

## ACTS AND RESOLVES

PASSED BY THE

#### EXTRA SESSION OF THE THIRTY-SECOND LEGISLATURE, 1853,

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AND THE

# THIRTY-THIRD LEGISLATURE

OF THE

### STATE OF MAINE,

#### 1854.

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### GOVERNOR'S MESSAGE.

#### To the senate and house of representatives :

THE commissioners under the resolve passed at your last session, authorizing the purchase of the lands owned by the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, lying in the State of Maine, made their final report to me on the 25th day of July last. Entertaining the opinion that the contract for a purchase, entered into by them, is one which it is advisable for the state to accept, I issued my proclamation on the first inst., convening you at the present time and place as required by the resolve referred to. The contract, report of commissioners and accompanying documents, are herewith laid before you for your consideration and final action.

#### WILLIAM G. CROSBY.

Council Chamber, September 20, 1853.