

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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ACTS AND RESOLVES

PASSED BY THE

THIRTY-SIXTH LEGISLATURE

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE,

1857.

Published by the Secretary of State, agreeably to Resolves of June 23, 1820, February 26, 1840,
and March 16, 1842.

AUGUSTA:
STEVENS & BLAINE, PRINTERS TO THE STATE.
1857.

RESOLVES

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE.

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CHAP. 52.

Chapter 52.

Resolve in aid of repairing road in the town of Grafton.

Road, repair, in
aid of.
Proviso.

Resolved, That the land agent be authorized to expend one thousand dollars on the county road, in the town of Grafton; *provided*, the inhabitants or proprietors of said town shall first have expended, to the satisfaction of the land agent, five hundred dollars on the same road in said town.

[Approved March 31, 1857.]

Chapter 53.

Resolves relating to the publication of the revised statutes.

Revised statutes,
constitutions of
state and of U.
States, &c., to be
published.

Resolved, That as soon as may be, after the close of the present session of the legislature, the revised statutes of the state, together with the constitution thereof, the constitution of the United States, the repealing act, and such other additions as are necessary, shall be published by Messrs. Wheeler and Lynde, of Bangor, in a style not inferior in printing, paper and binding, to that of the last edition of the revised statutes published by Masters and Smith, of Hallowell; and said Wheeler and Lynde are hereby required to supply the state with fifteen hundred copies, and keep for sale at some convenient place in the cities of Portland, Augusta and Bangor, for the term of five years, a sufficient number of copies of said revised statutes to supply the demand, to be sold to any persons at the same price per copy that may be paid by the state, and to receive in addition, after two years from the first day of October next, fifty cents on each copy; and that the treasurer of state shall take from Messrs. Wheeler and Lynde aforesaid, a bond, with security, in the sum of two thousand dollars, to insure the performance of the aforesaid conditions, and that the said revised statutes shall be supplied to the state and exposed for sale, as aforesaid, at the rate of three dollars for each copy.

Fifteen hundred
copies to be sup-
plied the state.
Copies of statutes
to be kept for
sale in Portland,
Bangor and
Augusta, for five
years.
Price of statutes
regulated.

Printers to give
bond to the
treasurer of state.

Secretary of state
to secure copy-
right of the
statutes.

Resolved, That the Secretary of State is hereby directed to secure the copyright of said revised statutes for the use of the state, and that no edition of the same shall be published by any other persons than the aforesaid Wheeler and Lynde, until after the expiration of five years from the first day of October next.

Revised statutes
to be deposited
in the office of the
secretary of state.

Resolved, That said fifteen hundred copies of the revised statutes shall, when printed, be deposited by the said Wheeler and Lynde in the office of the secretary of state, and the secretary is hereby

directed to distribute the same as follows, namely: one copy to each commissioner employed in the revision thereof; one copy to each member of the present legislature and the respective officers thereof; one copy to the governor and to each member of the executive council; to the following public officers, for the use of the respective offices they fill, and the counties wherein they reside, one copy each, namely: the attorney general, the reporter of decisions, the treasurer of state, the secretary of state, the land agent, the adjutant general, each bank commissioner, the superintendent of common schools, the superintendent of public buildings, the justices of the supreme judicial court, the municipal or police court of each city in the state, the clerks of courts, the county attorneys, sheriffs, judges of probate, registers of probate, registers of deeds, county commissioners, treasurers, and keepers of jails, in each county; to the warden of state prison, one copy; and to the several clerks of the cities, towns and plantations, one copy each, for the use of said cities, towns and plantations; to each college, theological institution, and incorporated academy or seminary, one copy; to each organized mechanic's association or mercantile association, one copy; to each library, kept for the benefit of the public, one copy; one copy to the Maine historical society, and to the law library of each county in the state, to the judge of the United States for the eastern circuit, and to the judge of the United States for the district of Maine; to the clerk and United States attorney, for said district; to the secretary of state, for the United States, four copies; to the secretary of state, of each state in the Union, three copies; to the library of congress, four copies; to the president and vice-president of the United States, one copy each; to the secretary of the senate, of this state, six copies, for the use of the senate; to the clerk of the house, fifteen copies, for the use of the house; to the librarian of the state library, ten copies, for the use of the library; and the remainder of said fifteen hundred copies shall be deposited in the secretary of state's office, to be distributed from time to time, as the legislature may direct; and the several persons in this state, furnished with the revised statutes, as aforesaid, excepting the governor, councilors, members and officers of the legislature, shall be responsible for the same, and deliver it to his successor in office, to be continually kept for the use of the office.

Surplus copies to be deposited in secretary's office, and be subject to the order of the legislature.