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# NINETY-FIRST LEGISLATURE

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HARVEY R. PEASE, Clerk.

# STATE OF MAINE

### IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED FORTY-THREE

### AN ACT to Provide for the Surrender by Milton Plantation of Its Organization.

Be it enacted by the People of the State of Maine, as follows:

Sec. 1. Organization of Milton Plantation may be surrendered. The organization of Milton Plantation in Oxford county as heretofore adopted is hereby surrendered; provided, however, that the corporate existence, powers, duties and liabilities of said plantation shall survive for the purpose of prosecuting and defending all pending suits and causes of suits to which said plantation is, or may be, a party and all needful process growing out of the same, including provisions for the payment of all or any judgments or debts which may be rendered against such plantation or exist in favor of any creditor.

Sec. 2. Unexpended school funds. At the time this act becomes effective, the treasurer of said plantation or such other person as may have custody of the funds of the plantation shall pay to the treasurer of state all unexpended school funds, which school funds together with the proceeds of any credits due the plantation for school purposes are to be used by the state tax assessor to settle any school obligations contracted by the plantation previous to the time this act becomes effective. Any unexpended school funds remaining in the hands of the state treasurer after all such obligations have been met shall be added to the unorganized township funds as provided in section 23 of chapter 11 of the revised statutes.

**Sec. 3. Referendum.** This act shall take effect 90 days after the adjournment of this legislature, only for the purpose of permitting its acceptance or rejection by the legal voters of the plantation of Milton at any special plantation meeting legally called and held before November 1st, 1943, an appropriate article being inserted in the call for such meeting. If a majority of the qualified voters of the plantation present and voting, vote in favor of the acceptance of this act, it shall become operative on March 31, 1944. The town clerk shall forthwith file with the secretary of state a certificate of the action of the plantation thereon.