

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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ACTS AND RESOLVES

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OF THE

STATE OF MAINE.

1861.

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CHAP. 55.**Chapter 55.**

Resolve in favor of Amos M. Roberts, assignee of Franklin Adams.

Amos M. Roberts, assignee of Franklin Adams, in favor of.

Resolved, That the time for taking off timber from township numbered three, in the fifth range, north of Bingham's Kennebec purchase, specified in a resolve approved April thirteenth, eighteen hundred and fifty-seven, is hereby extended to the assignee, or legal representatives of Franklin Adams, for the space of two years after the time therein limited.

[Approved March 14, 1861.]

Chapter 56.

Resolve relating to the state prison.

State prison, in favor of.

Resolved, That the sum of twenty-seven hundred and fifty dollars is hereby appropriated for the payment of the debts and other expenses of the state prison the current year, to be expended by the warden under the direction of the governor and council.

[Approved March 14, 1861.]

Chapter 57.

Resolve in favor of Moses W. Burnham.

Moses W. Burnham, in favor of.

Resolved, That there be paid from the state treasury to M. W. Burnham the sum of fifty-three dollars and fifty cents, it being the amount due said Burnham for expenses incurred on account of last sickness and funeral charges of a state pauper in the year eighteen hundred and fifty seven.

[Approved March 14, 1861.]

Chapter 58.

Resolve to complete the road in township number three, range four, west of Bingham's Kennebec purchase, in the county of Franklin.

Road in township No. 3, R. 4, W. B. K., for the completion of.

Resolved, That the sum of five hundred dollars be and the same is hereby appropriated, to be expended under the direction of the land agent, in completing the road opened in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and sixty, in township number three,

range four, west of Bingham's Kennebec purchase, in the county of Franklin.

CHAP. 59.

[Approved March 14, 1861.]

Chapter 59.

Resolve in favor of the town of Orono.

Resolved, That there be furnished by the secretary of state to the town of Orono, such books as will complete the list allowed to towns, *provided* the same are on hand or in the library.

Town of Orono,
in favor of.

[Approved March 15, 1861.]

Chapter 60.

Resolve in relation to fisheries.

WHEREAS, the people of this state fully appreciating the benefits accruing to us and to the whole country from the fisheries on the coast of this state, and sympathizing with those engaged in this branch of industry in their hardships, increasing as they are in consequence of the diminished number of fish in our waters and elsewhere; and also believing that a repeal of the law authorizing the payment of fishing bounties by the United States government would seriously injure this class of our citizens; therefore,

Preamble.

Resolved, That our senators and representatives in congress be and are hereby instructed to use all honorable efforts to prevent the repeal of those laws which provide for the annual payment of fishing bounties.

Fishing boun-
ties, in relation
to.

[Approved March 15, 1861.]

Chapter 61.

Resolve in relation to settlers on certain state lands.

Resolved, That the governor and council be authorized and requested to examine and decide all claims by settlers for lots upon the disputed territory on the northeastern frontier, who may by reason of their possession and improvements, be entitled to their lots under the treaty of Washington, or any act or resolve of this state, on account of said treaty and the land agent, on being so

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