

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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# RESOLVES

OF THE

NINTH LEGISLATURE,

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE,

PASSED AT THE SESSION

WHICH COMMENCED ON THE SEVENTH DAY OF JANUARY, AND ENDED ON  
THE SIXTH DAY OF MARCH, ONE THOUSAND EIGHT HUN-  
DRED AND TWENTY NINE.

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Published agreeably to the Resolve of the 28th June, 1820.

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Portland:

DAY & FRASER.....PRINTERS TO THE STATE.  
1829.

**CHAP. 26.**

**Resolve for the benefit of the Maine Wesleyan Seminary.**

Approved February 20, 1829.

**RESOLVED,** That there be, and hereby is granted to the Maine Wesleyan Seminary, the sum of six hundred dollars, to be paid out of the Treasury of the State, in two equal annual payments, the first payment to be made on the first day of April next.

**CHAP. 27.**

**Resolve relating to fortifications on the Penobscot River and Bay.**

Approved February 27, 1829.

**RESOLVED,** That the Senators in Congress from this State be instructed, and the Representatives requested to use their influence to obtain an appropriation for the purpose of erecting and repairing, as soon as may be, fortifications on the Penobscot Bay and River, sufficient for the protection thereof;—and that the Governor be requested to communicate this Resolve to the Senators and Representatives in such manner as he may think proper.

**CHAP. 28.**

**Resolve authorizing the Penobscot Tribe of Indians to sell Smith's Island.**

Approved February 27, 1829.

**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, be, and hereby are authorized to sell a certain Island in Penobscot River, called Smith's island, situated above and near Old town falls, so called, and containing about one acre and a half of land, to Nathan Winslow. And the deed of the Governor and principal chiefs of said tribe of Indians conveying said Island to said Winslow, when approved and countersigned by the Land Agent 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 this State. And the consideration money for the purchase of said Island shall be paid to the Indian Agent, to be appropriated to the use of said Indians, as the Governor and Council shall direct.

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## CHAP. 29.

Resolve in favor of George Littlefield.

Approved February 28, 1829.

RESOLVED, That there be paid out of the Treasury of the State to George Littlefield, fifty dollars, as a compensation for the loss of a horse, sustained by him, while on military duty.

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## MESSAGES OF THE GOVERNOR.

*To the Senate and House of Representatives :*

I herewith transmit a plan of the line between Maine and New Hampshire, as determined by the Commissioners, who have recently acted upon that subject.

ENOCH LINCOLN.

COUNCIL CHAMBER, }  
Portland, Jan. 13, 1829. }

*To the Senate and House of Representatives :*

Since my last communication in relation to the boundary line between this State and New Hampshire, I have received the accompanying document, which is transmitted for the consideration of the Legislature.

ENOCH LINCOLN.

COUNCIL CHAMBER, }  
Portland, Feb. 9, 1829. }

NOTE.—The document above referred to was the remonstrance of John Robie and others.

We, William King and Rufus McIntire, Commissioners, appointed on the part of the State of Maine, and Ichabod Bartlett and John W. Weeks, Commissioners, appointed on the part of New Hampshire, to ascertain, survey and mark the line between the States of New Hampshire and Maine, and to erect suitable monuments to designate it as the true boundary line of said States, have surveyed said line, marked the same, and erected monuments to designate it as the true boundary line of said States in the manner herein set forth.