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RESOLVES

OF THE

FIFTH LEGISLATURE

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE,

PASSED AT THE SESSION

WHICH COMMENCED ON THE FIFTH DAY OF JANUARY, AND ENDED ON THE TWENTY-EIGHTH DAY OF FEBRUARY, ONE THOUSAND RIGHT HUNDRED AND TWENTY-FIVE.

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of the Legislature, to ascertain whether the advantages tendered, if placed on secure footing, will not be more effectual than any provision which can be made at an equal, or even greater ex-

pense, within the State.

Two Commissioners have been appointed from each of the States of Massachusetts, New Hampshire and Vermont, to meet and confer on the subject, in behalf of their several States; and for the purpose of obtaining and laying before the Legislature the proper and requisite information, your Committee are of opinion, that the appointment of a like number, on their part, one by the Senate and one by the House of Representatives, would at this time be expedient; for which purpose a resolve is herewith respectfully submitted.

By order,

JOSIAH STEBBINS.

CHAPTER II.

Resolve providing for the appointment of Commissioners to confer with the Directors of the American Asylum, and Commissioners of other States, respecting the education of the Deaf and Dumb.

Resolved, That two Commissioners be appointed by the Governor, with advice of Council, to confer with the Directors of the American Asylum, at Hartford, and also with such Commissioners appointed by other States as may meet for the purpose, on the subject of making provision for the education of the Deaf and Dumb at the Asylum; and to ascertain what accommodations, instructions and employments are provided at that Institution; at what ages pupils may be admitted; and whether equal terms and privileges may be there allowed and secured for the indigent Deaf and Dumb of this State; to report at the present session of the Legislature.

[This Resolve passed January 13, 1825.]

CHAPTER III.

Resolve for purchasing Greenleaf's Reports.

Resolved, That the Secretary of State, be, and he is hereby authorized to purchase three hundred and twenty-five copies of the second volume of Greenleaf's Reports of the decisions of the

Supreme Judicial Court of the State of Maine, and to distribute one copy thereof to each town and organized plantation within the State; one copy to each of the Judges of the Supreme Judicial Court, Court of Common Pleas, and of Probate; one copy to the Attorney General, and one copy to each Clerk of the Courts, in the several counties in this State, for the use of their respective counties: Provided said Reports can be obtained for a sum not exceeding two dollars and twenty five cents per volume. And the sum of seven hundred and thirty one dollars and twenty five cents is hereby appropriated for that purpose; and the Governor, upon satisfactory evidence being exhibited to him that said Reports have been deposited in the Secretary's office, for the use of the State, is hereby authorized and requested, with advice of Council, to draw his warrant on the Treasury accordingly.

[This Resolve passed January 13, 1825.]

MESSAGE OF THE GOVERNOR.

To the Senate and House of Representatives:

The Governor of Georgia having requested that the enclosed Resolution of the Legislature of that State may be made known to the Legislature of Maine, I communicate the same to the two branches for their information.

ALBION K. PARRIS.

COUNCIL CHAMBER, JANUARY 15, 1825.

CHAPTER IV.

Resolve for the admission of Nathaniel M. Lowney, to practice law in the Court of Common Pleas, and for other purposes.

Upon petition of Nathaniel M. Lowney: Resolved, for reasons set forth in said Lowney's petition, That the Justices of the said Court of Common Pleas, be, and they are hereby authorized to admit said Lowney to practice law as an Attorney therein, he paying the duty required by law, and continuing his study of the law for the term of ten months from the first day of January, 1825, in the office of a Counsellor at Law in this State.