

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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ACTS AND RESOLVES

PASSED BY THE

FORTY-SIXTH LEGISLATURE

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE.

1867.

Published by the Secretary of State, agreeably to Resolves of June 28, 1820,
February 26, 1840, and March 16, 1842.

AUGUSTA:
STEVENS & SAYWARD, PRINTERS TO THE STATE.
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RESOLVES

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Chapter 176.CHAP. 176.

Resolves relating to the documentary history of Maine.

WHEREAS, the Maine Historical Society proposes to publish annually a volume in a series of volumes containing the earliest documents, charters and other state papers illustrating the history of Maine; and whereas, the funds of the society derivable from its annual income are insufficient for this purpose; and whereas, other states have, at great expense, procured and published their documentary history at the public expense; therefore,

Resolved, That the governor and council are hereby authorized to enter into contract with the Maine Historical Society to afford encouragement in aid of such publication, and to subscribe for, or cause to be published in concurrence with said society, the same number of copies as of the annual volume of acts and resolves, (not, however, to exceed one thousand copies in all,) and to be distributed in the same manner; the said volumes to be properly edited with suitable notes by said society without expense to the state; *provided* that the whole number of volumes annually printed and distributed for the use of the state shall not exceed the price of two dollars per volume, of not less than five hundred pages each, with suitable indexes and proper binding.

Maine Historical Society, governor and council to encourage publications of, by contract.

Resolved, That all copies not required for distribution, in compliance with existing laws, as provided in this resolve, shall be deposited for safe-keeping in the state library, and subject to the future disposition of the legislature.

Approved March 1, 1867.

Chapter 177.

Resolve in favor of the insane hospital.

Resolved, That there be appropriated and paid out of the state treasury the sum of four thousand dollars, to be expended under the superintendence and direction of the trustees of the insane hospital, for the purpose of erecting a suitable building for a laundry, and fitting it up in a complete and thorough manner.

Insane hospital, in favor of.

Approved March 1, 1867.