

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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RESOLVES

OF THE

EIGHTEENTH LEGISLATURE

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE,

PASSED AT THE SESSION

WHICH COMMENCED ON THE THIRD DAY OF JANUARY, AND ENDED ON
THE TWENTY-THIRD DAY OF MARCH, ONE THOUSAND
EIGHT HUNDRED AND THIRTY-EIGHT.

PUBLISHED AGREEABLY TO THE RESOLVE OF JUNE 28, 1820.

AUGUSTA:
LUTHER SEVERANCE, PRINTER.
1838.

CHAPTER 88.

Resolve authorizing the Treasurer to receive proposals for a Loan in behalf of the State.

Approved March 23, 1838.

RESOLVED, That the Treasurer be and he hereby is directed to advertise for a Loan of Three Hundred Thousand Dollars, at least thirty days prior to the session of the next Legislature, and to receive proposals until the fifteenth day of January next, for said Loan as follows, viz : One Hundred Thousand Dollars, payable in ten years, One Hundred Thousand Dollars payable in eleven years, One Hundred Thousand Dollars payable in twelve years, with interest payable annually.

CHAPTER 89.

Resolves in relation to the North Eastern Boundary.

Approved March 23, 1838.

RESOLVED, That it is not expedient to give the assent of this State to the Federal Government to treat with that of Great Britain for a Conventional Line for our North Eastern Boundary, but that this State will insist on the line established by the Treaty of seventeen hundred and eighty-three.

RESOLVED, That as this State has never heretofore given her consent to the appointment of an Umpire under the Treaty of Ghent in eighteen hundred and fourteen, but has protested against the same, and as she believes it to be a grave question, whether the provision in the Treaty for this purpose has not done its office and is therefore no longer in force, she is not now prepared to give her assent to the appointment of a new Arbitrator.

RESOLVED, That our Senators and Representatives in Congress be requested to urge the passage of the Bill for the Survey of the North Eastern Boundary of the United States, &c. now pending in Congress, and that if said Bill shall not become a law during the present session of Congress, and if the Government of the United States, either alone or in conjunction with Great Britain or the State of Maine, shall not on or before the first day of September next, establish and appoint a commis-

sion for a survey of said Boundary line, it shall then be the imperative duty of the Governor, without further delay, to appoint forthwith, suitable Commissioners and Surveyors for ascertaining, running and locating the North Eastern Boundary Line of this State, and to cause the same to be carried into operation.

RESOLVED, That the Governor be requested to transmit to the President of the United States one copy of his Message to the Legislature on the subject of the North Eastern Boundary and these Resolutions, and one copy of the same to each of the Heads of Department at Washington one copy to each of our Senators and Representatives in Congress, and one copy to the Governor of Massachusetts.

CHAPTER 90.

Resolve laying a Tax on the several Counties in this State.

Approved March 23, 1838.

RESOLVED; That the sums annexed to the several Counties contained in the following Schedule be and the same are hereby granted, as a Tax for each County respectively, to be appropriated, assessed, collected and applied for the purposes of paying the debts and necessary expenses of the same, and other purposes ordered by law.

County of York, Eight Thousand and Six Hundred Dollars.

County of Cumberland, Seventeen Thousand Dollars.

County of Lincoln, Nine Thousand Five Hundred and Seventy-Three Dollars.

County of Kennebec, Ten Thousand Dollars.

County of Hancock, Five Thousand Dollars.

County of Washington, Seven Thousand Dollars.

County of Somerset, Five Thousand Five Hundred Dollars.

County of Oxford, Six Thousand Dollars.

County of Waldo, Seven Thousand Dollars.

County of Penobscot, Twelve Thousand Dollars.