

ACTS AND RESOLVES

OF THE

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OF THE

STATE OF MAINE

1909

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OF THE

RESOLVES

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DEXTER-PASSAMAQUODDY INDIANS.

Chapter 247.

Resolve in favor of the town of Dexter.

Resolved, that the sum of ten hundred thirty-five dollars and ninety-one cents be appropriated to reimburse the town of Dexter for pauper supplies furnished Henry Cookson.

Approved March 26, 1909.

Chapter 248.

Resolve making appropriations for the Passamaquoddy Tribe of Indians.

Preamble.

Whereas, the state of Maine holds in trust for the Passamaquoddy tribe of Indians a certain large sum of money, to wit, thirty-three thousand one hundred forty dollars and seventy cents, and whereas all the funds appropriated by the seventythird legislature for the care, maintenance and relief of said tribe have been expended for the purposes and in the manner prescribed by law, and because of the lack of available funds, said tribe may fall into distress and be deprived of proper food, shelter and clothing.

Whereas, by reason of the foregoing facts the appropriation called for in this resolve is immediately necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health and safety, and in the opinion of this legislature constitutes an emergency as contemplated by the constitution, be it therefore

Resolved, that there be paid from the state treasury, to be expended under the direction of the governor and council, to the agent of the Passamaquoddy tribe of Indians for the benefit of said tribe for the years nineteen hundred and nine and nineteen hundred and ten, as follows:

For May dividends each year, four hundred dollars; for November dividends each year, four hundred dollars; for distressed poor each year, five thousand dollars; for agricultural purposes each year, six hundred dollars; for plowing each year, one hundred fifty dollars; for fertilizer each year, one hundred fifty dollars; for bounty on crops each year, one hundred fifty dollars; for wood each year, six hundred fifty dollars; for contingent purposes each year, two hundred dollars; for salary of priests each year, six hundred dollars—Calais priest three hundred and Eastport priest three hundred; for salary of governors each year, one hundred dollars; for salary of lieutenant governors each year, forty dollars; for salary of agent each

Passamaquoddy Indians, appropriations for.

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Town of Dexter, in favor of.