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ACTS AND RESOLVES

PASSED BY THE

TWENTY-EIGHTH LEGISLATURE

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE,

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RESOLVES

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE,

1848.

Chapter 59.

CHAP. 59.

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

Resolved, That the treasurer of state is hereby authorized and directed to apportion and distribute the annual school fund among the several cities, towns and plantations, according to the returns of the number of scholars for eighteen hundred and forty-seven, received at the office of the secretary of state, and including all such returns as may be received prior to the twenty-fifth day of June, eighteen hundred and forty-eight, anything in the act additional in relation to public schools approved July thirty-first, eighteen hundred and forty seven to the contrary notwithstanding, subject however, to the following conditions and exceptions; in any cases, where the returns are not subscribed and sworn to, by one or more of the superintending school committee or assessors, or where the returns do not purport to state the whole number of persons between the ages of four and twenty-one years, or where no return for eighteen hundred and forty-seven shall have been received by the secretary of state prior to the said twenty-fifth day of June, in such cases the basis of apportionment shall be the same as that assumed for the same places, in the apportionment of the school fund of the preceding year; *provided further*, that the town of Perkins and the town of Damariscotta shall severally receive an amount corresponding to the respective returns actually received from the superintending school committees of said towns, and that an amount corresponding to the number of persons returned from said town of Perkins be deducted from the amount, which would otherwise be apportioned to the town of Dresden, and that amounts corresponding to the several numbers returned from said town of Damariscotta as derived from the towns of Bristol and Nobleborough be deducted respectively from the amounts, which would otherwise be apportioned to said towns of Bristol and Nobleborough.

How apportioned.

Conditions and exceptions.

Provide.

[Approved June 21, 1848.]

Chapter 60.

Resolve in favor of the Passamaquoddy Indians.

Resolved, That for the purpose of building a house for the priest to live in on the Indian township of the Passamaquoddy

Erection of house for priest.

CHAP. 61.

§400 appropri-
ated.

Agent.

Account of such
agent.

Amount to be
paid priest, an-
nually.

Indians, there be paid out of their fund which has accumulated for stumpage from trespassers on the Indian township of said tribe now in the hands of the agent of said tribe, or to be collected by said agent, the sum of four hundred dollars. And the governor with advice of council is hereby authorized to appoint an agent for the purpose of erecting the house aforesaid, who shall give bond to the state for the faithful execution of his trust. The account of such agent shall be examined and allowed by the governor and council, and the amount so allowed by them shall be paid to such agent by the agent of said tribe of Indians, and the governor and council may, in their discretion, require said Indian agent to advance such portion of the amount as they shall deem expedient.

Resolved, That the Indian agent of the Passamaquoddy tribe of Indians pay annually the sum of one hundred dollars to the priest ministering to the Passamaquoddy tribe of Indians at their churches on the Indian township and at Pleasant point, to be paid out of the Indian fund that may from time to time be collected by said agent from trespassers on the Indian township of said tribe, the account of said expenditure to be settled and allowed by the governor and council.

[*Approved June 22, 1848.*]

Chapter 61.

Resolve in favor of Eunice Kellogg.

Title to lot No. 2,
Indian purchase,
confirmed.

Resolved, That the land agent of the state of Maine be empowered and directed, and he is hereby empowered and directed to grant and confirm unto Eunice Kellogg, of Portland, Cumberland county, Maine, widow of Elijah Kellogg, late of said Portland, deceased, who was a soldier of the revolution, lot numbered two, Indian purchase, in the county of Penobscot, which was granted to the said Elijah Kellogg by the state of Maine, on the fifteenth July, in the year of our Lord eighteen hundred and thirty-six, and which has since that time become forfeited to said state for nonpayment of taxes thereon.

Claim to taxes
remitted.

Resolved, That the state of Maine hereby remits all claim to taxes on said lot to this date.

[*Approved June 27, 1848.*]