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## CHAPTER 5

## AGRICULTURAL EXPERIMENT STATION

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**§ 121. Agricultural Experiment Station**

The department of the University of Maine known and designated as the Maine Agricultural Experiment Station, heretofore established at said university in connection therewith and under its direction, for the purpose of carrying into effect an act of the Congress of the United States, approved March 2, 1887, to establish agricultural experiment stations in connection with the colleges established in the several states under an act approved July 2, 1862, and of the acts supplementary thereto, shall be maintained in accordance with the purposes for which it was originally established.

R.S.1954, c. 32, § 302.

**§ 122. Orchardring and crops**

The Maine Agricultural Experiment Station shall conduct scientific investigations in orcharding, corn and other farm crops and, to this end, shall maintain the farm heretofore purchased in the name of the State, and stocked and equipped for the use and benefit of said station. The Director of the Maine Agricultural Experiment Station shall have the general supervision, management and control of said farm and of all investigations thereon.

R.S.1954, c. 32, § 303.

**§ 123. Animal husbandry**

The Maine Agricultural Experiment Station shall conduct scientific investigations in animal husbandry, including experiments and observations on dairy cattle and other domestic animals, and such investigations shall be under the control of the director of said station. The experiments in animal husbandry may be conducted at any of the farms owned by the State.

R.S.1954, c. 32, § 304.

**§ 124. Expenditure of appropriation**

Such sums as shall be appropriated in favor of the Maine Agricultural Experiment Station shall be expended by the director of said station in executing section 123.

R.S.1954, c. 32, § 305.

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**§ 191. Purpose**

In order to aid in diffusing among the people of this State useful and practical information on subjects relating to agriculture, home economics and rural life and to encourage the application of the same, there may be inaugurated in each of the several counties of the State extension work which shall be carried on in cooperation with the University of Maine, College of Agriculture.

R.S.1954, c. 32, § 306.

**§ 192. Demonstrations and information**

Cooperative agricultural extension work shall consist of the giving of practical demonstrations in agriculture and home economics and imparting information on said subjects through field demonstrations, publications and otherwise. This work shall be carried on in each county in such manner as may be mutually agreed upon by the executive committee of the county extension association provided for in section 193, and the trustees of the University of Maine, College of Agriculture, or their duly appointed representatives.

R.S.1954, c. 32, § 307.