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ACTS AND RESOLVES

PASSED BY THE

TWENTY-SIXTH LEGISLATURE

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE,

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PUBLIC LAWS

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE,

1846.

CHAP. 207.

Chapter 207.

An Act in relation to the removal of insane state paupers.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in Legislature assembled, as follows:

State paupers having their residence in other states to be removed.

It shall be the duty of the superintendent of the insane hospital, to ascertain the residence of such insane persons as are supported in said hospital at the expense of the state; and if he shall ascertain that such persons have their residence in other states, he shall cause them to be removed to the places of their residence at the expense of the state.

[Approved August 8, 1846.]

Chapter 208.

An Act to authorize school districts to borrow money for certain purposes.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in Legislature assembled, as follows:

When school districts may borrow money.

SECTION 1. Any school district, by a vote of two-thirds of the legal voters present, and voting, at a legal meeting called for that purpose, shall have power to borrow money for the purpose of erecting a school house and of purchasing land on which the same may stand.

Loan, term of and mode of payment.

SECT. 2. Every such loan shall be made for a term of time, not exceeding five years, and shall be payable in equal annual instalments.

Clerk to notify assessors and treasurer.

SECT. 3. When any school district shall vote to borrow money for such purpose, the clerk shall forthwith certify such vote to the assessors and treasurer of the town in which such district is located, if wholly within the limits of any one town, otherwise to the assessors and treasurer of the town in which such school house is to be built.

Agents to contract a loan may be appointed.

SECT. 4. The district may appoint an agent or agents to contract a loan as aforesaid, who are authorized to bind the district therefor, and to give the necessary evidence of debt therefor, and a copy of such evidence of debt shall be, by such agent or agents, filed with the town clerk of the town aforesaid, and shall be entered on the town records. The money procured on such loan shall be received by the treasurer of the town before mentioned, and shall be applied and paid out for the purposes aforesaid, in the same manner as is now or may hereafter be provided in case of money raised for building school houses by taxation.

Treasurer to receive and pay out the money.