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ACTS AND RESOLVES

OF THE

SIXTY-EIGHTH LEGISLATURE

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE

1897

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PRIVATE AND SPECIAL LAWS
OF THE
STATE OF MAINE.

1897.

Chapter 568.

An Act to provide for the Expenditures of Government for the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in Legislature assembled, as follows:

Act of ap-
propria-
tion.

Sect. 1. In order to provide for the several acts and resolves of the legislature, requiring the payment of money from the treasury, and also to provide for the necessary expenditures of government for the year eighteen hundred and ninety-eight, the following sums are hereby appropriated out of any moneys in the treasury, and the governor, with the advice and consent of the council, is authorized, at any time between the first day of January, eighteen hundred and ninety-eight, and the first day of January, eighteen hundred and ninety-nine, to draw his warrant on the treasury for the same.

School fund and mill tax due in eighteen hundred and ninety-eight, five hundred twenty thousand dollars	\$520,000 00
School fund and mill tax due prior to eighteen hundred and ninety-eight, five thousand dollars,	5,000 00
Free high schools, forty-five thousand dollars....	45,000 00
Normal schools and training school, twenty-seven thousand dollars	27,000 00
Teachers' meetings, one thousand dollars.....	1,000 00
State examination of teachers, five hundred dollars	500 00
Trustees normal schools, six hundred dollars....	600 00
Interest on Madawaska territory school fund, three hundred dollars	300 00
Anson Academy, five hundred dollars.....	500 00
Bluehill Academy, five hundred dollars.....	500 00
Bridgton Academy, five hundred dollars.....	500 00
Calais Academy, five hundred dollars.....	500 00
Corinna Union Academy, five hundred dollars...	500 00
East Corinth Academy, three hundred dollars...	300 00
Erskine School, three hundred dollars.....	300 00
Foxcroft Academy, five hundred sixty dollars...	560 00
Fryeburg Academy, five hundred dollars.....	500 00
Gould's Academy, eight hundred dollars.....	800 00
Hampden Academy, five hundred dollars.....	500 00
Hebron Academy, sixty dollars.....	60 00

Houlton Academy, one hundred twenty dollars...	120 00
Limerick Academy, five hundred dollars.....	500 00
Limington Academy, three hundred dollars.....	300 00
Lincoln Academy, five hundred dollars.....	500 00
Litchfield Academy, five hundred dollars.....	500 00
Maine Central Institute, one thousand dollars....	1,000 00
Mattanawcook Academy, five hundred dollars...	500 00
Monson Academy, three hundred dollars.....	300 00
Oak Grove Seminary, eight hundred dollars.....	800 00
Paris Hill Academy, five hundred dollars.....	500 00
Parsonsfeld Seminary, five hundred dollars.....	500 00
Patten Academy, five hundred dollars.....	500 00
Ricker Classical Institute, one thousand dollars...	1,000 00
Somerset Academy, five hundred dollars.....	500 00
Washington Academy, five hundred dollars.....	500 00
School district number two, Madison, fifty dollars,	50 00
Public debt, fifty thousand dollars.....	50,000 00
Interest on public debt, eighty thousand dollars..	80,000 00
Salaries of public officers, eighty-four thousand dollars	84,000 00
Private secretary to the governor, one thousand two hundred dollars	1,200 00
Stenographer to chief justice of supreme judicial court, one thousand five hundred dollars.....	1,500 00
Clerks in secretary of state's office, three thousand two hundred dollars	3,200 00
Clerks in treasurer's office, three thousand three hundred dollars	3,300 00
Clerk in adjutant general's office, one thousand dollars	1,000 00
Clerk in superintendent of schools' office, one thousand dollars	1,000 00
Pension clerk, one thousand two hundred dollars,	1,200 00
Secretary of board of agriculture, one thousand five hundred dollars	1,500 00
Clerk to secretary of board of agriculture, one thousand dollars	1,000 00
Clerks to bank examiner, one thousand five hun- dred dollars	1,500 00
Clerk to state assessors, one thousand dollars....	1,000 00
Assistant librarian, five hundred dollars.....	500 00

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Subordinate officers of state prison, ten thousand five hundred dollars	10,500 00
Messenger to governor and council, five hundred dollars	500 00
Stenographer and typewriter, six hundred dollars, Fireman and mail carrier, one thousand eight hundred dollars	600 00
Night watch, two thousand four hundred dollars . .	1,800 00
Porters and laborers, five thousand dollars	2,400 00
Contingent fund of governor and council, six thousand dollars	5,000 00
Pay roll of council, four thousand dollars	6,000 00
Journal of council, one hundred fifty dollars . . .	4,000 00
Indices, one hundred fifty dollars	150 00
Contingent fund of secretary of state, three hundred dollars	150 00
Contingent fund of treasurer, eight hundred dollars	300 00
County taxes collected in eighteen hundred and ninety-seven, twenty-seven thousand dollars . . .	800 00
Railroad and telegraph tax due towns, sixty-three thousand dollars	27,000 00
Trustees of reform school, eight hundred dollars . .	63,000 00
Visiting committee to reform school, four hundred fifty dollars	800 00
Sanford legacy to reform school, forty-two dollars	450 00
Insane state beneficiaries, sixty-six thousand dollars	42 00
Criminal insane, three thousand five hundred dollars	66,000 00
Trustees of insane hospital, one thousand five hundred dollars	3,500 00
Visiting committee to insane hospital, four hundred dollars	1,500 00
Deaf, dumb and blind, twenty-four thousand dollars	400 00
Idiotic and feeble minded persons, three thousand dollars	24,000 00
Support of paupers in unincorporated places, fifteen thousand dollars	3,000 00
Expenses of state assessors, two thousand dollars,	15,000 00
	2,000 00

Expenses of attorney general, four hundred fifty dollars	450 00
Expenses of superintendent of common schools, five hundred dollars	500 00
Expenses of insurance commissioner, one thousand two hundred dollars	1,200 00
Expenses of bank examiner, six hundred dollars..	600 00
Expenses of forest commissioner, four hundred dollars	400 00
Expenses of secretary of board of agriculture, three hundred dollars	300 00
Expenses of inspector of factories, workshops, mines and quarries, five hundred dollars.....	500 00
Compensation and expenses of state liquor assayers, one thousand dollars.....	1,000 00
Inspectors of state prison and jails, one thousand five hundred dollars	1,500 00
Inspectors of steamboats, two thousand five hundred dollars	2,500 00
Inspector of dams and reservoirs, one hundred dollars	100 00
Printing, thirty-five thousand dollars.....	35,000 00
Binding and stitching, sixteen thousand dollars..	16,000 00
Stationery, eight thousand dollars.....	8,000 00
Postage, six thousand dollars.....	6,000 00
Agricultural societies, eight thousand two hundred dollars	8,200 00
Farmers' institutes, three thousand dollars.....	3,000 00
Board of agriculture, four hundred fifty dollars...	450 00
Burial expenses of soldiers and sailors, five thousand dollars	5,000 00
Sheriffs and coroners, six hundred dollars.....	600 00
Costs in criminal prosecutions, one thousand five hundred dollars	1,500 00
Superior court in Waterville, two hundred dollars,	200 00
Reports of judicial decisions, three thousand two hundred dollars	3,200 00
Advertising land sale and tax act, nine hundred dollars	900 00
Lands reserved for public uses, two thousand dollars	2,000 00

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Interest on lands reserved for public uses, four thousand dollars	4,000 00
Forfeited lands, two thousand dollars.....	2,000 00
Fuel and lights, seven thousand dollars.....	7,000 00
Furniture and repairs, eight thousand dollars....	8,000 00
Freight and trucking, five hundred dollars.....	500 00
Penobscot Indians, eight thousand four hundred nineteen dollars and sevnty cents	8,419 70
Penobscot Indians, shore rents, two thousand six hundred eighteen dollars	2,618 00
Passamaquoddy Indians, eight thousand seventy dollars	8,070 00
Soldiers pensions, seventy-five thousand dollars..	75,000 00
Military pensions, three thousand five hundred dollars	3,500 00
State library, one thousand dollars	1,000 00
Maine state library under resolve, three thousand three hundred dollars	3,300 00
Transportation of documents, two thousand dollars	2,000 00
Transportation of mail, fifty dollars.....	50 00
State board of health, five thousand dollars.....	5,000 00
Registration of vital statistics, two thousand five hundred dollars	2,500 00
Bureau of industrial and labor statistics, three thousand five hundred dollars	3,500 00
Maine state agricultural society, one thousand dollars	1,000 00
Maine state agricultural society for industrial exhibits, one thousand dollars	1,000 00
Eastern Maine state fair, one thousand dollars...	1,000 00
Eastern Maine state fair to encourage pomology, seven hundred fifty dollars.....	750 00
Water for state house, one thousand eight hundred dollars	1,800 00
Water for state prison, two thousand five hundred dollars	2,500 00
Lights for state prison, four thousand five hundred dollars	4,500 00
School in state prison, fifty dollars	50 00
Medicine for state prison, one hundred fifty dollars	150 00

Books for use of convicts in state prison, fifty dollars	50 00
Railroad commissioners, eleven thousand two hundred dollars	11,200 00
Property exempt from taxation, two thousand two hundred dollars	2,200 00
Bounty on animals, two thousand five hundred dollars	2,500 00
Bounty on seals, two thousand five hundred dollars	2,500 00
Expenses of Australian ballot, eight thousand five hundred dollars	8,500 00
Investigation of railroad accidents, one thousand dollars	1,000 00
Temporary home for women and children at Deering, one thousand dollars.....	1,000 00
Bangor children's home, one thousand dollars...	1,000 00
Maine eye and ear infirmary, five thousand dollars	5,000 00
Central Maine general hospital, fifteen thousand dollars	15,000 00
Saint Elizabeth Roman Catholic orphan asylum, four hundred dollars	400 00
Maine general hospital, seven thousand five hundred dollars	7,500 00
Women's christian temperance union of Maine, five hundred dollars	500 00
Eastern Maine general hospital, five thousand dollars	5,000 00
Maine state year book, one thousand four hundred twenty-five dollars	1,425 00
Militia fund, thirty-two thousand eight hundred fifty dollars	32,850 00
Care of trust deposits, two hundred dollars.....	200 00
Donation for founding free public libraries, five hundred dollars	500 00
Free public libraries, two thousand five hundred dollars	2,500 00
Fish and game, twenty-five thousand dollars.....	25,000 00
Sea and shore fisheries, fifteen thousand dollars..	15,000 00
Farmington state normal school, ten thousand dollars	10,000 00

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Gorham state normal school, thirteen thousand dollars	13,000 00
Bridge between Howland and Enfield, five thousand dollars	5,000 00
Indexing papers and records in land office, one thousand dollars	1,000 00
Madawaska training school, three thousand two hundred fifty dollars	3,250 00
Cherryfield Academy, eight hundred dollars....	800 00
East Corinth Academy, two hundred dollars....	200 00
Freedom Academy, five hundred dollars.....	500 00
Leavitt Institute, five hundred dollars.....	500 00
Lee Normal Academy, seven hundred fifty dollars	750 00
Monmouth Academy, five hundred dollars.....	500 00
North Yarmouth Academy, three hundred dollars,	300 00
Springfield Normal School, five hundred dollars..	500 00
Westbrook Seminary, two thousand dollars.....	2,000 00
Wilton Academy, eight hundred dollars.....	800 00
Bridge in town of Milbridge, five hundred dollars,	500 00
Roads and bridges in Indian township, seven hundred dollars	700 00
Building and maintaining highways, three thousand five hundred dollars.....	3,500 00
Expenses of commissioners for the promotion of uniformity of legislation in the United States, two hundred fifty dollars	250 00
State College of Agriculture and Mechanic Arts, twenty thousand dollars	20,000 00
Temporary loan, two hundred thousand dollars...	200,000 00
Investigation of the causes of fire, two thousand dollars	2,000 00
Hospital of the Society of the Sisters of Charity, one thousand five hundred dollars.....	1,500 00
Maine Industrial School for girls, ten thousand five hundred dollars	10,500 00
Williams legacy to Maine Insane Hospital, forty dollars	40 00
Repairs on highways and bridges in town of Cutler, five hundred dollars	500 00
Little Samaritan Aid Society of Portland, two hundred fifty dollars	250 00

Children's Aid Society of Maine, seven hundred fifty dollars	750 00
Bath Military and Naval Orphan Asylum, eight thousand dollars	8,000 00
Maine Industrial School for Girls, one thousand dollars	1,000 00
Town of Hollis, five hundred dollars	500 00
Preservation of Regimental rolls in Adjutant General's Office, two thousand dollars.....	2,000 00
Pennell Institute, five hundred dollars.....	500 00
Potter Academy, three hundred dollars.....	300 00
State Reform School, twenty-two thousand dollars,	22,000 00
State prison physican, two hundred fifty dollars..	250 00
Maine Insane Hospital, fifteen thousand dollars...	15,000 00
Summer training schools and distribution of educational documents, two thousand five hundred dollars	2,500 00
Normal schools and training school, four thousand dollars	4,000 00
Trustees State College of Agriculture and Mechanic Arts, one thousand dollars.....	1,000 00
Care of Eastern Maine Insane Hospital, one thousand five hundred dollars.....	1,500 00
Assistant librarian, three hundred dollars.....	300 00
Maine state cattle commission, contagious diseases, five thousand dollars	5,000 00

Amounting to the sum of one million eight hundred sixteen thousand three hundred fifty-four dollars and seventy cents.....\$1,816,354 70
 Sect. 2. This act shall take effect when approved.

Approved March 27, 1897.