

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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# RESOLVES

OF THE

## LEGISLATURE

OF THE

# STATE OF MAINE,

PASSED AT ITS SESSION,

WHICH COMMENCED ON THE TENTH DAY OF JANUARY, AND  
ENDED ON THE TWENTY-SECOND DAY OF MARCH, ONE  
THOUSAND EIGHT HUNDRED AND TWENTY-ONE.

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## CHAPTER XXV.

Resolve directing the Clerk of the House of Representatives to procure blanks for returns of votes for Governor, Senators and Representatives. *March 8, 1821.*

*Resolved,* That the Clerk of the House of Representatives procure for the use of the several Towns and Plantations within this State, one thousand blanks for returns of votes for Governor; one thousand blanks for returns of votes for Senators; one thousand blanks for returns of votes for Representatives; and distribute three copies of each, to each town and plantation as soon as may be.

## CHAPTER XXVI.

Resolve for making compensation to the Board of Jurisprudence. *March 10, 1821.*

*Resolved,* That there be paid to the Hon. Prentiss Mellen, William P. Preble and Nathan Weston, jr. the sum of eight hundred dollars in full compensation for their services to this time, as a Board of Jurisprudence, in preparing for the Legislature a Digest of the Statutes; and to William B. Sewall, Esq. in full compensation for his services as Secretary to said Board, the sum of two hundred dollars; and also thirty-nine dollars for contingent expenses. And that the Governor, with advice of Council, be requested to draw his warrant on the Treasury for the same.

## CHAPTER XXVII.

Resolve authorizing Jeremiah Goodwin, Administrator on the estate of Daniel Goodwin, to make a deed, and to receive deeds. *March 10, 1821.*

On the petition of Jeremiah Goodwin, administrator on the estate of Daniel Goodwin, late of Elliot, in the county of York, Esquire, deceased, intestate, stating that said intestate with Morris Goodwin, Moses Goodwin and James Goodwin, were the sole owners, in common, of four certain farms in said Elliot, the title to which they derived by heirship, from their father, Daniel Goodwin, of said Elliot, gentleman, who died in the year eighteen hundred and eleven; which farms they have hitherto held and enjoyed in severalty, having mutually agreed that each one should own the farm by them respectively occupied, although no deeds of release to each other have passed; and by operation of law the said farms are now owned in common by the said Morris Goodwin, Moses Goodwin, James Goodwin and the heirs of the late Daniel Goodwin; and praying that he, as Administrator, as aforesaid, may be authorized by a Resolve, to pass a deed of release, in behalf of his said intestate, to the said Morris;

Moses, and James, of the real estate aforesaid, by them respectively held in severalty; and to receive a deed of release from them, the said Morris, Moses and James, of all their right and title to the real estate aforesaid, for the use and benefit of the heirs and minor children of the said intestate: Therefore,

*Resolved*, That said Jeremiah Goodwin, in said capacity of administrator on the estate of the said Daniel Goodwin, Esq. deceased, intestate, be, and he hereby is authorized and empowered to make and execute, and also receive, good and sufficient deeds of conveyance of the lands aforesaid, according to the request contained in the petition aforesaid, which deeds when so executed shall be good and sufficient in law.

### CHAPTER XXVIII.

Resolve laying a tax on the several Counties. *March 12, 1821.*

WHEREAS the Treasurers of the following Counties have laid their accounts before the Legislature, which accounts have been examined and allowed; and whereas the Clerks of the Courts of Sessions for said Counties, have exhibited estimates made by said Courts of the necessary charges which may arise within the said several counties, for the year ensuing, and of the sums necessary to discharge the debts of said Counties:

*Resolved*, That the sums annexed to the several Counties, contained in the following Schedule, be, and the same are hereby granted as a tax for each county respectively, to be apportioned, assessed, paid, collected and applied for the purposes aforesaid, according to law.

County of York, three thousand dollars	- - -	\$ 3,000
County of Cumberland, eleven thousand five hundred dolls.		11,500
County of Oxford, three thousand five hundred dollars	-	3,500
County of Somerset, two thousand dollars	- - -	2,000
County of Lincoln, six thousand two hundred dollars	-	6,200
County of Kennebec, six thousand dollars	- - -	6,000
County of Penobscot, two thousand two hundred forty-five dolls.		2,245
County of Hancock, three thousand five hundred dollars		3,500
County of Washington, three thousand six hundred dollars		3,600

### CHAPTER XXIX.

Resolve prescribing the forms of Returns of Votes for Governor and Senators, and of Certificates of Elections of Representatives. *March 13, 1821.*

*Resolved*, That, from and after the passing of this Resolve, the returns of votes for Governor, shall be in the following form, viz :—