

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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ACTS AND RESOLVES

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PASSED BY THE

FORTY-FIFTH LEGISLATURE

OF THE

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1866.

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GOVERNOR CONY'S MESSAGES.

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT, }
AUGUSTA, January 9, 1866. }

To the Senate and House of Representatives :

I have the honor herewith to lay before you a communication of Governor Bradford of Maryland, with accompanying papers in relation to a Soldiers' Cemetery at Antietam; also resolves of the States of Rhode Island and Vermont upon the subject of reconstruction of States lately in rebellion; a communication from the President of the Lincoln National Monument Association of Illinois, and the report of the commissioner of this State for sale of intoxicating liquors for the year 1865.

SAMUEL CONY.

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT, }
AUGUSTA, January 18, 1866. }

To the Senate and House of Representatives :

I herewith lay before you an abstract of the returns of treasurers of cities and towns of this State, showing the financial condition thereof, made agreeably to the requirements of the eighth section of an act entitled "an act to make valid the acts and doings of cities, towns and plantations, in voting and making provision for the payment of bounties to volunteers, drafted men and substitutes of drafted and enrolled men, and for other purposes," approved February 19, 1865.

SAMUEL CONY.

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT, }
AUGUSTA, January 19, 1866. }

To the Senate and House of Representatives :

I have the honor herewith to lay before you, for your consideration, the annual report of the Railroad Commissioners for the year last past, made in compliance with section 7, chapter 175, of the public laws of 1860.

SAMUEL CONY.

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT, }
AUGUSTA, January 24, 1866. }

To the Senate and House of Representatives :

I herewith transmit a communication from S. L. Goodale, clerk of the trustees of State College of Agriculture and Mechanic Arts, to the Governor and Council, announcing the resignations of Hons. Ebenezer Knowlton, Thomas S. Lang, William D. Dana,

members of said board of trustees. The filling of the vacancies occasioned by the resignation of Messrs. Knowlton and Dana, devolves upon the Legislature by the terms of the act creating said board, chapter 532 of the special laws of 1865.

SAMUEL CONY.

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT, }
AUGUSTA, January 26, 1866. }

To the Senate and House of Representatives:

I have the honor to state that Dr. Stone, Principal of the American Asylum for Deaf and Dumb, is in this city with several pupils, beneficiaries of this State, whom he has brought with him at my suggestion for the purpose of exhibiting them before the members of the Legislature. I would therefore, respectfully request that arrangements may be made by you for this purpose, so that the exhibition may be had this afternoon in the hall of the House of Representatives.

SAMUEL CONY.

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT, }
AUGUSTA, January 30, 1866. }

To the Senate and House of Representatives:

I herewith transmit a communication from S. L. Goodale, clerk of the trustees of State College of Agriculture and Mechanic Arts, announcing a vacancy in said board by the resignation of Hon. Hannibal Hamlin, the filling of which appears to devolve upon the Legislature.

SAMUEL CONY.

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT, }
AUGUSTA, February 2, 1866. }

To the Senate and House of Representatives:

In compliance with a request of the Legislature, this day received, I have the honor herewith to transmit to you the Report of the Agent of the Penobscot tribe of Indians for the year 1865.

SAMUEL CONY.

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT, }
AUGUSTA, February 24, 1866. }

To the Senate and House of Representatives:

I herewith transmit a list of the acts and resolves passed by the Legislature at its present session, which have received my approval, being 222 acts and 77 resolves. I have no further communication to make.

SAMUEL CONY.