

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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# RESOLVES

OF THE

TENTH LEGISLATURE,

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE,

PASSED AT THE SESSION,

WHICH COMMENCED ON THE SIXTH DAY OF JANUARY, AND ENDED ON  
THE NINETEENTH DAY OF MARCH ONE THOUSAND EIGHT HUN-  
DRED AND THIRTY.

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## CHAP. 7.

Resolve authorizing the Penobscot Indians to sell two townships of land and pine timber.

Approved March 5, 1830.

**RESOLVED**, That the Penobscot Indians be, and they are hereby authorized to sell under the direction of such agent as the Governor and Council shall appoint, their two lower townships of land, or any portion thereof, as may be most for their interest.

Also, That they be authorized to sell under the direction of the agent aforesaid, all their pine timber. And all monies received for the sales aforesaid, shall be vested in some fund or stocks, and the income thereof shall be secured and appropriated for the benefit of said Indians, in such manner and for such purposes, as the Governor and Council shall direct, but no part thereof shall be paid to said Indians in money, provisions or clothing.

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## CHAP. 8.

Resolve in favor of Nehemiah Leavitt.

Approved March 5, 1830.

**RESOLVED**, That a township of Land six miles square, subject to the reservation provided in the fourth section of an Act to promote the sale and settlement of Public Lands, passed the twentieth day of February, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and twenty eight, be granted to Nehemiah Leavitt, upon the following conditions. to wit : the said township to be selected within five months, from any of the townships hereinafter specified, to wit : Township number two, in the sixth range, west from the east line of the State. Township D. in the second range ; Townships numbers six and eight in the third range, and numbers seven and nine, in the fourth range, not so valuable for the timber upon them as for settlement and cultivation ; within two years after such selection shall be made, the said Leavitt shall cause such township to be surveyed into lots, each containing one hundred and sixty acres, by a surveyor, to be approved of by the Land Agent, and return a plan thereof into the Land Office ; erect, or cause to be erected in said township, a good saw mill and grist mill, with all the necessary appurtenances to fit them for useful operation ; cause at least one hundred families, within five years, to be settled and resident in said township, upon separate and distinct lots and shall have erected within five years, in said township, at least four convenient and com-

fortable school houses, so situated as to accommodate the persons resident in said township ; and if the said Leavitt shall select township numbered six, in the third Range, he shall, in addition to the conditions aforesaid, pay into the Treasury of the State, one thousand dollars, in five equal annual payments, from the time of making such selection, with interest thereon annually ; and upon the performance of all the conditions aforesaid, and payment of said sum and interest, the Land Agent is authorized and required to convey said township, subject to the reservation for public use, to said Leavitt.

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## CHAP. 9.

Resolve, directing the Land Agent to inquire into, and report upon, the expediency of granting aid for making a Road, in Penobscot County.

Approved March 5, 1830.

On the petition of J. B. Harvey and others, praying for aid in making a road leading from the Penobscot River through Township number one, Old Indian Purchase, half Township number one, north of the Bingham Purchase, and Township number two, intersecting the public road, leading thence to Townships numbers three and four :

RESOLVED, For reasons set forth in said petition, that the Land Agent be, and hereby is authorized and required, to inquire into and ascertain the expediency or in expediency of granting the aid prayed for in the petition aforesaid, and to make report thereon, to the next Legislature, setting forth the amount of aid, if any, it is expedient to grant, the manner it ought to be appropriated, and his reasons therefor.

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## CHAP. 10.

Resolve in favor of William Pike.

Approved March 5, 1830.

On petition of William Pike of Calais, in the County of Washington, praying that he may be authorized to commence and prosecute certain actions of trespass in the name of this State.

RESOLVED, For the reasons set forth in the petition aforesaid, that said William Pike be, and he hereby is authorized and empowered, in the name of the State, to demand, collect and receive, to his own use, payment for trespasses by some person or persons committed, since the first day of October, in the year of