# 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 28, 1820, February 26, 1840, and March 16, 1842.

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#### GOVERNOR WELLS' MESSAGE.

Gentlemen of the senate and house of representatives:

The governor and council, in accordance with the resolve of the ninth of April, eighteen hundred and fifty-six, respectfully report to the legislature that the Hon. James Walker, the land agent, acting under their advice and direction, has selected and set apart twenty-four half townships of public lands, for the benefit of common schools.

Their action upon the subject will fully appear by the documents accompanying this report.

SAMUEL WELLS.

Council Chamber, January 6, 1857.