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HOUSE.

No. 59.

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STATE OF MAINE.

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HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }  
February 2d, 1887. }

REPORT OF COMMITTEE.

The Joint Special Committee on State Printing and Binding, beg leave to report, that they have had under consideration the subject of binding for the years 1887 and 1888, and have signed a contract with Messrs. Smith & Reid of Augusta to do the same, as per contract enclosed, and would most respectfully recommend its approval by the Legislature.

WAKEFIELD,

*for Committee.*

AUGUSTA, ME., January 19, 1887.

ARTICLES OF AGREEMENT,

Made this nineteenth day of January, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven, by and between H. E. Smith and W. H. Reid, book-binders and co-partners, doing business under the name and style of "Smith & Reid," of Augusta, in the county of Kennebec, and the State of Maine, of the first part, and the Joint Special Committee on Printing and Binding, of the Legislature of the State of Maine, acting for and in behalf of said State, of the second part,

WITNESSETH,

That the said H. E. Smith and W. H. Reid, to wit: "Smith & Reid," for the consideration hereinafter mentioned, hereby covenant, promise and agree to and with the said party of the second part, that they will, in a prompt, proper, substantial, faithful and workmanlike manner, perform and execute the folding, stitching, ruling and binding for the State, according to the specifications, and for the respective prices hereinafter named, viz:

CLASS 1. *Pamphlets* of four pages, to be *folded only*, at nine (9) cents per hundred. *Pamphlets* of eight pages to be *folded only*, at fourteen (14) cents per hundred.

CLASS 2. *Pamphlets* of eight pages, to be *folded, stitched and trimmed*, at seventeen (17) cents per hundred copies. *Pamphlets* of twelve pages, to be *folded, stitched and trimmed*, at twenty-five (25) cents per hundred copies; and for each eight pages or a fraction thereof additional, eight and one-half (8½) cents per hundred copies of said pamphlet.

CLASS 3. *Books* of eight pages, to be bound in *paper covers and trimmed*, at fifty (50) cents per hundred copies. *Books*

of twelve pages, to be bound in *paper covers and trimmed*, at seventy-five cents (75) cents per hundred copies; and for each *eight pages or fraction thereof additional*, twenty (20) cents per hundred copies of said book.

CLASS 4. Plates to be set, at ten (10) cents per hundred copies.

CLASS 5. *Acts and Resolves* to be bound in quarter ( $\frac{1}{4}$ ) cloth, thirteen and one-half ( $13\frac{1}{2}$ ) cents per copy.

CLASS 6. *Reports of Secretary of Maine Board of Agriculture* for years 1887 and '88, and Abstracts containing plates, not exceeding two hundred (200) pages, to be bound in full cloth, at twenty-five (25) cents per copy, and one (1) cent for each additional fifty (50) pages or fraction thereof. *Reports of Secretary of Maine Board of Agriculture* for the years 1887 and '88, and *Abstracts containing plates*, bound in cloth backs and stiff covers, and all such work not otherwise specified, seventeen cents per copy. *Ruling and binding blanks and blank books* required by State Officers, similar to work done heretofore, viz :

CLASS 7. *Returns of Railroad Companies* to Commissioners, to be ruled, at eleven and one-half ( $11\frac{1}{2}$ ) cents, and bound at eleven and one-quarter ( $11\frac{1}{4}$ ) cents per copy; provided not less than one hundred copies are ordered.

CLASS 8. *Returns of Insurance Companies* to Commissioner, to be ruled, at twelve (12) cents per book, for one hundred copies, and six and one-quarter ( $6\frac{1}{4}$ ) cents for each additional copy; said books to be bound at one dollar and eighty cents (\$1.80) per hundred copies, and ninety (90) cents for each additional hundred copies, or fraction thereof.

CLASS 9. *Blanks for Committee on Warrants of Executive Council*, to be ruled, at eighty-seven and one-half ( $87\frac{1}{2}$ )

cents per hundred copies, and thirty-five (35) cents for each additional hundred copies or fraction thereof.

CLASS 10. *Blanks for Pay-Roll of Executive Council*, to be ruled, at thirty-eight and one-half ( $38\frac{1}{2}$ ) cents per one hundred copies, and five and one-quarter ( $5\frac{1}{4}$ ) cents for each additional hundred copies, or fraction thereof.

CLASS 11. *Blanks for Application for Continuation of Pensions*, to be ruled, at same rates as CLASS 10.

CLASS 12. *Blanks for Statement of Facts of Applicants for Pensions*, to be ruled, at same rates as CLASS 10.

CLASS 13. *Blanks for School Returns*, to be ruled, at same rates as CLASS 10.

CLASS 14. *Blanks for Certificates of Executive Council*, to be ruled, at same rates as CLASS 10.

CLASS 15. *Blanks for Vacant Lots for Land Office*, to be ruled, at fifty-six (56) cents per hundred copies, and twenty-eight (28) cents for each additional hundred copies or fraction thereof.

CLASS 16. *Blanks for Lots under Contract to Settlers*, to be ruled, the same as CLASS 15.

CLASS 17. *Blanks for Pension Pay-Roll and Warrant*, to be ruled, at same rates as CLASS 15.

CLASS 18. *Blanks for Discharges and Deaths*, to be ruled, at same rates as CLASS 15.

CLASS 19. *Blanks for Returns of Companies*, to be ruled, at one dollar and eighty-eight (\$1.88) cents per hundred copies, and eighty-one (81) cents for each additional hundred copies, or fraction thereof.

CLASS 20. *Blanks for Morning Reports*, to be ruled, at two dollars and twenty-five (\$2.25) cents per hundred copies,

and one dollar and twelve and one-half ( $\$1.12\frac{1}{2}$ ) cents for each additional hundred copies, or fraction thereof.

CLASS 21. *Supplying Paper, Ruling same and Binding* into Dockets and Alphabets for the Houses, Committees and Departments as heretofore done, viz :

(1) HALF ( $\frac{1}{2}$ ) qr. books *Cap. size*, at thirty-seven and one-half ( $37\frac{1}{2}$ ) cents each.

(2) ONE (1) qr. books *Cap. size*, at fifty-six and one-half ( $56\frac{1}{2}$ ) cents each.

(3) TWO (2) qr. books *Cap. size*, at seventy-five (75) cents each.

(4) THREE (3) qr. books *Cap. size*, at one dollar and thirty-five cents ( $\$1.35$ ) each.

(5) HALF ( $\frac{1}{2}$ ) qr. books, *Letter size*, at thirty-five (35) cents each.

(6) ONE (1) qr. books, *Letter size*, at fifty (50) cents each.

(7) TWO (2) qr. books, *Letter size*, at sixty-five (65) cents each.

INDEXES OR ALPHABETS made in any book of CLASS 21, at fifteen (15) cents each.

OTHER WORK, of too miscellaneous a character to be classified, to be done at prices not to exceed in any case those paid for similar work during last year, or late preceding years; which charges shall be subject to a review by the Committee of the Council on Accounts.

ALL WORK, *excepting such as the State Printers' contract obligates them to deliver into the hands of the State Binders*, to be taken from and returned to the State House by the said Smith and Reid, without expense to the State; and it is hereby agreed that the said Smith and Reid are to perform ALL the

FOLDING, STITCHING, RULING and BINDING authorized by or pertaining to the Sixty-Third (63d) Legislature, including ALL the reports of ALL the State and Legislative Officers and Commissioners for the years 1887 and 1888; and that the said Smith and Reid shall *complete all work on which any commencement shall have been made, and thereafter until a new contract is made by a subsequent Legislature for which the State is held to pay*, EXCEPTING the REPORTS of the DECISIONS of the S. J. COURT and the REVISED STATUTES.

And for the faithful performance of all and every, the Articles and Agreements before mentioned, the said Smith and Reid as principals, and the undersigned E. H. W. Smith and O. Williamson, as sureties, hereby bind themselves, their and each of their heirs, executors and administrators, jointly and severally, unto the said State of Maine in the penal sum of two thousand five hundred (\$2,500.00) dollars.

And in consideration of the covenants and agreements on the part of the said Smith and Reid, hereinbefore contained, the undersigned, committee as aforesaid, by virtue and in pursuance of authority in them vested, in behalf of said State, hereby covenant and agree with said Smith and Reid, in consideration of their performance of the service and work before specified, for said State, shall receive from said state, as compensation therefor, the amount which may be due them according to the before named prices.

This contract shall take effect and be in force from and after its approval by the Legislature.

SMITH & REID.

E. H. W. SMITH, }  
O. WILLIAMSON. } *Sureties.*

A. L. LUMBERT, } *Committee on*  
S. J. GUSHEE, } *part*  
C. H. GILBERT. } *of the Senate.*

J. W. WAKEFIELD, } *Committee on*  
E. L. PATANGALL, } *part*  
S. O. WILEY, } *of the House.*  
AMOS L. ALLEN,  
W. DICKEY,  
S. J. WALTON,



STATE OF MAINE.

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HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }  
February 2, 1887. }

Report of Committee on State Printing and Binding, reporting contract for binding for 1887 and 1888. Presented by Mr. WAKEFIELD of Bath; tabled and ordered printed.

NICHOLAS FESSENDEN, Clerk.