## MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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### ACTS AND RESOLVES

PASSED BY THE

### FORTY-SIXTH LEGISLATURE

OF THE

#### STATE OF MAINE.

1867.

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## RESOLVES

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#### Chapter 97.

Resolve relative to the ship-building interest of Maine.

Ship-building and ship-owning interests of Maine, relating to. Resolved, That this legislature views with alarm the depressed and suffering condition of the ship-building interests of the state, which condition has arisen, in a large degree, from the heavy duties imposed by congress upon the foreign materials entering into the construction of ships, and other burdens imposed by government, and which are depriving our ship-builders of a successful competition with foreign built ships, especially with those of the British North American Provinces.

Resolved, That the memorial to congress adopted by the ship-builders of Maine, assembled in convention at Augusta on the thirtieth and thirty-first days of January last, in which is set forth the depressed and suffering condition of the ship-building and ship-owning interests of this state, as having been caused by the onerous burdens imposed by the government, and indicating in what manner relief should be afforded, should receive from congress that attention which the great importance of the interests involved demand.

Resolved, That our senators and representatives in congress be requested to use their best efforts to procure such legislation as will afford to the ship-builders and ship-owners of Maine that relief which they so ardently desire.

Resolved, That the governor be, and is hereby requested to forward a copy of these resolves, with a copy of said memorial, to each of the senators and representatives in congress from this state.

Approved February 18, 1867.

#### Chapter 98.

Resolve in favor of George W. Quinby of Augusta.

G. W. Quinby, in favor of.

Resolved, That the librarian be, and is hereby authorized and directed to remit to Rev. George W. Quinby the penalty (otherwise imposed by section nine, of chapter twenty-five of the public laws of eighteen hundred and sixty-one) for the loss, by him, of one volume of Lowman's Commentaries on the Scriptures, belonging to the Maine State Library.

Approved February 18, 1867.