## MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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### ACTS AND RESOLVES

PASSED BY THE

EXTRA SESSION OF THE THIRTY-SECOND LEGISLATURE, 1853,

AND THE

### THIRTY-THIRD LEGISLATURE

OF THE

### STATE OF MAINE,

1854.

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## RESOLVES

OF THE

# STATE OF MAINE.

1854.

Снар. 167.

should render it expedient, that we feel that we may safely rely upon American statesmen to protect the great interests that are involved in maintaining the well established and wise policy under which we have prospered.

Resolved, That the great lumbering interests of this state are entitled to the equal protection of the government, and by no arrangement for reciprocity of trade between the United States and the British North American colonies, should colonial lumber be suddenly admitted into the United States free of duty, thus introducing at once, and without an opportunity to prepare for the change, a disturbing element that would jeopard this important business of our citizens.

Resolved, That the governor be requested to forward copies of the foregoing resolutions to each of our senators and representatives in congress.

[Approved April 19, 1854.]

#### Chapter 167.

Resolve in favor of George Ross.

George Ross, in favor of. Resolved, That there be paid out of the treasury of the state to George Ross, publisher of the Northern Tribune, the sum of six dollars, in full for publishing the laws of the state passed at the extra session of eighteen hundred and fifty-three.

[Approved April 19, 1854.]

#### Chapter 168.

Resolve authorizing the governor and council to settle the account of Adams Treat for services in superintending repairs of state prison.

Adams Treat, settlement of account of authorized. Resolved, That the governor and council be hereby authorized to settle the account of Adams Treat for services rendered by him in superintending the repairs on the state prison in eighteen hundred and fifty-one, and for the amount found to be due and allowed by them they are authorized to draw a warrant on the treasury to be paid out of any moneys not otherwise appropriated.

[Approved April 19, 1854.]