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ACTS AND RESOLVES

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RESOLVES

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE,

1844.

CHAP. 288.

Chapter 288.

Resolve abating the taxes on township number six, in the ninth range west from the east line of the state.

Abatement of
tax on T. No. 6,
R. 9.

Resolved, That the state treasurer be and hereby is directed to abate two thirds parts of the state and county taxes, for the years one thousand eight hundred and forty-two and one thousand eight hundred and forty-three, assessed on the township aforementioned; and he is also directed to charge the county of Piscataquis with the amount of county taxes abated.

[*Approved March 21, 1844.*]

Chapter 289.

Resolve for the preservation of the laws of other states now in the state library.

Preservation of
the laws of other
states now in the
state library.

Resolved, That the secretary of state be instructed to have bound in proper form, one set of all unbound laws and resolves of other states now in the state library; and, provided any copies shall be wanting to complete the series of laws of any state or states, to request from the proper authorities of such state or states, such copies as may be necessary for the above mentioned purpose.

[*Approved March 21, 1844.*]

Chapter 290.

Resolve in favor of the town of Bradford.

In favor of the
town of Brad-
ford.

Resolved, That the secretary of state be instructed to furnish to the town of Bradford, in the county of Penobscot, one set of Maine reports, up to and including the nineteenth volume.

[*Approved March 21, 1844.*]

Chapter 291.

Resolve providing for a state valuation.

Committee
to be elected to
make out a state
valuation during
the recess of the
legislature.

Resolved, That there be chosen a committee of thirteen, one from each county, from the members of this legislature, to be elected in convention of both branches, whose duty it shall be to make out a state valuation in the recess of the legislature, by the valuation returns of last year, adopting such means as by them may

be deemed expedient for their equalization, and for obtaining all necessary information, and report the same to the next legislature; and for that purpose said committee shall meet on the third Wednesday of November next; and the pay of the said committee shall be made up for travel and attendance, by the governor and council, the same as members of the legislature; and the treasurer of state is hereby authorized to pay the same. Provided, that nothing in this resolve shall be so construed as to permit said committee to travel through or over any part of the state for the purpose of information, personal inspection of property, or to employ agents for that purpose. And said committee shall be selected by the delegations of the several counties, and reported to the convention of the two branches for their ratification.

CHAP. 292.

Time of meeting.

Pay.

Duty of treasurer.

Proviso.

How committee shall be selected.

[Approved March 21, 1844.]

Chapter 292.

Resolve in favor of Rendol Whidden.

Resolved, That the time of payment of the balance due the state on three several notes of hand against Rendol Whidden, be extended one year from the twentieth day of April, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-four. Provided the said Whidden shall deed, by a good and sufficient warrantee deed, lot No. 43, in the town of Orient, to John Collier, on condition that said John Collier shall deed by a good and sufficient warrantee deed, lot No. 42, in said town of Orient, to said Rendol Whidden, at any time within one year from the passage of this resolve: and, further provided, that this extension shall not affect the lien the state has upon any land or timber as security for the payment of said notes or the equitable interests of the Washington County Bank in said land or timber.

In favor of Rendol Whidden.

[Approved March 21, 1844.]

Chapter 293.

Resolve for the purchase of Niles' Weekly Register.

Resolved, That the secretary of state be instructed to purchase such numbers or volumes of Niles' Register, as may be necessary to complete a set, with such volumes as are now in the state library.

Niles' Weekly Register.

[Approved March 21, 1844.]