

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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RESOLVES

OF THE

THIRD LEGISLATURE

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE,

PASSED AT THE SESSION,

WHICH COMMENCED ON THE FIRST DAY OF JANUARY, AND ENDED
ON THE ELEVENTH DAY OF FEBRUARY, ONE THOUSAND EIGHT
HUNDRED AND TWENTY THREE.

PUBLISHED AGREEABLY TO THE RESOLVE OF JUNE 23, 1820.

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minutes of surveys, and other documents in the public offices in Massachusetts and elsewhere, as the Commissioners under said act, appointed on the part of Maine, may deem important to illustrate the situation, extent, description, and value of the lands divided and set off to this State; and that he deposit the same in the office of the Secretary of this State; and that he receive for such services, the same compensation he is now allowed as Secretary of said Board. And the Governor, with the advice of Council, on receiving his account allowed and certified by said Commissioners, on the part of Maine, is authorized and empowered to draw a warrant in his favor on the Treasurer for the same.

[*This Resolve passed February 5, 1823.*]

CHAPTER XXXV.

Resolve authorizing release of certain land to John Perham.

On the petition of John Perham, of Jefferson, in the county of Lincoln, praying that George Reed, of Nobleborough, in said county, administrator on the estate of Richard Powers, deceased, may be authorized to release to said Perham, certain real estate by him formerly conveyed to said Powers:

Resolved, For reasons set forth in the petition aforesaid, that said George Reed, administrator on the estate of said Richard Powers, be, and he is hereby authorized and empowered, by deed under his hand and seal, to release and convey to said John Perham, all the right, title and interest, which the said Powers had in the following described real estate, to wit: bounded, beginning at a pine tree, by the highway leading to the town of Palermo; thence running southwest by John Whitehouse's land, seventy-three poles to land belonging to James Kavanaugh; thence by said Kavanaugh's land, and land belonging to Daniel Noyes, northwest one hundred forty-two rods to a stake and stones; thence running northeast seventy-three rods to David Murphy's line to the said highway; thence down said highway southeast one hundred forty-two rods to the first mentioned bounds, containing seventy acres of land more or less. *Provided*, it shall appear to the satisfaction of the said administrator, that the money or debts for which the said land was originally conveyed as security for the payment thereof, have been paid and satisfied: And the deed or release, made pursuant to this Resolve, shall be

good and effectual in law to vest in the said Perham all the right, title and interest which the said Powers had in and to said estate.

[*This Resolve passed February 5, 1823.*]

CHAPTER XXXVI.

Resolve to ascertain the number of Deaf and Dumb persons in this State.

Resolved, That the Selectmen of the several towns, and the Assessors of plantations in this State, be required to ascertain the number of Deaf and Dumb persons within their respective towns and plantations, and report the same to the Secretary of State, on or before the second Wednesday of the first session of the next Legislature; specifying the age and sex of such persons, their situation, and that of their near relatives, in point of property. And the Secretary of State is hereby directed to cause to be printed a sufficient number of this Resolve, and to transmit the same, as soon as may be, to the Selectmen of the several towns, and the Assessors of plantations in this State, and to make report to the next Legislature, of all returns he may receive in pursuance of this Resolve.

[*This Resolve passed February 6, 1823.*]

CHAPTER XXXVII.

Resolve respecting the purchase of a standard of Weights and Measures.

Resolved, That the Treasurer of this State be, and he is hereby authorized, if he see fit, to omit purchasing a public Standard of Weights and Measures for the use of this State, until the meeting of the next Legislature.

[*This Resolve passed February 8, 1823.*]