

# 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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although the townships in which such lots lie may not be wholly surveyed and lotted, he complying with the requisitions of law in other respects. \*

*Resolved*, That the Land Agent be hereby authorized to convey to George W. Buckmore, Samuel Kimball and John Matthews and their associates in proportion as they are respectively interested lot number fifty-six according to the plan and survey of Noah Barker in township number eleven, range five, west from the east line of the State, on which they have erected a saw and grist mill, and also to convey to them and their associates four lots surveyed for settlement in that township agreeably to the provisions of the second section of the Act, entitled "an Act additional to promote the sale and settlement of the public lands."

Land Agent authorized to convey certain lots to G. W. Buckmore and others.

*Resolved*, That the Land Agent is hereby authorized to convey to Dennis Fairbanks or his assigns lot number three as marked in the survey and plan of Thomas Sawyer, Jr., in township F. range two west of the east line of the State, on which lot he has erected a saw and grist mill—and also to convey to him and his associates lots number four, fifteen and sixteen, in the same township, under the provisions of the said second section of the Act of 1838.

Land Agent authorized to convey to Dennis Fairbanks and others certain lots of land.

[Approved March 18, 1840.]

#### Chapter 74.

Resolve authorizing an exchange of State securities.

*Resolved*, That the Treasurer of State, be, and he hereby is authorized to issue new certificates of stock reimbursable in five years, or for such further term of time not exceeding twelve years as the Treasurer may deem expedient, from the first day

Treasurer authorized to issue certificates, payable in 5 to 12 yrs. at 6 per cent.

of April next at a rate of interest not exceeding six per cent. per annum with certificates for each year's interest attached, payable annually at the Treasury in lieu of the State notes now held by any Bank for money loaned upon the requisition of the State.

*Provided*, that the said sum so exchanged shall be taken in fulfilment of the condition giving the State a right to make a requisition upon any Bank until the scrip so taken by any Bank is repaid.—And *provided further*, that any Bank so exchanging shall loan the State a further sum not exceeding three per cent. of its capital stock, reimbursable as aforesaid with interest annually at the rate of six per cent. per annum.

Proviso.

Banks so exchanging shall loan the State 3 per cent. of its capital stock.

[Approved March 18, 1840.]

Chapter 75.

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

*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 apportioned, assessed, collected and applied, for the purpose of paying the debts and necessary expenses of the same, and for other purposes ordered by law.

York,	Three thousand dollars,	3,000
Cumberland,	Seventeen thousand dollars,	17,000
Lincoln,	Fifteen thousand dollars,	15,000
Kennebec,	Twelve thousand and four hundred dollars,	12,400
Hancock,	Six thousand dollars,	6,000
Washington,	Five thousand and one hundred dolls.,	5,100
Oxford,	Three thousand dollars,	3,000
Somerset,	Six thousand and five hundred dolls.,	6,500
Penobscot,	Seventeen thousand and five hundred dollars,	17,500