

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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RESOLVES

OF THE

SIXTEENTH LEGISLATURE

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE,

PASSED AT THE SESSION

Which commenced on the sixth day of January, and ended on the fifth day of April,
one thousand eight hundred and thirty-six.

PUBLISHED AGREEABLY TO THE RESOLVE OF JUNE 28, 1820.

AUGUSTA:

SMITH & ROBINSON,.....PRINTERS TO THE STATE.

1836.

RESOLVED, That the sum of Five Thousand Dollars be appropriated from the Treasury, subject to the discretion of the Board of Internal Improvements, and to be expended by them in carrying on said Geological Survey.

Chapter 67.

Resolve in favor of William D. Williamson, Nathaniel Clark and Joseph R. Abbot, Commissioners of State Prison.

Approved March 28, 1836.

RESOLVED, That there be allowed and paid out of the State Treasury the following sums, to wit, to William D. Williamson the sum of Thirty Nine Dollars and Ninety Six cents—to Nathaniel Clark the sum of Twenty Five Dollars and Sixty Eight cents—to Joseph R. Abbot the sum of Thirty One Dollars and Forty Five cents, being a balance due them respectively for services as Commissioners of State Prison over and above the appropriation for that object contained in a Resolve of March 23, 1835.

Chapter 68.

Resolve in favor of Argyle Plantation.

Approved March 28, 1836.

RESOLVED, That the Governor with the advice of Council be and hereby is authorized to appoint an Agent to superintend the making of a road through the Waterville College Township in the Plantation of Argyle in the County of Penobscot as is now laid out by the Court of Sessions or County Commissioners for said County unless said Agent shall find some alterations therein necessary for the public accommodation in which case he is hereby authorized to vary the same. *Provided* That, the inhabitants of said Plantation of Argyle shall at their annual meeting in the month of March or April next for the choice of Plantation Officers raise a sum not less than One Thousand Dollars to be expended in labor and materials on said Road under the direction and superintendence of said

Agent.—*And provided also* that no greater sum be expended thereon by the State by said Agent than is hereafter appropriated by this Resolve.

RESOLVED, That a sum not exceeding Five Hundred Dollars be and the same is hereby appropriated to be expended on the aforesaid Road to be paid out of the Treasury of this State to the Agent so appointed and the Governor is hereby authorized to draw his warrant on the Treasury for the same.

Chapter 69.

Resolve in relation to an Arsenal of Construction to be established at Augusta.

Approved March 28, 1836.

RESOLVED, That, as it is provided by the regulations of the Ordnance Department that "Arsenals of Construction" not exceeding six are to be established and two of the six remain unlocated, the State of Maine has strong claims to such an establishment.

RESOLVED, That the Arsenal at Augusta is in every respect the most suitable place.

RESOLVED, That as Maine has an extensive maritime and inland frontier, which in case of war would be much exposed, it becomes an object of great importance that we should have a depot of arms and the *material* of war, in some safe and central place—Therefore

RESOLVED, That our Senators and Representatives in Congress be required to use their influence with the President and Secretary of War; that the Arsenal at Augusta may be selected as one of the "Arsenals of Construction."

RESOLVED, That the Governor be requested to transmit a copy of these Resolutions to the President of the United States, the Secretary of War and to each of our Senators and Representatives in Congress.