

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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RESOLVES

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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

CHAP. 3. state, placed in the old representatives' hall at the national capital, in accordance with a contract made with said Simmons by the state, the second day of April, eighteen hundred and seventy-four; and said sum of four thousand dollars is hereby appropriated for the purpose specified.

Approved January 29, 1878.

Chapter 3.

Resolve in favor of Benjamin F. Allen.

Benjamin F.
Allen, in favor of.

Resolved, That the land agent be and is hereby authorized to convey to Benjamin F. Allen, the northeast quarter of section number one hundred and fifty-two, in the town of Fort Fairfield, Aroostook county, on satisfactory evidence that said Allen is the actual owner of the certificate of said lot, waiving further settling duties.

Approved January 29, 1878.

Chapter 4.

Resolve in favor of William H. Scott.

William H. Scott,
in favor of.

Resolved, That the land agent be and is hereby authorized to convey by deed to William H. Scott, lot number A ten, in number eleven, range one plantation, Aroostook county.

Approved January 29, 1878.

Chapter 5.

Resolve in favor of Nelson Turney.

Nelson Turney,
in favor of.

Resolved, That the land agent, be and is hereby authorized to convey by deed to Nelson Turney, lot numbered ninety-eight in Chapman plantation, Aroostook county, Maine, on payment of such sums as may be due in money or road labor, or on proof that the same has been paid, and that he is the rightful owner.

Approved January 29, 1878.