

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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RESOLVES

OF THE

FIFTEENTH LEGISLATURE,

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE,

PASSED AT THE SESSION

Which commenced on the seventh day of January, and ended on the twenty-fourth day of March, one thousand eight hundred and thirty-five.

Published agreeably to the Resolve of June 28, 1820.

AUGUSTA:

WILLIAM J. CONDON.....PRINTER TO THE STATE.

1835.

STATE OF MAINE.

IN SENATE, March 14, 1835.

The Joint Standing Committee on the Judiciary to whom was referred a Communication of the Governor respecting the doings of the Attorney General relative to a Turnpike road in the County of Cumberland, with the accompanying papers, have had the same under consideration and ask leave to

REPORT.

That it appears that a Resolve was passed by the Legislature the 12th of March, 1834, reciting "that whereas it has been represented to this Legislature that the proprietors of the first Cumberland Turnpike Corporation within the town of Scarborough have received in tolls such amount as that by the terms and conditions of the charter the franchise ought now to revert to the State," and directing the Attorney General of the State to cause a suitable process to be instituted against said proprietors to show cause why they should continue to receive tolls upon said Turnpike, and why the said Turnpike and the franchise thereof should not revert to, and be vested in the State, that in pursuance of the direction of said Resolve the Attorney General called upon the proprietors of said Corporation to obtain information of the facts in the case preparatory to the institution of the process contemplated by said Resolve; That Horatio Southgate Chairman of the Standing Committee and Treasurer of said Corporation exhibited to the Attorney General certain papers copies of which accompany the communication of the Governor with which the Committee have been charged, by which it appears that said Corporation have *not* "received in tolls such amount as that by the terms and condition of the Charter, the franchise ought now to revert." From this view of the subject your Committee are of opinion, that no further proceedings are necessary to be had under the resolve aforesaid, until further direction of the Legislature. To carry into effect the sentiments of the Committee they have prepared a Resolve, which is herewith submitted.

W. EMMONS, Chairman.

Chapter 57.

A Resolve respecting the institution of a process against the Proprietors of the first Cumberland Turnpike Corporation.

Approved March 23, 1835.

RESOLVED, That the Attorney General of the State, be directed not to institute any process against the Proprietors of the first Cumberland Turnpike Corporation until further direction of the Legislature.