborough, one; Waterville and Dearborn, 5 one; Winthrop and Mount Vernon, one; Mon-6 mouth and Greene, one; Leeds and Wayne, 7 one; Readfield and Fayette, one; Clinton, 8 one; China, Clinton Gore and Albion Gore, 9 one; Sidney and Rome, one; Pittston and 10 Vienna, one; Albion, one, for the years eigh-11 teen hundred forty four, eighteen hundred and 12 forty six, eighteen hundred and forty eight, and 13 eighteen hundred and fifty; Windsor, one, for 14 the years eighteen hundred and forty three, 15 eighteen hundred and forty five, eighteen hun-16 dred and forty seven, eighteen hundred and 17 forty nine, and eighteen hundred and fifty one; 18 Litchfield, one, for the years eighteen hundred 19 and forty three, eighteen hundred and forty 20 four, eighteen hundred and forty six, eighteen 21 hundred and forty seven, eighteen hundred and 22 forty nine, and eighteen hundred and fifty; 23 Wales, one, for eighteen hundred and forty five, 24 eighteen hundred and forty eight, and eighteen 25 hundred and fifty one; Belgrade, one, for the 26 years eighteen hundred and forty three, eighteen 27 hundred and forty five, eighteen hundred and 28 forty seven, eighteen hundred and forty nine, 29 eighteen hundred and fifty one; Winslow, one, 30 for the years eighteen hundred and forty four, 31 eighteen hundred and forty six, eighteen hundred and 31 fifty.

That the county of Oxford shall choose twelve 2 representatives, to be apportioned as follows:—
3 Livermore, one; Turner and Hebron, one; 4 Oxford and Norway, one; Hartford, Canton and 5 Peru, one; Buckfield, Sumner and township 6 numbered two, one; Paris and Woodstock, one; 7 Dixfield, Mexico and Rumford, one; Bethel, 8 Greenwood and Albany, one; Porter, Hiram 9 and Brownfield, one; Fryeburg, Lovell, Stow 10 and Stoneham, one; Waterford, Sweden and 11 Denmark, one; Andover, Newry, Gilead, Rox-

12 bury, Byron, Fryeburg Academy Grant, Batch13 elder's Grant, Riley, Howard's Gore, Hamlin's
14 Grant, township A number two, township B,
15 township C, Andover North Surplus, townships
16 number five, second range, number five, first
17 range, and number four, first range, together
18 with all the remaining territory in Oxford county
19 not included in any other district, one.

That the county of Somerset shall choose ten 2 representatives, to be apportioned as follows:— 3 Hartland, Palmyra and Detroit, one; Pittsfield, 4 Canaan and Skowhegan, one; St. Albans, Har-5 mony, Cambridge and Ripley, one; Norridge-6 wock and Madison, one; Athens, Cornville and 7 Solon, one; Fairfield and Bloomfield, one; 8 Starks, Mercer and Smithfield, one; Bingham, 9 Brighton, Moscow, Mayfield, townships number 10 one third range, number one fourth range and 11 number one fifth range east of Kennebec river, 12 Holden plantation, township number five third 13 range Canada line, Jackman's township, Parlin 14 pond plantation, Long pond plantation, and 15 township number five second range Canada 16 road, together with all the territory in Somerset 17 county not included in any other district, one;

18 Concord, Embden, Lexington, townships num-19 ber one, second range west of Kennebec river, 20 number one, second range, Pleasant ridge, num-21 ber one, third range west of Kennebec river, 22 number one, fourth range, Enchanted stream 23 township, Spencer stream township, number two, 24 second range, number four, fourth range or 25 flagstaff, number three, third range and Canada 26 road, one; Anson, one for the years eighteen 27 hundred and forty three, eighteen hundred and 28 forty four, eighteen hundred and forty six, eight-29 een hundred and forty eight, and eighteen hun-30 dred and fifty; New Portland, one for the years 31 eighteen hundred and forty five, eighteen hun-32 dred and forty seven, eighteen hundred and forty 33 nine and eighteen hundred and fifty onc.

That the county of Penobscot shall choose 2 fourteen representatives, to be apportioned as 3 follows:—Bangor, two; Hampden and Carmel, 4 one; Newburg, Dixmont and Plymouth, one; 5 Corinna and Dexter, one; Etna, Newport and 6 Stetson, one; Corinth, Charleston and Bradford, 7 one; Exeter and Garland, one; Oldtown, Argyle, Argyle plantation and Lagrange, one; 9 Hermon, Levant, Kirkland and Glenburn, one;

- 10 Orrington and Brewer, one; Orono, Bradley,
- 11 Eddington and Jarvis's Gore, one; Burlington,
- 12 Lowell, Enfield, Passadumkeag, Edinburg, How-
- 13 land, Matamiscontis, Chester, Maxfield, number
- 14 three, number four, Greenbush and Milford, one;
- 15 Lincoln, Lee, Springfield, number six, range
- 16 second, west half, number seven, range third,
- 17 unincorporated places north of Lincoln, number
- 18 two Indian purchase, number one Indian pur-
- 19 chase, Hopkins' academy grant, Letter A and
- 20 Patten, together with all the remaining territory
- 21 in the county of Penobscot, not included in any
- 22 other district, one.

That the county of Waldo shall choose thir-

- 2 teen representatives, to be apportioned as fol-
- 3 lows:—Belfast, one; Camden, one; Frankfort,
- 4 one; Prospect, one; Appleton, Liberty and Pa-
- 5 lermo, one; Hope and Searsmont, one; Mont-
- 6 ville and Freedom, one; Unity, Burnham and
- 7 Knox, one; Troy, Thorndike and Jackson, one;
- 8 Belmont, Waldo plantation and Brooks, one;
- 9 Lincolnville and Northport, one; Monroe and
- 10 Swanville, one; Islesborough and Vinalhaven,

11 one.

That the county of Piscataquis shall choose

- 2 four representatives, to be apportioned as fol-
- 3 lows:—Sangerville, Parkman, Wellington and
- 4 Kingsbery, one; Guilford, Abbot, Greenville,
- 5 Monson, Blanchard, Elliotsville, Shirley, Wilson,
- 6 plantation number eight and township number
- 7 three, range three, together with the townships
- 8 north of Greenville and Elliotsville, one; Do-
- 9 ver, Foxcroft, Atkinson and Bowerbank, to-
- 10 gether with the range of townships north of
- 11 Bowerbank, one; Kilmarnock, Brownville, Bar-
- 12 nard, Williamsburg, Milo, Sebec, Milton, town-
- 13 ship B, in the tenth range, together with all the
- 14 unsettled townships north of Brownville, Bar-
- 15 nard and Kilmarnock, one.

That the county of Franklin shall choose six

- 2 representatives, to be apportioned as follows:-
- 3 New Sharon, Industry and New Vineyard, one;
- 4 Chesterville and Farmington, one; Wilton and
- 5 Temple, one; Jay, Carthage and Weld, one;
- 6 Avon, Phillips, Berlin, Madrid, townships num-
- 7 ber three, second range, number two, second
- 8 range and letter E, one; Strong, Freeman,
- 9 Salem, Kingfield, townships numbered three
- 10 and four, second range, number four first range,
- 11 Bigelow township, number one fourth range,

12 number one third range, number three first 13 range, number two first range, together with all 14 the territory in Franklin county not included in 15 any other district, [one].

That the county of Aroostook shall choose 2 three representatives, to be apportioned as fol-3 lows:—Hodgdon, New Limerick, number five 4 range three, number five range four, number 5 five range five, and all towns, plantations and 6 townships, south of the before mentioned towns 7 and townships in the county, one; Houlton, 8 Belfast Academy Grant, Smyrna, number six 9 range four, number six range five, and all towns, 10 plantations and townships north to the south line 11 of the following town and townships, to wit: 12 Masardis, number ten range four, number ten 13 range three, Westfield Academy Grant, Deerfield 14 Academy Grant, and Marshill township, one; 15 all towns, plantations, townships and territory 16 north of the south line of Masardis, number ten 17 range four, number ten range three, Westfield 18 Academy Grant, Deerfield Academy Grant, and 19 Marshill township, to the north line of the 20 county, one.

STATE OF MAINE.

In Senate, March 2, 1842.

ORDERED, That 500 copies of the foregoing Report and Resolve, be printed for the use of the Legislature.

[Extract from the Journal.]

Attest,

JERE HASKELL, Secretary.