

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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RESOLVES

OF THE

EIGHTH LEGISLATURE

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE,

PASSED AT THE SESSION

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

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

PORTLAND.

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1828.

CHAPTER XXI.

Resolve in favor of the Proprietors of the northwardly half of Township number six, ninth range, in the county of Penobscot.

Resolved, That there be allowed and paid to the Proprietors of the northwardly half of Township number six in the ninth range in the county of Penobscot, the sum of sixty seven dollars, ninety six cents, being two thirds of the amount of the State taxes, assessed upon said township from the year one thousand eight hundred and twenty one to the year one thousand eight hundred and twenty seven inclusive. And the Court of Sessions for said county are hereby authorized to repay from the Treasury of said county to said Proprietors, such sum as may appear to be just and right, in consequence of their having been taxed as the owners of the whole township, when in fact the fee of the southwardly half of said township now is, and ever has been in the State of Massachusetts and not liable to be taxed.

Resolved further, That there be deducted from the amount of the State valuation set to said Township four thousand four hundred and sixty eight dollars.

[*Approved by the Governor, February 11, 1828.*]

 STATE OF MAINE.

IN SENATE, Jan. 15, 1828.

The Joint Standing Committee on Literature and Literary Institutions, to whom was referred so much of the Governor's Speech as relates to a *Map and Statistical View of the State of Maine*, have had the subject under consideration, and ask leave to REPORT :—That they have examined a Plan, Sketches, and Specimens of a Map and Statistical View of the State exhibited by Moses Greenleaf, and find it to be a work on which great attention and labor have been bestowed, and which promises to be executed with skill, accuracy, and judgment—and believing it to be replete with knowledge highly useful to the people and important to the State, recommend it to the favorable notice and liberal patronage of the Legislature.

JOSHUA CUSHMAN, *Chairman*.

CHAPTER XXII.

Resolve to encourage and aid the publication of a Statistical view and Map of the State.

Resolved, That there be allowed and paid out of the Treasury of the State to Moses Greenleaf, Esquire, to assist him in completing and publishing his series of Maps and Statistical

view of the State, the sum of one thousand dollars: *Provided however*, That on the receipt of said sum the said Greenleaf shall give his personal obligation, that in case he shall unreasonably neglect or delay to complete said work according to the specification filed by him and accompanying this Resolve to the satisfaction of the Governor and Council, he shall be holden to refund to the said State the said sum of one thousand dollars, and interest, on demand.

Resolved, That the Secretary of the State be and hereby is authorized and directed to subscribe for forty copies of said maps, and statistical view, for the use and disposition of the State.

Resolved, That whenever said maps and statistical view shall be delivered at the office of the Secretary of State, he shall transmit one set to each of the Clerks in each County to be placed in their offices for the use and benefit of the inhabitants of each of said Counties; one set to the Presidents of each of the Colleges of Bowdoin and Waterville; and one set to the Principal of Gardiner Lyceum, for the use of said institutions; and the remaining sets to be hereafter disposed of at the pleasure of the State.

[*Approved by the Governor, February 12, 1828.*]

CHAPTER XXIII.

Resolve providing for the Choice of Electors of President and Vice President.

Resolved, That on the first Monday of November next, there shall be chosen at large out of the whole State, two Electors of President and Vice President of the United States, and one in each District within this State, as is or may be limited for the choice of Representatives to the Congress of the United States. And it shall be the duty of the Selectmen of the several towns, and the Assessors of the several plantations, in this state, in the manner the law directs for calling town meetings, to cause the inhabitants of their respective towns and plantations, duly qualified to vote for Representatives and Senators to the Legislature of this State, to assemble on Monday the third day of November next, to give in their written votes, to the Selectmen or Assessors, whose duty it shall be to preside in such meeting, for one Elector assigned to such District respectively, and for two Electors, to be chosen at large in the State, as aforesaid, not being Senators or Representatives, or persons holding any office of trust or profit under said United States. And the said Selectmen or Assessors,