

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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# FIFTY-FIFTH LEGISLATURE.

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HOUSE.

No. 71.

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## STATE OF MAINE.

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RESOLVE in favor of the town of Mayfield.

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*Resolved,* That the land agent be, and is hereby authorized and directed to convey to the town of Mayfield such interest as the state may have in and to the following lots in said town, namely, lots numbered seven in range two, and five in range four, for the benefit of the public schools in said Mayfield.

## STATEMENT OF FACTS.

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Under the laws of Massachusetts requiring three hundred and twenty acres to be reserved for the future disposal of the legislature, in addition to the amount required for schools and the ministry, the amount of land required for the various purposes of that law was set apart in the town of Mayfield, but no particular lots were ever designated as belonging to the State; the State owning them in common with the town. These lots were sold by the trustees of the school fund without knowledge of the State's interest in them. And the legislature by resolve, chapter 283 of the resolves of 1874, attempted to release the State's right in said public lands to said town of Mayfield, but by some mistake lot seven, range two, and lot five, range four, were omitted from said resolve. Anticipating legislation correcting this matter, these lots were not advertised for sale by the State.

STATE OF MAINE.

IN HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES }  
February 4, 1876. }

Reported from the Committee on Education, by Mr. WARREN  
of Westbrook, and ordered printed, with Statement of Facts,  
under the Joint Rule.

ORAMANDAL SMITH, *Clerk.*