

# 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 46.****CHAP. 46.**

Resolve authorizing the appointment of a delegate to the International Prison Congress.

*Resolved*, That the governor be authorized to appoint a delegate to the international prison congress, which meets at Stockholm, in August next, said delegate to serve without compensation.

Delegate to international prison congress, appointment authorized.

Approved February 15, 1878.

**Chapter 47.**

Resolve relating to the claims of Peter Murphy and Thomas Kennedy.

*Resolved*, That the governor and council are hereby authorized and requested to examine the claims of Peter Murphy and Thomas Kennedy, for supplies furnished to paupers in unincorporated places, and to pay from the appropriation for support of paupers in such places, whatever sums they may find said Murphy and Kennedy, or either of them, have expended for such necessary support, to reimburse them for any property lost thereby, so far as the governor and council may deem just and equitable.

Peter Murphy and Thomas Kennedy, relating to claims of.

Approved February 15, 1878.

**Chapter 48.**

Resolve laying a tax on the several counties of the State.

*Resolved*, That the sums annexed to the counties in the following schedule, are hereby granted as a tax on each county respectively, to be appropriated, assessed, collected and applied for the purpose of paying the debts and necessary expenses of the same, and other purposes ordered by law, to wit: Androscoggin, thirty thousand dollars; Aroostook, fourteen thousand five hundred dollars; Cumberland, sixty-eight thousand dollars; Franklin, seventy-five hundred dollars; Hancock, sixteen thousand dollars; Knox, sixteen

County taxes.

CHAP. 49. thousand dollars; Kennebec, forty thousand dollars; Lincoln, nine thousand dollars; Oxford, thirteen thousand dollars; Penobscot, fifty-eight thousand dollars; Piscataquis, seven thousand dollars; Sagadahoc, eighteen thousand dollars; Somerset, twelve thousand dollars; Washington, sixteen thousand dollars; Waldo, eighteen thousand dollars; York, twenty-five thousand dollars.

Approved February 15, 1878.

### Chapter 49.

Resolve in favor of O. W. Davis, Jr.

O. W. Davis, jr.,  
in favor of.

*Resolved*, That the land agent be authorized to convey to O. W. Davis, Jr., lot number nineteen, in Wade plantation, whenever said Davis shall have paid the balance due for the same in road labor at fifty cents per acre, and shall prove that he is the lawful holder of the land certificate of said lot.

Approved February 15, 1878.

### Chapter 50.

Resolve authorizing the conveyance of certain lots of land in the east half of township number two, range five, west from the east line of the State, in the county of Aroostook.

Land agent  
authorized to  
convey certain  
lands in Silver  
Ridge plantation.

*Resolved*, That the land agent be, and he is hereby authorized to convey to the person or persons lawfully holding the land certificates of lots numbered eleven, range one; twelve, range one; two, range three; one, range four; two, range four; three, range four; five, range four; ten, range four; four, range five; five, range five; eight, range five, and ten, range five, in the east half of township number two, in the fifth range of townships, west from the east line of the state, in the county of Aroostook, known as Silver Ridge plantation, on payment of the balance of road labor, at fifty cents per acre, due on any of said lots, and in addition thereto twenty cents per acre in cash for the use of the state, waiving all further settling duties.

Approved February 15, 1878.