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ACTS AND RESOLVES

AS PASSED BY THE

Eighty-fourth Legislature

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE

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of fourteen hundred and eight feet of road in Phippsburg, known as the Popham Beach road, during the summer of nineteen hundred and twenty-seven.

Approved April 13, 1929.

Chapter 122.

An Act to Authorize the County Commissioners of Hancock County to Pay Henry W. Sargent for Damage to Land and Land Taken for a Ferry.

Be it enacted by the People of the State of Maine, as follows:

Reimbursement of Henry W. Sargent. The county commissioners of Hancock county are hereby authorized to pay to Henry W. Sargent of Sedgwick, five hundred dollars to reimburse him for damage to land and for land taken for a ferry.

Approved April 13, 1929.

Chapter 123.

An Act to Apply Surplus Funds Toward State Construction.

Emergency preamble. Whereas, proper accommodations for the wards and dependents of our state are vital to the public welfare, and

Whereas new construction for various state institutions, such as hospitals, sanatoriums, reformatories and schools has been and may hereafter be authorized by this legislature, and

Whereas it is immediately necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health and safety that appropriations specified in the various resolves be available for said new construction, which in the opinion of the legislature constitutes an emergency within the meaning of the constitution, now, therefore,

Be it enacted by the People of the State of Maine, as follows:

Sec. 1. Surplus funds to be used for new construction. The amounts by which the actual income of the state for each of the years ending June thirtieth, nineteen hundred and twenty-nine, and June thirtieth, nineteen hundred and thirty, exceeds the current expenses of the said two years, together with balances of unexpended appropriations in non-continuing accounts which exist on July first, nineteen hundred twenty-nine and July first, nineteen hundred and thirty, except so much thereof as may be required to pay then outstanding bills for which said appropriations were made, and except such appropriations as relate to the issue and payment of bonds, loans or special funds, shall, as soon as ascertained, and after

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provision for contingent fund, and in case the governor and council find that the state finances warrant, such an amount may then be carried to special accounts designated for the respective purposes of said several resolves, to be used for new construction by the state authorized by this legislature.

Sec. 2. Expenditure of funds. Said funds are to be set up and expended in the following order, and in accordance with the amounts in the several resolves, viz.:

- First.** Bath Military and Naval Orphan Asylum for a heating plant.
- Second.** Central Maine Sanatorium.
- Third.** Northern Maine Sanatorium.
- Fourth.** Western Maine Sanatorium.
- Fifth.** Bangor State Hospital.
- Sixth.** State Reformatory for Men.
- Seventh.** State Prison.
- Eighth.** Poultry Husbandry.
- Ninth.** Pownal State School.
- Tenth.** Reformatory for Women.
- Eleventh.** Bath Military and Naval Orphan Asylum, for infirmary.
- Twelfth.** Memorial to William Pitt Fessenden.
- Thirteenth.** Addition to State House or Library Building, actual construction.
- Fourteenth.** Bangor State Armory.

Sec. 3. Emergency clause. In view of the emergency cited in the preamble, this act shall take effect when approved.

Approved April 13, 1929.

Chapter 124.

An Act for the Assessment of a State Tax for the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Twenty-nine.

Emergency preamble. Whereas, all taxes upon real and personal property in this state are assessed as of April first and in the greater portion of the municipalities the assessments are completed during the months of April and May in each year, and

Whereas, it is necessary that the warrants for state taxes shall be transmitted by the treasurer of the state to the assessors of the several cities, towns and plantations as soon after April first as practicable in order that the taxes may be promptly assessed so that the cities, towns and plantations may receive sufficient revenue for current expenses, and

Whereas, in the opinion of the legislature, these facts render the imme-