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ACTS AND RESOLVES

AS PASSED BY THE

Eighty-fifth Legislature

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE

1931

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therein certain lands in St. Francis Plantation, Aroostook County, if he deems advisable, for such price per acre and on such terms of payment as he may deem advantageous.

Approved February 27, 1931.

Chapter 7.

RESOLVE, in Favor of Granting Teacher's Pension to Cora B. Crabtree of Vinalhaven.

Cora B. Crabtree; teacher's pension. Resolved: That a pension of five hundred dollars per year be, and hereby is, granted to Cora B. Crabtree of Vinalhaven, to be paid quarterly from the appropriation for teachers' pensions. Said pension shall begin July first, nineteen hundred thirty-one and continue until otherwise provided by the legislature.

Approved February 27, 1931.

Chapter 8.

RESOLVE, Granting Teacher's Pension to Mrs. Susan Pope of Westbrook.

Mrs. Susan Pope; teacher's pension. Resolved: That a pension of two hundred seventy-five dollars per year be, and hereby is, granted to Mrs. Susan Pope of Westbrook, to be paid quarterly from the appropriation for teachers' pensions. Said pension shall begin July first, nineteen hundred thirty-one and continue until otherwise provided by the legislature.

Approved February 27, 1931.

Chapter 9.

RESOLVE, to Appropriate Moneys for the Payment of Certain Claims and Departmental and Institutional Overdrafts or Anticipated Overdrafts for Which no Legislative Appropriation has been Made and to Provide for Carrying on the Activities of Departments and Institutions for the Remaining Months of the Fiscal Year Ending June thirty, nineteen hundred thirty-one, and for Other Purposes.

Emergency Preamble. Whereas, there are outstanding various claims against the state contracted prior to January one, nineteen hundred thirty-one, for the payment of which no money has been made available by previous legislative appropriations; and

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Whereas, there exist certain deficiencies heretofore reported to the state auditor and by him submitted to the legislature as provided by law; and

Whereas, the funds appropriated by the legislature for carrying on certain institutions and activities of the state are either exhausted or are insufficient in amount to continue the activities of these departments and institutions for the remaining months of the fiscal year to June thirty, nineteen hundred thirty-one; and

Whereas, the aforesaid facts seem to this legislature to constitute an emergency, whereby public peace, health and safety are in danger and emergency legislation is necessary to protect the welfare and credit of the state and conserve various activities relating to the public peace, health and safety; now therefore be it

Appropriation for expenditures of government for the balance of the fiscal year. Resolved: That there be appropriated to pay existing and prospective obligations of the state one hundred seventy thousand one hundred seventy-five dollars and eighty-eight cents for the following purposes:

TOTALS OF DEPARTMENTS AND INSTITUTIONS

Commissioner of agriculture,	\$ 70.24
Examining boards,	465.31
Executive department,	53,735.21
Inland fisheries and game,	11,537.25
Legislative department,	432.88
Miscellaneous,	2,040.45
Public utilities commission,	23.82
State commissioner of education,	4,678.00
State board of arbitration and conciliation,	73.34
State department of health,	56.40
Trustees—juvenile institutions,	28.06
Augusta state hospital,	203.67
Central Maine sanatorium,	29,000.00
Maine state prison,	61,781.25
State reformatory for women,	50.00
Sea and shore fisheries,	6,000.00
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Total	\$170,175.88

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT, as reported by state auditor:

Burial expenses of soldiers and sailors and their widows,	\$ 200.00
Examination and commitment of insane state beneficiaries,	76.90

PAYMENT OF CERTAIN CLAIMS.

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Soldiers' pensions,		480.00
Support of state paupers,		4,978.31
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT, current fiscal year,		
Support of paupers,	\$35,000.00	
Pensions for the blind,	6,500.00	
Education of the blind,	6,500.00	
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COMMISSIONER OF AGRICULTURE,		
As reported by state auditor,		70.24
EXAMINING BOARDS,		
As reported by state auditor,		465.31
INLAND FISH AND GAME COMMISSION,		
As reported by state auditor,	37.25	
Current fiscal year, bounty on porcupines,	11,500.00	
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LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT,		
As reported by state auditor,		432.88
MISCELLANEOUS, damage by dogs, etc.,		
As reported by state auditor,		2,040.45
PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION,		
As reported by state auditor,		23.82
STATE COMMISSIONER OF EDUCATION, state school fund,		
As reported by state auditor,		4,678.00
STATE BOARD OF ARBITRATION AND CONCILIATION,		
As reported by state auditor,		73.34
STATE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH,		
As reported by state auditor,		56.40
TRUSTEES, PER DIEM AND EXPENSES,		
As reported by state auditor,		28.06
AUGUSTA STATE HOSPITAL,		
As reported by state auditor,		203.67
CENTRAL MAINE SANATORIUM, current fiscal year,		
Personal services,	\$3,600.00	
Maintenance,	19,200.00	
Repairs and equipment,	6,200.00	
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MAINE STATE PRISON, current fiscal year,			
Maintenance,		60,000.00	
Permanent improvements,		1,781.25	
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STATE REFORMATORY FOR WOMEN,			
As reported by state auditor,			50.00
SEA AND SHORE FISHERIES, current fiscal year,			
Pay and expense of wardens,			6,000.00
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	Total		\$170,175.88

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

Approved March 7, 1931.

Chapter 10.

RESOLVE, Providing for a State Pension for Maria E. Collins, of Chelsea.

Maria E. Collins; state pension. Resolved: That a pension of thirty dollars per month be, and hereby is, granted to Maria E. Collins, of Chelsea, to be paid quarterly from the fund for pensions for soldiers and their dependents. Said pension shall begin January first, nineteen hundred thirty-one, and continue until otherwise provided by the legislature.

Approved March 6, 1931.

Chapter 11.

RESOLVE, for State Pension in Favor of Rena Cooley, of Augusta.

Rena Cooley; state pension. Resolved: That a pension of three hundred dollars per year be, and hereby is, granted to Rena Cooley of Augusta for the benefit of herself and minor children, Violet and Evelyn, to begin July first, nineteen hundred thirty-one, and to continue until otherwise ordered by the legislature.

Approved March 6, 1931.