

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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ACTS AND RESOLVES

OF THE

SIXTY-THIRD LEGISLATURE

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE.

1887.

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PRIVATE AND SPECIAL LAWS

OF THE

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May sell or
lease lines.

SECT. 8. Said corporation may sell or lease its line or lines to any other railroad corporation, which latter company is hereby authorized to enter into such contract of sale or lease, and the directors of the two corporations may enter into such contract for the running of the road or roads and for the purchase, sale or lease thereof, as the directors of the two contracting companies, in the exercise of their best judgment and discretion, may deem for the advantage of their respective corporations, subject to the approval of a majority of the stock in each corporation.

Shall not locate,
until capital
stock has been
subscribed.

SECT. 9. Provided, however, that said corporation shall not locate its road until the capital stock required by section three, has been subscribed in good faith by responsible parties, and five per cent paid thereon in cash to the directors of said corporation and an affidavit made by a majority of said directors, and recorded in the office of the secretary of state, that the amount of stock required by section three, has been in good faith subscribed and five per cent paid thereon as aforesaid, and that it is intended in good faith to construct, maintain and operate the said road. The secretary of state shall record said affidavit upon payment of five dollars.

Reasons for
granting this
charter.

SECT. 10. This charter is granted because the objects sought to be accomplished, cannot be fully attained and accomplished under the general laws for the formation of railroad companies.

SECT. 11. This act shall take effect when approved.

Approved February 9, 1887.

Chapter 67.

An Act to provide in part for the Expenditures of Government.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in Legislature assembled, as follows :

Act of appropri-
ation for the
year 1887.

SECT. 1. In order to provide for the several acts and resolves of the legislature, requiring the payment of money from the treasury, and also to provide for the necessary expenditures of government for current fiscal year of eighteen hundred and eighty-seven, the following sums are hereby appropriated out of any moneys in the treasury, and the governor, with the advice and consent of the council, is authorized, at any time prior to the first day of January next, to draw his warrant on the treasurer for the same :

School fund and mill tax due in eighteen hundred and eighty-seven, three hundred fifty-one thousand four hundred twenty-eight dollars and thirty cents,	351,428.30
School fund and mill tax due prior to eighteen hundred and eighty-seven, twelve thousand nine hundred forty-eight dollars and two cents,	12,948.02
Free high schools, thirty thousand dollars,	30,000.00
Free high schools, deficiency for eighteen hundred and eighty-six, thirty-eight hundred dollars,	3,800.00
Normal schools, nineteen thousand dollars,	19,000.00
Training schools, thirteen hundred dollars,	1,300.00
Teachers' meetings, six hundred dollars,	600.00
Trustees normal schools, six hundred dollars,	600.00
Interest on Madawaska territory school fund, three hundred dollars,	300.00
Interest due on Madawaska territory school fund prior to eighteen hundred and eighty-seven, forty-five dollars and sixty-seven cents,	45.67
Expenses of superintendent of common schools, five hundred dollars,	500.00
Houlton Academy, one hundred and twenty dollars,	120.00
Hebron Academy, sixty dollars,	60.00
Foxcroft Academy, sixty dollars,	60.00
Salaries of public officers, sixty-two thousand dollars,	62,000.00
Salary of pension clerk, one thousand dollars,	1,000.00
Pay roll of council, thirty-six hundred dollars,	3,600.00
Contingent fund of governor and council, five thousand dollars,	5,000.00
Engrossing clerk and proof reader, four hundred dollars,	400.00
Consolidating and indexing laws, one hundred and fifty dollars,	150.00
County taxes collected in eighteen hundred and eighty-six, twelve thousand five hundred thirty dollars and seventy-six cents,	12,530.76
Military pensions, twenty-five hundred dollars,	2,500.00
Support of paupers in unincorporated places, nine thousand five hundred dollars,	9,500.00

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Idiotic and feeble minded persons, two thousand dollars,	2,000.00
Railroad and telegraph tax due towns for eighteen hundred and eighty-six, twenty-two thousand two hundred seventy-five dollars and forty-five cents,	22,275.45
State library, five hundred dollars,	500.00
Assistant clerk in state library, three hundred and fifty dollars,	350.00
Stationery, two thousand dollars,	2,000.00
Advertising laws, three thousand dollars,	3,000.00
Transportation of documents, six hundred dollars,	600.00
Inspectors of steamboats, twelve hundred dollars,	1,200.00
Lands reserved for public uses, two thousand dollars,	2,000.00
Interest on lands reserved for public uses, three thousand five hundred dollars,	3,500.00
Forfeited lands, three hundred dollars,	300.00
Journal of council, one hundred and fifty dollars,	150.00
Indices, one hundred and fifty dollars,	150.00
Journal of senate, two hundred and fifty dollars,	250.00
Journal of house of representatives, two hundred and fifty dollars,	250.00
Bounty on animals, three thousand five hundred dollars,	3,500.00
Night watch, fifteen hundred dollars,	1,500.00
Soldiers pensions, twenty-one thousand dollars,	21,000.00
Insane state beneficiaries, forty-eight thousand dollars,	48,000.00
Trustees Insane Hospital, twelve hundred dollars,	1,200.00
Visiting committee to Insane Hospital, three hundred and sixty dollars,	360.00
Visiting committee to Reform School, four hundred dollars,	400.00
Sanford legacy to Reform School, forty-two dollars,	42.00
School district number two, town of Madison, fifty dollars,	50.00
Subordinate officers of State Prison, eighty-two hundred dollars,	8,200.00
Sheriffs and coroners, six hundred dollars,	600.00
Farmers' institutes, fifteen hundred dollars,	1,500.00
Board of agriculture, three hundred twenty-nine dollars and thirty-two cents,	329.32

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Costs in criminal prosecutions, fifteen hundred dollars,	1,500.00
Expenses of attorney general's department, four hundred and fifty dollars,	450.00
Expenses of insurance commissioner, three hundred dollars,	300.00
Inspectors of state prison and jails, twelve hundred dollars,	1,200.00
Reports of judicial decisions, twenty-four hundred dollars,	2,400.00
Fuel and lights, two thousand dollars,	2,000.00
Furniture and repairs of public buildings, three thousand dollars,	3,000.00
Fireman and mail carrier, fifteen hundred dollars,	1,500.00
Maine fertilizer and control station, five thousand dollars,	5,000.00
Salary of messenger to governor and council, five hundred dollars,	500.00

Amounting to the sum of six hundred sixty thousand and four hundred ninety-nine dollars and fifty-two cents, 660,499.52

SECT. 2. This act shall take effect when approved.

Approved February 9, 1887.

Chapter 68.

An Act for the relief of the town of Gray.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in Legislature assembled, as follows:

SECT. 1. So much of the state tax of five thousand two hundred forty-eight dollars and sixty-five cents, erroneously assessed against the inhabitants of the town of Gray, for the years eighteen hundred and eighty-five and eighteen hundred and eighty-six, by the ways and means committee under an order of the legislature dated February eighteen, eighteen hundred and eighty-five, as exceeds the sum of two thousand one hundred forty-nine dollars and sixty-four cents is hereby abated; and upon the payment of said sum of two thousand one hundred forty-nine dollars and sixty-four

Certain amount of State tax of town of Gray, abated.