

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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ACTS AND RESOLVES,

PASSED BY THE

TWENTY-FIRST LEGISLATURE

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE,

JANUARY SESSION, 1841.

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Chapter 127.

RESOLVE authorizing a loan in behalf of the State.

Resolved, That the Treasurer be and he hereby is authorized to procure on the faith of the State, a loan ^{Loan of \$250,000.} not exceeding two hundred and fifty thousand dollars, reimbursable at such times as in his opinion shall be most advantageous to the State; but not beyond the period of fifteen years, at a rate of interest not ex- ^{—15 years—} ceeding six per cent. per annum, payable semi-annually ^{—6 per cent.} at the treasury or in the city of Boston; and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue State securities or certificates of stock therefor, payable at either of the aforementioned places, in sums not less than five hundred dollars each, with certificates for the interest attached thereto; which certificates of stock shall be signed by him as Treasurer, countersigned by the Governor and attested by the Secretary of State, with the seal of said State. The interest warrants to be signed by the Treasurer only. ^{Payable at the Treasury or in Boston.} ^{Securities therefor, how attested, &c.}

[Approved March 11, 1841.]

Chapter 128.

RESOLVE legalizing and making valid the doings and acts of the town clerk and other officers, of the town of Hampden.

WHEREAS, John Nourse was chosen clerk of the town of Hampden, in the County of Penobscot, for the years of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and thirty-six, one thousand eight hundred and thirty-seven, one thousand eight hundred and thirty-eight and one thousand eight hundred and thirty-nine; and did not at any time during the years before named take the oath of office, as the Constitution and laws require, but failed so to do, whereby his official doings and acts were rendered illegal and void; therefore, ^{John Nourse, Clerk in 1836—'37, '38, '39—} ^{—not sworn.}

Resolved, That all the doings and acts of the said John Nourse, as clerk of the town of Hampden aforesaid, be and they hereby are, legalized and made valid, and they are and shall be of the same force and effect, ^{—his acts, &c. legalized.}

as though he had taken the oath of office as required by the Constitution and laws; and the doings and acts of any and of all the officers of said town of Hampden, are not, and shall in no wise be invalidated or rendered illegal, by the failure of the said John Nourse to take the oath of office as aforesaid, but they are and shall be, of the same force and effect, as though the said John Nourse had complied with the requirements of the Constitution and laws.

[Approved March 11, 1841.]

Chapter 129.

RESOLVE in favor of the town of Brooks.

Resolved, That there be paid out of the treasury of the State, to the town of Brooks, the sum of one hundred and four dollars and ninety cents, for six tents procured by said town for the use of soldiers drafted into the service of the State, in the year one thousand eight hundred and thirty-nine. *Provided*, that the tents aforesaid, shall first be delivered to the keeper of the State's arsenal at Bangor, and producing his receipt for the same.

Brooks, \$104 90,
for six tents, for
Aroostook expe-
dition.

Proviso.

[Approved March 11, 1841.]

Chapter 130.

RESOLVE in favor of the Passamaquoddy Indians.

Resolved, That there be expended from the fund which has or may arise from the sale of timber of the Indian township, a sum not exceeding one hundred and fifty dollars, for the repair of the church at Pleasant point, to be laid out by the agent for said Indians, under the direction of the Governor and Council.

\$150 for repair
of church.

[Approved March 18, 1841.]