

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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ACTS AND RESOLVES
OF THE
SEVENTY-SECOND LEGISLATURE

OF THE
STATE OF MAINE

1905.

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RESOLVES

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE.

1905.

Chapter 144.

Resolve in favor of George E. Morrison.

Resolved, That the sum of one hundred two dollars and sixty cents be and hereby is appropriated to be paid to George E. Morrison for cash expenses incurred while attending hearings of special committee on salaries and fees.

George E.
Morrison,
in favor of.

Approved March 22, 1905.

Chapter 145.

Resolve in favor of S. T. Kimball for services of Clerk and Messenger to Committee on Railroads and Expresses.

Resolved, That there be and hereby is appropriated to be paid to S. T. Kimball, the sum of one hundred seventy-five dollars for the services of G. F. Giddings, clerk, and Ray Fellows, messenger, to the Committee on Railroads and Expresses.

S. T. Kimball
in favor of.

Approved March 22, 1905.

Chapter 146.

Resolve of the Legislature of the State of Maine, requesting the repeal by Congress of section twenty of title thirty-three of the Revised Statutes of the United States, admitting certain Lumber manufactured in New Brunswick into the ports of the United States free of duty.

Whereas for a period of more than seventy-five years, and for a period of forty years, by virtue of a special act of the congress of the United States, lumber grown in the forests of Maine, to an amount exceeding one hundred millions per year has been driven down the Saint John river into the province of New Brunswick and after being manufactured has been admitted to the markets of the United States free of duty, to the great advantage of the inhabitants of New Brunswick and with the effect of building up the city of Saint John, New Brunswick, and the provincial cities and towns, at the expense of and to the detriment of the inhabitants of northern Maine especially of those living in the Saint John and Aroostook valleys; and whereas the inhabitants of New Brunswick and especially those interested in the lumber business in said province and more especially those residing in the city of Saint John, which city has been chiefly benefited and enriched as a result of said special act of congress, have proven themselves utterly ungrateful, and

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disposed to harass and annoy those who are engaged in the manufacture of lumber on the upper Saint John in Maine, as shown by measures presented in the legislature of New Brunswick at the two last sessions and further indicated by numerous newspaper articles published in the New Brunswick papers, and by various other acts and circumstances; therefore

Repeal of act
of congress
asked for.

Resolved, That it is the earnest wish of the legislature of Maine that the act of congress hereinbefore referred to be repealed, and our senators and representatives in congress are requested to use all reasonable efforts to obtain a repeal of said law in the interests of and as a measure of justice to our own citizens engaged in the lumber business on the northern border and of all the citizens of that region generally, and further

—copy to be
sent to
senators and
representa-
tives to
congress.

Resolved, That the secretary of the senate be requested to forward a copy of these resolutions to our senators and representatives in congress.

Approved March 22, 1905.

Chapter 147.

Resolve in favor of Thomas Anderson for services as postmaster to the Senate at the organization of the Seventy-second Legislature.

Thomas
Anderson,
in favor of.

Resolved, That there be and is hereby appropriated the sum of fifteen dollars, and ten dollars mileage, to pay Thomas Anderson for services and attendance at the organization of the seventy-second legislature.

Approved March 23, 1905.

Chapter 148.

Resolve in favor of J. Perley Dudley.

J. Perley
Dudley, in
favor of.

Resolved, That there be paid to J. Perley Dudley for services as clerk to the committee on salaries; for taking evidence at the hearings of the committee and transcribing the same, for keeping, filing and indexing all papers and documents referred to the committee together with the original papers submitted by the special committee, for keeping the records of the doings of said committee and drafting the bills submitted by said committee, the sum of three hundred and fifty dollars.

Approved March 23, 1905.