

## SEVENTY-FIFTH LEGISLATURE

# HOUSE

# NO. 38

House of Representatives, Jan. 27, 1911.

Introduced in the Senate by Mr. Boynton of Lincoln. In House by Mr. Williamson tabled for printing pending reference to a committee.

C. C. HARVEY, Clerk.

## STATE OF MAINE

RESOLVE authorizing the Land Agent to release the interest of the State in the islet called Turnip Island in Bristol, in Lincoln County.

Resolved, That the State Land Agent be and hereby is 2 authorized and empowered upon payment of a nominal con-3 sideration to make, execute and deliver a good and sufficient 4 deed releasing to Ambrose A. Brackett, of Bristol, Lincoln 5 county, Maine, and his heirs and assigns, all the right, title 6 and interest which the State of Maine has in and to a small 7 island known as Turnip Island, said island being situated 8 southeast of Rutherford's Island, together with its adjacent 9 connecting and outlying rocks and reefs to the line of low-10 est tide on all sides of same.

Sect. 2. All other resolves pertaining to said Turnip 2 Island are hereby repealed.

#### STATEMENT OF FACTS.

An investigation shows that Ambrose A. Brackett has purchased in good faith of one Cyrus Jones, of Bath, said Turnip Island, referred to in this resolve. Further records support the claim that said Turnip Island has been a portion of the farm of the Young family of Bristol, since 1796, and that Cyrus Jones had purchased said island of the Young heirs. No record shows that said Turnip Island has ever been conveyed by Maine and possession was probably originally obtained by one of the ancient grants.