

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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RESOLVES

OF THE

NINETEENTH LEGISLATURE

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE,

PASSED AT ITS SESSION

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

PUBLISHED AGREEABLY TO THE RESOLVE OF JUNE 23, 1820.

AUGUSTA:
SMITH & ROBINSON, PRINTERS TO THE STATE.

1839.

Chapter 59.

Resolve in favor of Robert Maxwell.

Approved March 12, 1839.

RESOLVED, That there be paid out of the Treasury of the State to Robert Maxwell of Danville, four dollars per month, for two years, in consequence of an injury sustained by him while on military duty.

Chapter 60.

Resolve for the appointment of a Commissioner to take the evidence in certain cases.

Approved March 13, 1839.

WHEREAS, Sundry applications have been made to this Legislature by persons who have purchased lands of the State since the first day of January eighteen hundred and thirty-four, or who have purchased lands of others, and who were indebted to the State for lands sold, and who have assumed to the State the liabilities of such purchases, praying that they may be exonerated from the payment of the balance, in whole or in part, due from them to the State.

RESOLVED, That the Governor, with the advice of Council, be and he is authorized to appoint a suitable person as Commissioner, whose duty it shall be, on application of any of the persons above described, to proceed to take such evidence as such persons may produce in relation to their claims, and also such other evidence as the Land Agent may produce, under such rules and regulations as said Commissioner may prescribe. And said Commissioner may take the evidence in any other like cases, which have occurred since the first day of January eighteen hundred and thirty-four, where the applicants intend to prefer their petitions to the next Legislature. And it shall be the duty of the Commissioner to report the facts in each case to the next Legislature. *Provided, however,* that each applicant under this Resolve shall pay the Commissioner five dollars per day for his services.