

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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FORTIETH LEGISLATURE.

HOUSE.

[EXTRA SESSION.]

No. 3.

STATE OF MAINE.

RESOLVE authorizing a loan in behalf of the state.

Resolved, That to carry into effect a requisition made
2 by the President of the United States, calling into the
3 actual service of the United States a portion of the
4 militia of this state, or any future requisition which
5 may be hereafter made by the President of the United
6 States for a similar purpose, and for the payment of
7 any necessary expenses incident thereto, and to carry
8 into effect the provisions of an act passed at this ses-
9 sion of the legislature, entitled "An act to raise ten
10 regiments, to aid the President of the United States in
11 enforcing the laws and maintaining the government
12 thereof, and to protect the same against its enemies,
13 and in defence of the state," also an act entitled "An
14 act to provide for the defence of the coast and com-
15 merce of Maine," the treasurer of state, with the

16 advice of the governor, be, and he hereby is
17 authorized to procure, on the faith of the State, from
18 time to time, whenever the exigencies may require,
19 a loan or loans for the purposes of war aforesaid, not
20 exceeding thirteen hundred thousand dollars, reimbursa-
21 ble at such times as in their opinion will be most advanta-
22 geous to the state, at a rate of interest not exceeding
23 six per cent. per annum, payable semi-annually at the
24 city of Boston ; and the treasurer is hereby author-
25 ized to issue bonds therefor in sums not less than five
26 hundred dollars each, with coupons attached for the
27 payment of the interest. Each bond aforesaid shall
28 be signed by the treasurer, countersigned by the gov-
29 ernor, and attested by the secretary of state, with the
30 seal of the state ; but the coupons shall be signed only
31 by the treasurer.

Resolved, That the treasurer of state advertise for
2 proposals for the foregoing loans in such papers as he
3 shall deem expedient.

STATE OF MAINE.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
April 23, 1861. }

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CHARLES A. MILLER, *Clerk.*