## MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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### ACTS AND RESOLVES

PASSED BY THE

### FORTY-FIRST LEGISLATURE

OF THE

#### STATE OF MAINE.

1862.

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## RESOLVES

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#### Chapter 122.

Снар. 122.

Resolves relating to the recognition of the independence of the republics of Hayti and Liberia.

Resolved, That the recognition of the independence of the republic of lics of Hayti and Liberia by the United States is due to the great Hayti, &c., relating to. commercial interests of the Union, and would be eminently appropriate.

Resolved. That the governor be requested to communicate copies of these resolutions to our senators and representatives in the congress of the United States.

[Approved February 14, 1862.]

#### Chapter 123.

Resolve to encourage allotments by volunteers.

Whereas, the government allowance to soldiers with the accu- Preamble, mulation of surplus rations being adequate to all their ordinary wants, their obligations to themselves and their families and friends require such disposition of their monthly wages as shall secure the same from loss or improper disbursement; and whereas, the general and state governments have perfected arrangements for the safe and speedy transmission, without expense, of the pay of soldiers, to those to whom they may desire to intrust it, and have appointed commissioners to visit encampments and aid in accomplishing this object; therefore

Resolved, That it is the duty of all officers of Maine volunteers Allotment of so to co-operate with said commissioners in their work, as to secure relation to. from the men of their several commands an allotment of the whole, or so much of their monthly pay as it may be possible to procure, and also such portion of their own pay and emoluments, as economical habits will enable them to reserve, and transmit one copy of such allotment roll to the paymaster general of the United States, and one to the adjutant general of this state.

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Resolved, That five hundred copies of these resolves be printed, and that the adjutant general cause each commander of brigade, regiment, battery and company of Maine volunteers now in service, to be furnished with a copy thereof.

Authorizing

[Approved February 15, 1862.]