

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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# RESOLVES

OF THE

**FOURTH LEGISLATURE**

OF THE

# STATE OF MAINE,

**PASSED AT THE SESSION**

WHICH COMMENCED ON THE SEVENTH DAY OF JANUARY, AND ENDED ON THE  
TWENTY-FIFTH DAY OF FEBRUARY, ONE THOUSAND EIGHT  
HUNDRED AND TWENTY-FOUR.

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1824.

PAY ROLL OF THE SENATE.

received, sorted, counted and declared in open town [or plantation] meeting, by the selectmen [or assessors] who presided, and in presence of the town [or plantation] clerk, who formed a list of the persons voted for and made a record thereof as follows, viz. :

For ———, of [For] this District.  
 For ———, }  
 For ———, } At large.

} Selectmen  
 or  
 } Assessors.

ATTEST, ———, Town Clerk.

And it shall be the duty of the Secretary of State to procure and seasonably to furnish blank returns, in the form aforesaid, to the several towns and plantations in the State.

[This Resolve passed February 25, 1824.]

STATE OF MAINE.

PAY ROLL of the Senate of the State of Maine for the Session of the fourth Legislature, held in Portland, commencing January 7th, and ending February 25th, 1824, both inclusive,

COUNTIES.	NAMES.	Number of miles travel.	Amount of travel.	No. of days attendance.	Amount of attendance.	Amount of travel & attendance.	Total amt. of pay for travel & attendance.
LINCOLN,	Benjamin Ames, <i>President</i> ,	70	7 00	50	200 00	207 00	207 00
	Jonas Wheeler,	200	20 00	50	100 00	120 00	120 00
	Parker M'Cobb,	90	9 00	43	36 00	95 00	95 00
YORK,	Joel Miller,	200	20 00	40	80 00	100 00	100 00
	John M'Donald,	60	6 00	50	100 00	106 00	106 00
	Mark Dennett,	120	12 00	50	100 00	112 00	112 00
CUMBERLAND,	Ellis B. Usher,	30	3 00	50	100 00	103 00	103 00
	John Anderson,			50	100 00	100 00	100 00
	Josiah Dunn, jr.	70	7 00	50	100 00	107 00	107 00
HANCOCK,	Robert P. Dunlap,	60	6 00	45	90 00	96 00	96 00
	Andrew Witham,	360	36 00	50	100 00	136 00	136 00
WASHINGTON,	Samuel Whitney,	240	24 00	50	100 00	124 00	124 00
	James Campbell,	500	50 00	50	100 00	150 00	150 00
KENNEBEC,	Joseph Chandler,	120	12 00	50	100 00	112 00	112 00
	Joel Wellington,	180	18 00	50	100 00	118 00	118 00
	Joseph Fairbanks,	180	18 00	42	84 00	102 00	102 00
OXFORD,	Samuel Small,	140	14 00	50	100 00	114 00	114 00
	James Steele,	90	9 00	50	100 00	109 00	109 00
SOMERSET,	John Read,	200	20 00	40	80 00	100 00	100 00
PENOBSCOT,	Daniel Wilkins,	310	31 00	50	100 00	131 00	131 00
	Charles B. Smith, <i>Sec'y.</i>			50	175 00	175 00	175 00
	Nath'l. G. Jewett, <i>Ass't. Secretary,</i>			50	150 00	150 00	150 00
	Charles B. Smith, <i>Secretary,</i> for additional time making up Records,			15	52 50	52 50	52 50
Total,							\$2,719 50

## CHAPTER LXXVII.

Resolve on the Pay Roll of the Senate.

*Resolved*, That there be paid to the several persons named in the above Roll the sums set against their names respectively, amounting to two thousand seven hundred nineteen dollars and fifty cents ; and that the Governor, with the advice of Council, be, and he hereby is requested to draw his warrant on the Treasurer accordingly.

[*This Resolve passed February 25, 1824.*]

## CHAPTER LXXVIII.

Resolve providing for the education of the Deaf and Dumb.

Whereas from a series of the most successful experiments it has been demonstrated that it is practicable to educate the Deaf and Dumb, and that this class of human beings, who for ages have been considered as placed beyond the reach of improvement, may, like others, receive the benefits of a scientific, moral and religious education: *Therefore Resolved*, That the sum of fifteen hundred dollars be, and the same hereby is appropriated to be at the disposal of the Governor, with the advice of Council, for the purpose of erecting a suitable building or buildings, or purchasing the same, in some suitable place in this State, to be used as an Institution or Asylum for the support and education of such deaf and dumb persons as may be there placed, under such rules and regulations as may hereafter be established by the Governor and Council: *Provided*, That the sum to be paid for such building or buildings, shall not exceed five hundred dollars ; and the remainder of said sum, appropriated as aforesaid, shall be applied to the support and education of those persons who shall or may be placed at said Institution, after the same shall be ready for that purpose.

*Resolved further*, That the Governor, with the advice of Council, be, and he hereby is authorized, to appoint such agents or officers as may be necessary to the management of said Institution ; and to make such rules, by-laws and regulations for the government thereof, as may from time to time, be found expedient: *Provided*, That such rules, by-laws and regulations, shall be laid before the Legislature which shall be in session next after the establishing the same : *And provided further*, That, if in the