

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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ACTS AND RESOLVES

PASSED BY THE

THIRTY-SIXTH LEGISLATURE

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE,

1857.

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PRIVATE AND SPECIAL LAWS

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE.

1857.

CHAP. 26.**Chapter 26.**

An act authorizing the county commissioners of the county of Somerset to re-assess certain taxes.

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

Authorized to re-assess certain taxes.

SECT. 1. The county commissioners of the county of Somerset, at their next session after the passage of this act, are hereby authorized to re-assess upon the unincorporated tracts and townships of land, situated in said county, the several amounts assessed thereon by the commissioners of said county in the year eighteen hundred and fifty-six, as their proportion of the ordinary county expenses of that year, the treasurer of said county having failed to certify the same seasonably to the state treasurer; and the taxes, hereby authorized to be re-assessed, shall be collected according to the provisions of the one hundred and thirty-third chapter of the laws of Maine, approved August fourteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-nine, and of the eighty-eighth chapter of said laws, approved August eleventh, eighteen hundred and forty-eight, so far as the same are now in force, without reference to the month in which said taxes may be re-assessed.

—how collected.

—certificate of.

SECT. 2. The taxes hereby authorized to be re-assessed, shall be certified to the treasurer of state, in like manner as is now provided by law.

SECT. 3. This act shall take effect from and after its approval by the governor.

[Approved March 16, 1857.]

Chapter 27.

An act to regulate the duties of the agent of the Penobscot Indians.

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

Penobscot Indians, census of, when and how taken.

SECT. 1. An accurate census of the Penobscot tribe shall be taken as it existed on the Wednesday next before the first day of April of each year, in which shall be stated the name and sex, and age as near as may be, of each Indian, each family by itself. No person, not an Indian of that tribe, shall be included therein. It shall be taken by one or more of the superintending school committee of the town of Oldtown, certified under oath, and delivered to the agent as soon after the first day of April as may be. Corrections of the list, by reason of births, deaths or omissions, may, as