

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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ACTS AND RESOLVES

115-

OF THE

FORTY-NINTH LEGISLATURE

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE.

1870.

Published by the Secretary of State, agreeably to Resolves of June 28, 1820,
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CHAP. 172. failed of support from congress from the lack of effort on the part of those locally interested, and

Navy yards, removal of certain.

WHEREAS, The necessities of commerce now require the removal of the navy yards at Brooklyn, New York, and Charlestown, Massachusetts, to some safe, convenient and well sheltered harbor, capable of being completely defended at moderate expense, and forever safe and effective as the chief naval and military station of the United States, and the great storehouse of its munitions of war, therefore,

Governor authorized to prepare memoir and lay same before congress.

Resolved, That the governor is hereby authorized and requested to prepare and lay before congress a proper memoir setting forth the advantages of Mount Desert harbor for naval and military purposes, and the great saving of expense to the national government by its adoption for the purposes above set forth, with authority to take such action in the premises as he may deem expedient to carry the same into effect.

Approved March 17, 1870.

Chapter 172.

Resolve in favor of the state prison.

Prison, state, in favor of.

Resolved, That the sum of one thousand and seventy-one dollars, to cover the deficit for building purposes the past year; also two thousand dollars for the completion of the work already begun; also nineteen hundred dollars to pay for repository purchased; also eight hundred dollars for general repairs; also seventeen hundred and thirty dollars for building a harness shop and wash room; and also twenty-five thousand dollars to increase the working capital of the institution, making in all thirty-two thousand and five hundred dollars, be and is hereby appropriated for the benefit of the state prison.

Approved March 17, 1870.

Chapter 173.

Resolve in favor of Grant Isle plantation.

Grant Isle plantation, in favor of.

Resolved, That the sum of two hundred dollars be allowed on the tax of Grant Isle plantation, for the year eighteen hundred and sixty-six, and the treasurer of state is hereby directed to credit the same to said plantation.

Approved March 17, 1870.