

# 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.

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

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PORTLAND.

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1828.

*Resolved*, That the Secretary of State be directed to forward to the assessors of towns and plantations in this State, as soon as may be, copies of this Resolve, with blank forms of the returns required to be made.

[*Approved by the Governor, February 25, 1828.*]

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### CHAPTER XLVIII.

Resolve authorizing the Penobscot Tribe of Indians to sell Nicatow Island.

*Resolved*, That the Governor of the Penobscot tribe of Indians, the principal Chiefs, and a majority of said tribe, under the advice of their Agent, and with the approbation of the Governor of the State of Maine, be, and they are hereby authorized to sell a certain island in the Penobscot River, called Nicatow Island, to any person who shall purchase of the State the south half of township letter A. in the sixth range, according to the survey and plan of Norris and McMillan, situated on both sides of the west branch of said river and near its mouth or junction with the east branch; said island being within the exterior limits of said half township. And the deed of the Governor and principal Chiefs of said tribe of Indians, conveying said island as aforesaid, when approved and countersigned by the Governor of this State, shall be considered and held as evidence of a good title to the fee of said island in all Judicial Courts within and for said State. And the consideration money paid for said island shall be secured and held for the use of said Indians, in the manner provided by a Resolve passed the seventeenth day of February, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and twenty-four, entitled "A Resolve authorizing the Governor to negotiate with the Penobscot Tribe of Indians for the transfer of their Islands to the State."

[*Approved by the Governor, February 25, 1828.*]

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### CHAPTER XLIX.

Resolve authorizing the Treasurer of this State to make a loan of money.

*Resolved*, That the Treasurer of this State be, and hereby is, authorized to obtain, on the faith of the State, a loan not exceeding five thousand dollars, at a rate of interest not exceeding five per cent per annum, and for a period not exceeding one year.

*Resolved*, That the Treasurer be directed to procure said sum as aforesaid of any of the Banks in the town of Portland, in which the deposits of the State are usually made ; and the Banks aforesaid are hereby required to furnish the same, so required of them, on demand.

[*Approved by the Governor, February 25, 1828.*]

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## CHAPTER L.

Resolve providing for a loan of fifteen thousand dollars.

Whereas it appears by the statement of the Treasurer of this State, that the monies which have been deposited in the Treasury, for the use of the Cumberland and Oxford Canal Corporation, whenever the said Canal is commenced, and the work in such progress as to warrant a belief that it will be completed, has by a Resolve of the Legislature, been appropriated to the payment of claims which have been, or may be, allowed against the State: Therefore,

*Resolved*, That the Treasurer of the State be, and hereby is, authorized to borrow on the faith of the State, a sum not exceeding fifteen thousand dollars, for the purpose of meeting the just claims which may be made on the Treasury by said Canal Corporation prior to the session of the next Legislature.

*Resolved*, That the Treasurer of the State be, and hereby is, authorized and directed to issue proposals for a loan of the aforementioned sum or such part thereof, as may be necessary, for a period not exceeding two years, and at a rate of interest not exceeding five per cent. payable semiannually; and to issue certificates therefor accordingly.

*Resolved*, That should the Treasurer be unable to obtain the above sum of individuals on the aforementioned conditions, at the time the same may be wanted by said Canal Corporation, he is hereby ordered and directed to call on the several incorporated Banks in the State for their respective proportions of said loan, according to the capital stock of said Banks, agreeably to the provisions of their respective charters.

[*Approved by the Governor, February 25, 1828.*]