

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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ACTS AND RESOLVES

PASSED BY THE

TWENTY-THIRD LEGISLATURE

OF THE

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A. D. 1843.

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RESOLVES

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE,

1843.

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**Chapter 126.**

Resolves in relation to the Military Academy at West Point in the state of New York.

*Resolved,* That in the opinion of this legislature, the Military Academy at West Point, in the state of New York, ought to be abolished, and a plan of military instruction adopted, that will be impartial in its operations and consistent with the spirit and genius of our liberal institutions.

Relative to the military academy at West Point.

*Resolved,* That our senators in congress be instructed, and our representatives requested, to oppose any further appropriations for the support of said academy.

*Resolved,* That the governor of this state cause to be transmitted, a copy of the foregoing resolutions to each of our senators and representatives in congress, and to the governors of the several states of the Union.

[*Approved February 2, 1843.*]

**Chapter 127.**

Resolves in relation to the Post Office department.

*Resolved,* That our senators in congress be instructed, and our representatives requested, to use their efforts to effect such an alteration in the post office laws as shall prevent the postmaster general from putting such construction upon said laws, as will compel the payment of letter postage on such newspapers as may have the name of the person sending the same written thereon.

Relative to the P. O. department

*Resolved,* That the governor be requested to transmit a copy of these resolutions to each of our senators and representatives in congress.

[*Approved February 3, 1843.*]

**Chapter 128.**

Resolve in relation to the state valuation of the towns of Minot and Auburn.

*Resolved,* That the number of polls set to the valuation of the town of Minot, in the county of Cumberland, be two hundred and seventy five, and the amount of estates set against said town, be two hundred and forty five thousand, five hundred and ninety dollars, instead of the number and sum fixed by the valuation of eighteen hundred and forty one; and that the valuation of the town of Au-

Valuation of Minot and Auburn equalized.