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# Acts and Resolves

As Passed by the

## Seventy-Eighth Legislature

OF THE

# STATE OF MAINE

1917

Including Acts and Resolves of the Special Session of the  
Seventy-Seventh Legislature held in 1916.

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## Chapter 37.

Resolve, in Favor of an Appropriation to Complete the Historical Records of Maine Men Serving in the United States Navy during the War for the Suppression of the Rebellion.

**Historical records of Maine men serving in navy during civil war.** Resolved: That the sum of one thousand dollars for the year nineteen hundred and seventeen is hereby appropriated, to be expended under the direction of the governor and council, to continue the work of compiling the historical records of residents of the State of Maine who had service in the United States Navy during the war for the suppression of the Rebellion, eighteen hundred and sixty-one to eighteen hundred and sixty-five. Any portion of the appropriation remaining unexpended on December thirty-one, nineteen hundred and seventeen shall be carried forward and be available for expenditures in the year nineteen hundred and eighteen.

Approved March 22, 1917.

## Chapter 38.

Resolve, for Extra Pay to the Maine Volunteers in the War with Spain.

**Spanish war volunteers.** Resolved: That the sums of sixty-six dollars for the year nineteen hundred and seventeen and sixty-six dollars for the year nineteen hundred and eighteen, be and are, hereby appropriated for extra pay for the Maine Volunteers in war with Spain.

Approved March 22, 1917.

## Chapter 39.

Resolve, to Provide for a Survey by the Commissioner of Sea and Shore Fisheries of Areas Suitable for the Propagation of Clams, and to Provide Seed for such Propagation.

**Propagation of clams.** Resolved: That the commissioner of sea and shore fisheries is hereby authorized and directed to investigate and determine what areas or localities are, in his opinion, suitable and available for the propagation of clams, to furnish clam seed at cost to such individuals as avail themselves of sections fifty-three to fifty-eight inclusive of chapter forty-five of the revised statutes, and to make a biological survey of such areas. And that there be, and hereby is, appropriated the sum of one thousand dollars for nineteen hundred and seventeen, and one thousand dollars for nineteen hundred and eighteen, for the purposes of this resolve.

Approved March 22, 1917.

## Chapter 40.

Resolve, Appropriating Money for the State Forest Nursery and to Encourage Re-foresting in Maine.

**State Forest Nursery.** Resolved: That the sum of two thousand dollars be, and hereby is, appropriated for the year nineteen hundred and seventeen, and the sum of two thousand dollars for the year nineteen hundred

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and eighteen, to be expended by the forest commissioner or state forester, for the maintenance of the state forest nursery, in connection with the department of forestry at Orono, to supply forest tree seedlings and transplants at cost of production for use in planting waste lands in Maine.

Approved March 22, 1917.

**Chapter 41.**

Resolve, for the Appointment of Delegates to the Conferences of the National Tax Association, and Providing for Payment of the Expenses of such Delegates.

**Delegates to conference of National Tax Association.** Resolved: That the governor, by and with the consent of the council, be and hereby is, authorized and empowered to appoint not more than three delegates to represent the State of Maine at any conferences of the National Tax Association which may be held during the years nineteen hundred and seventeen and nineteen hundred eighteen. Such delegates shall serve without compensation, but their actual expenses as allowed by the governor and council.

That there be, and hereby is, appropriated for the above purpose the sum of four hundred dollars for nineteen hundred seventeen, and four hundred dollars for nineteen hundred eighteen; said sums, or as much as may be necessary, to be expended by the governor and council for the actual expenses of said delegates.

Approved March 22, 1917.

**Chapter 42.**

Resolve, in Favor of the Maine State Prison for Maintenance and Current Expenses.

**Maine State Prison.** Resolved: That there be, and hereby is, appropriated for the Maine State Prison, for the year nineteen hundred and seventeen, the sum of thirty-seven thousand, five hundred and fifty dollars, for the purposes hereinafter specified, namely:

**For the Following Items Fixed By Law:**

Salaries of subordinate officers, twenty-one thousand seven hundred dollars,	\$21,700 00
Schools, fifty dollars,	50 00
Books, fifty dollars,	50 00
Medicine, one hundred and fifty dollars,	150 00
Water supply, two thousand two hundred dollars,	2,200 00
Printing and binding reports, two hundred dollars,	200 00
Criminal insane, two hundred dollars,	200 00
Retiring and pensioning prison officials, two thousand six hundred dollars,	2,600 00