

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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ACTS AND RESOLVES

OF THE

SIXTY-FIFTH LEGISLATURE

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE.

1891.

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Chapter 31.

Resolves relating to the American Merchant Marine.

WHEREAS, the American Merchant Marine has been in a languishing condition for many years; and whereas, its restoration to its former footing is a matter of vital importance to the nation, whether considered in an economic and industrial point of view, or as bearing on our means of defence in time of danger; and whereas, foreign governments have favored the increase of their Merchant Marine by subsidies, bounties, subventions and other agencies; and whereas, a wise system of postal and tonnage subsidies would stimulate in our country the business of ship-building, which is the parent of ship-owning, and would aid in restoring our former supremacy in the ocean traffic; therefore

Resolved, That the Legislature of Maine hails with satisfaction the efforts made in the Congress of the United States to pass the measures known as the Tonnage and Postal Subsidy Bills, and that we recognize the valuable services which our Senators and Representatives in Congress have rendered to the country in their advocacy of these measures.

Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be transmitted to each member of our delegation in Congress, by the Secretary of State.

Approved February 26, 1891.

Tonnage and postal bills, in favor of passage of, by Congress.

Chapter 32.

Resolve in aid of a road, from Black Brook Bridge to Richardson's Lake in county of Oxford.

Resolved, That there be and hereby is appropriated for the year eighteen hundred and ninety-one, the sum of two hundred dollars and for the year eighteen hundred and ninety-two, the sum of two hundred dollars to aid in building a road from Black Brook Bridge to Richardson's Lake in county of Oxford, said money to be expended in town of Andover North Surplus under directions of the county commissioners of said county.

Approved March 4, 1891.

Road in Oxford county, in favor of.