

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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RESOLVES

OF THE

SEVENTEENTH LEGISLATURE

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE,

PASSED AT THE SESSION

WHICH COMMENCED ON THE FOURTH DAY OF JANUARY, AND ENDED ON THE THIRTIETH
DAY OF MARCH, IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD ONE THOUSAND EIGHT
HUNDRED AND THIRTY-SEVEN.

PUBLISHED AGREEABLY TO THE RESOLVE OF JUNE 28, 1820.

AUGUSTA:
SMITH & ROBINSON, PRINTERS TO THE STATE.
1837.

and Ninety-four Cents, with interest thereon from the fourth of November, A. D. eighteen hundred and thirty-six, being the balance due from said Miller to the State, and in failure of payment to take suitable measures for its collection. *Provided*, That an extension from said fourth of November of six months on one half—and twelve months on the other half of said sum with interest, be allowed said Miller, on the condition, that he shall give to said Treasurer, within thirty days from the passage of this Resolve his notes with good and sufficient sureties or endorsers for the payment of said sums at the times specified and not otherwise.

Chapter 46.

Resolve making appropriations for Military purposes.

Approved March 21, 1837.

RESOLVED, That there be allowed and granted for the purpose hereinafter named, the following sums, to wit :—Nine Hundred Dollars for alteration and repair of Gun Carriages ;—Two Hundred Dollars for transportation and laboratory stores ;—Six Hundred Dollars for Musical Instruments and Colors;—One Hundred Dollars for Harnesses, Tumbrel and Apparatus for a new Company of Artillery in the First Brigade of the Fourth Division, in addition to the sum remaining of appropriations made in 1836 for Harnesses, Tumbrels and Apparatus for new Companies of Artillery in the Eighth Division, now in the hands of the Acting Quarter Master General ; Two Hundred and Twenty Five Dollars, for Harnesses, Tumbrel and Apparatus for a new Company of Artillery in the First Brigade of the Eighth Division.

RESOLVED FURTHER, That there be allowed and granted for the purposes hereinafter named the following sums, to wit :—Three Hundred Dollars for the erection of a Gun House in East Machias;—Three Hundred Dollars for the erection of a Gun House in Calais;—Two Hundred Dollars for the erection of a Gun House in Danville;—Two Hundred Dollars for the erection of a Gun House in Bangor, in addition to the sum appropriated in 1836;—One Hundred Dollars for finishing the Gun House in Wiscasset ; One

Thousand Dollars for the purchase of a Site, and the erection of a State Arsenal in Bangor, in addition to the appropriation of 1836;—Two Hundred Dollars for the erection of a Gun House in St. Albans; One Hundred Dollars for finishing the Gun House in Wilton. The several sums aforesaid to be paid whenever in the opinion of the Governor with the advice of Council the public service may require it. And for the expenditure thereof the Acting Quarter Master General shall be accountable. The several sums aforesaid to be expended under the direction and at the discretion of the Governor and Council.

Chapter 47.

Resolve to legalize certain official acts of Seward Bucknam.

Approved March 21, 1837.

Whereas Seward Bucknam on the twenty seventh day of January, one thousand eight hundred and twenty-nine, was commissioned as a Justice of the Peace for the County of Washington; and took and subscribed the oaths of office on the fourth day of March in the same year. *And whereas* through forgetfulness, of the time to which his authority was limited, he, the said Bucknam proceeded after the expiration of his commission, to perform several official acts as a Justice of the Peace, in the full belief that he was authorized by his commission so to do;—Now to the end that no injuries should be produced, and that no rights should be impaired, by the said proceedings, be it therefore,

RESOLVED, That the aforesaid doings of the said Bucknam, transacted after the expiration of his commission be and the same hereby are legalized and made valid, to the same extent and effect as if the same had been transacted within the time for which he was legally qualified to act in the office aforesaid.