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ACTS AND RESOLVES

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TWENTY-THIRD LEGISLATURE

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RESOLVES

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE,

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**Chapter 162.****CHAP. 162.**

Resolve in relation to the distribution of the annual school fund.

*Resolved*, That the treasurer of the state be, and he hereby is, authorized and directed, in apportioning the annual school fund among the several cities, towns and plantations in this state, to assume as the basis of apportionment among such cities, towns and plantations, (except Madawaska) as had not returned their number of scholars to the office of the secretary of state, up to the tenth day March, instant, the number of persons between the ages of four and twenty one years, in those cities, towns and plantations, as stated in the apportionment of the bank tax of last year; and among those in the Madawaska settlements, as returned by the census of 1840.

Distribution of the annual school fund.

Basis, where no returns have been made.

[*Approved March 14, 1843.*]

**Chapter 163.**

Resolve transferring the state valuation of that part of the town of Hope set off to the town of Appleton.

*Resolved*, That the number of polls, one hundred and thirty six, and the real and personal estate, amounting to ninety thousand seven hundred and thirteen dollars, be deducted from the town of Hope and be added to the town of Appleton, making the state valuation of Appleton two hundred and ninety four polls, and real and personal estates one hundred and eighty two thousand, nine hundred and seventy dollars; and the state valuation of Hope will stand one hundred and ninety three polls, and real and personal estate, one hundred thirty nine thousand, one hundred and three dollars.

Valuation of a part of the town of Hope transferred to the town of Appleton.

[*Approved March 16, 1843.*]

**Chapter 164.**

Resolve in favor of Jedediah Fairfield, of Hampden.

Jedediah Fairfield, of Hampden, county of Penobscot, contemplating and intending to avail himself of the provisions of the third chapter of the revised statutes, regulating the sale and settlement of the public lands, having erected and put in operation a good and substantial saw mill in township number four, in the fifth range from the east line of the state, therefore

Preamble and resolve in favor of Jedediah Fairfield.

**CHAP. 165.**

Grist mill to be erected.

Land agent may convey five lots of land.

*Resolved,* That if the said Jedediah Fairfield shall within two years erect or cause to be erected and put in operation, in said township, a good and substantial grist mill, with one or more run of stones, and shall prove to the satisfaction of the land agent that he has so erected and put in operation said mill, the land agent is hereby authorized and directed to make and execute deeds of so many lots of land, not exceeding five in number, as the said Fairfield shall select, in said township, and shall perform settling duties upon, as provided in said third chapter of the revised statutes.

[*Approved March 16, 1843.*]

**Chapter 165.**

Resolve correcting the valuation of the county of Aroostook.

Valuation of the county of Aroostook corrected.

*Resolved,* That the aggregate amount of estate set against the county of Aroostook, be five hundred and ten thousand three hundred and forty three dollars, instead of the sum fixed by a resolve entitled “resolve fixing a valuation to the town of Masardis and correcting the valuation of the county of Aroostook,” approved February 9, 1843.

[*Approved March 16, 1843.*]

**Chapter 166.**

Resolve authorizing the land agent to locate and open a road across the Marshill township in the county of Aroostook.

Road across the Mars hill township.

*Resolved,* That the land agent is hereby authorized to locate and open a road commencing on the north line of half township letter B, at the point where the road now being made by Massachusetts intersects said line, thence across the Marshill township in a northwesterly direction to the road recently made by the proprietors of the Deerfield academy grant, at an expense not to exceed one thousand dollars.

[*Approved March 16, 1843.*]