

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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ACTS AND RESOLVES

OF THE

FIFTY-SEVENTH LEGISLATURE

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE.

1878.

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Chapter 1.

Resolve relating to the Currency.

WHEREAS, the people of the State of Maine believe in a sound currency, and that no currency is sound unless it be upon a gold basis; that any attempt to displace gold and substitute silver or anything else in lieu thereof, is fraught with every conceivable evil, dangerous to public and private credit, disastrous to business, injurious to all classes, and especially to the laboring classes; therefore,

Resolved, That our senators and representatives in congress, in their well directed efforts to defeat the passage of any and all bills, the tendency of which is thus to demoralize the currency, are but giving voice to the well settled convictions of the people of this state.

Approved January 28, 1878.

Chapter 2.

Resolve in favor of Franklin Simmons, sculptor.

Resolved, That the treasurer of state be and is hereby authorized and directed to pay to Franklin Simmons, the sum of four thousand dollars, it being the balance due him for a statue in marble of William King, the first governor of this