

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,
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RESOLVES

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Chapter 117.

Resolves for the appointment of commissioners to superintend the publication of the revised statutes of the year one thousand eight hundred and fifty-seven.

Resolved, That Noah Smith, junior, Warren H. Vinton, and Louis O. Cowan, are hereby appointed commissioners, by whom the copies of the revised statutes of the year one thousand eight hundred and fifty-seven, by them transcribed from the originals in the secretary of state's office, shall be prepared for publication. They shall also prepare suitable abstracts, and marginal notes to the sections of said statutes, and an exact and copious index to the whole. Said commissioners shall personally superintend the publication thereof, and cause them to be printed according to uniform rules of orthography and punctuation. They shall cause to be included in the volume containing the statutes, the constitutions of this state and of the United States; the act for the admission of this state into the Union; sections two, three, four, five, six, and seven, of the act relating to the separation of the district of Maine from Massachusetts proper, and forming the same into a separate and independent state; and also the boundaries of the respective counties of this state. In the performance of said work, the commissioners may employ such assistance as they may deem necessary. Any vacancy in said board of commissioners may be filled by the governor and council.

Commissioners to superintend the publication of R. S., appointment of.

Resolved, That the governor and council be authorized to audit and allow the accounts of the commissioners appointed under these resolves, and to draw their warrant upon the treasurer for the payment of the same.

[Approved April 17, 1857.]

Chapter 118.

Resolve in favor of the commissioners for revising the public laws.

Resolved, That the governor and council are hereby authorized to audit the claims of Joseph Baker, John B. Hill, and James Bell, for services in revising the public laws, during the year eighteen hundred and fifty-five, and pay them such further compensation, if any, as in their judgment equity and justice require, and the governor is hereby authorized to draw his warrant upon the treasurer therefor, out of any money not otherwise appropriated.

Commissioners for revising public laws, claims of, for services, how audited and paid.

[Approved April 17, 1857.]