

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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RESOLVES

OF THE

SEVENTH LEGISLATURE

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE,

PASSED AT THE SESSION

WHICH COMMENCED ON THE THIRD DAY OF JANUARY, AND ENDED
ON THE TWENTY-SIXTH DAY OF FEBRUARY, ONE THOUSAND
EIGHT HUNDRED AND TWENTY-SEVEN.

Published agreeably to the Resolve of the 20th June, 1820,

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utility of the same, and that said Committee be requested to report the result of their examination to the next Legislature.

[*Approved by the Governor, February 8, 1827.*]

CHAPTER XVI.

Resolve in favor of Nicholas Pierce.

Resolved, That there be paid out of the Treasury of the State to Nicholas Pierce, three dollars per month, as a pension for disability, by reason of a wound received in his right hand, while in the Militia service ; to be computed from the first day of February eighteen hundred and twenty seven, for the term of five years, if he so long live, unless the said Pierce shall sooner be placed upon the pension list of the United States, and on the happening of either contingency, the pension hereby granted shall cease.

[*Approved by the Governor, February 9, 1827.*]

CHAPTER XVII.

Resolve in favor of William Tozier.

Resolved, That there be paid out of the Treasury of the State to William Tozier, three dollars per month, as a pension for disability consequent on a wound received in his left shoulder, while in the Militia service ; to be computed from the eighteenth day of February, eighteen hundred and twenty six, for the term of six years, if he shall so long live, unless the said Tozier shall sooner be placed upon the pension list of the United States ; and on the happening of either contingency, the pension hereby granted is to cease.

[*Approved by the Governor, February 9, 1827.*]

CHAPTER XVIII.

Resolve for opening and clearing a road from the south line of Township number two, Old Indian Purchase, on the east side of Penobscot River, to the Metanawcook Stream.

Resolved, That the Governor, with the advice of Council, be, and he is hereby authorized to appoint an Agent, whose duty it shall be to expend, under the direction of the Govern-

nor and Council, a sum not exceeding three thousand dollars, for the purpose of making and completing the present travelled way, with such alterations as he may think necessary, from the south line of Township number two, Old Indian Purchase, east side of the Penobscot River, to Metanawcook stream, excepting so much of said road, as crosses the land granted by the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, to General Joseph Treat ; said sum to be collected and paid from demands now due for land sold in the townships through which the road passes. And a Resolve passed February twenty eighth, one thousand eight hundred and twenty six, entitled a Resolve making further provision respecting the State Road, from Sunkhaze to Mattawamkeag River, is hereby repealed.

[Approved by the Governor, February 9, 1827.]

MESSAGE OF THE GOVERNOR.

To the Senate and House of Representatives :

The Adjutant General having reported the resignation of Major General Jedediah Herrick, of the third Division, and the same having been accepted, I now make known to the two branches of the Legislature, that the office of Major General of the third Division of the Militia of this State is vacant.

ENOCH LINCOLN.

Council Chamber, February 12, 1827.

MESSAGE OF THE GOVERNOR.

To the Senate and House of Representatives :

I have the honor to transmit to you a copy of a joint resolution of the Senate and House of Representatives of the State of Alabama, relative to a proposition for the emancipation of Slaves, and to a resolution of the Legislature of New Jersey, recommending a system of foreign colonization, which I have been requested by the Governor of the former State to lay before you.

ENOCH LINCOLN.

Council Chamber, February 12, 1827.