

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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FORTY-FIRST LEGISLATURE.

HOUSE.

No. 3.

STATE OF MAINE.

RESOLVE relating to the National Administration and the conduct
of the war.

Resolved, That, representing the People of Maine, we cordially endorse the Administration of Abraham Lincoln in the conduct of the war against the wicked and unnatural enemies of the Republic; that we greet with unfeigned satisfaction the evident design of the Administration to hold all interests and institutions subordinate to the grand aim of preserving Constitutional liberty and the Union of these States; that the expression of this purpose, as embodied in the confiscation bills recently introduced into the Senate and House of Representatives by Mr. Trumbull, of Illinois, and Mr. Blair, of Missouri, respectively, meets our unqualified approbation; that the South-western expedition of General James H. Lane, undertaken at the special request of the President, and to be conducted on principles avowedly in harmony with those of the Administration, promises, in our judgment, the happiest results to the Union cause; that in these measures and movements and all others calculated to crush this wicked rebellion, speedily and finally, the Administration is entitled to and will receive the unwavering support of the loyal people of Maine.

STATE OF MAINE.

IN HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, {
January 27, 1862. }

Presented, by leave, by Mr. DINGLEY of Auburn, read once,
and on motion of Mr. SEWALL of Oldtown, laid upon the table
and 350 copies ordered to be printed for the use of the Legislature.

CHARLES A. MILLER, *Clerk.*