

# 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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1841.

**RESOLVES**  
PASSED BY THE  
**LEGISLATURE OF MAINE.**  
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[supplied from page 467 of volume]

Chapter 166.

RESOLVES respecting French Spoliations.

*Resolved*, That the government of the United States are bound, by every principle of justice and national honor, to make speedy provision for the indemnification of those citizens, who suffered by French spoliations on American commerce, prior to the ratification of the treaty of eighteen hundred; that the General Government having by their treaties with France compromised all claims upon that government, for such captures and spoliations, and having received an equivalent, any longer delay to do justice to the claimants does not comport with national justice.

U. States bound to indemnify.

*Resolved*, That the Governor of this State be requested to forward a copy of this Report and these Resolutions, to our Senators and Representatives in Congress, and that they be requested to call the immediate attention of both branches of Congress to the subject, and use all their influence to procure the passage of a law, making provision for those who suffered by the French captures and spoliations aforesaid.

Gov. to transmit these Resolves to members of Congress.

[Approved April 16, 1841.]

Chapter 167.

RESOLVE in favor of the town of Belfast.

*Resolved*, That there be paid, out of the treasury of the State, to the town of Belfast, the sum of thirty-four dollars and ninety-three cents, for two tents furnished by said town, for 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 produce his receipt for the same.

Belfast, \$34.93 for two tents, for Aroostook expedition—

—on producing receipt from keeper of State Arsenal.

[Approved April 16, 1841.]