

ACTS AND RESOLVES

PASSED BY THE

FORTY-SIXTH LEGISLATURE

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE.

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On road from Bethel to Umbagog lake, \$1,000. From Monson to Greenville, \$1,500.

Land agent to expend \$1,500

on Canada

For the repair of the road leading from Bethel to Umbagog lake in the town of Grafton in the county of Oxford, the sum of one thousand dollars.

For the repair of the road leading from Monson village to Greenville in the county of Piscataquis, the sum of fifteen hundred dollars; five hundred dollars to be expended in each of the towns of Monson, Shirley and Greenville, whenever either of said towns shall have first raised and expended a like sum of five hundred dollars for the repair of said road within the limits of said town, or such amounts have been raised and expended in the several towns for such repair of said road by individuals or by the combined contributions of individuals and said towns.

Also, expended under the direction of the land agent, for the repair of the Canada road, so called, and the bridges on the same, which road extends from the north line of Moscow in the county of Somerset to the Canada line, the sum of fifteen hundred dollars.

Approved March 1, 1867.

Chapter 171.

Resolve in relation to Bliss' new decimal system of weights, measures and currency.

WHEREAS, Moses B. Bliss of Pittston, in this state, is the author of a uniform decimal system of weights, measures and currency, which is simple, concise and convenient, based upon a natural and familiar standard, and superior to the French "metric system" in the opinion of the most eminent scientific men of the country, a brief exposition of which system is hereunto annexed; therefore

Resolved, That our senators and representatives in congress be and they hereby are requested to take such measures as seem to them best calculated to secure the repeal of all laws relating to said "metric system," passed at the first session of the thirtyninth congress, in order that citizens of our country may have an opportunity to urge the claims of schemes which seem to them better calculated to meet the wants of the people.

Resolved, That a printed copy of these resolutions be forwarded to each of our senators and representatives in congress, to the chairman of the congressional committee on weights, measures and coins, and to the governor of each state of the Union.

Approved March 1, 1867.

Senators and representatives in congress, instructed to take measures for repoal of the "metric system."