

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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ACTS AND RESOLVES,

PASSED BY THE

TWENTIETH LEGISLATURE

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE,

JANUARY SESSION, 1840.

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vice the past year, the sums set against their names respectively, amounting in the whole to the sum of twenty-nine thousand, five hundred one dollars and thirty cents, in full discharge of the accounts to which they refer.

[*Approved March 16, 1840.*]

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### Chapter 54.

Resolve relating to the State Prison debts.

*Resolved*, That in all cases where a change is made or occurs in the Warden of the Maine State Prison, the successor in office shall be vested with all the powers of his predecessor in the collection and settlement of all the debts and accounts of said Prison in the same manner as though no such change had taken place.

Warden for the time being authorized to settle the debts, &c., of his predecessor.

[*Approved March 16, 1840.*]

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### Chapter 55.

Resolve providing for the choice of Electors of President and Vice President of the United States.

*Resolved*, That there shall be chosen on the first Monday of November next, ten inhabitants of this State, to be Electors of President and Vice President of the United States; no senator nor representative in Congress, nor person holding any office of trust or profit under the United States shall be eligible, as an Elector.

Ten electors to be chosen on the first Monday of November.

Eligibility.

*Resolved*, That the people of this State shall assemble on the said day, in town, plantation, city or ward meetings; which meetings shall be notified and held, so far as applicable in the same manner, as is provided by the constitution and laws for the