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MAINE STATE LIBRARY.

STATUTE REGULATIONS.

Books may be taken from the Library by the Governor, Members of the Council, and of the Legislature, Judges of the Judicial Courts, Secretary of State, Deputy Secretary of State, Adjutant General, Attorney General, Land Agent, Reporter of Decisions, Counsel engaged in argument of causes before the law courts in the middle district, Superintendent of Public Buildings, Superintendent of Common Schools, Superintendent of the Insane Hospital, Chaplains, Secretary and Assistant Secretary of the Senate, Chaplains, Clerk and Assistant Clerk of the House, Secretary and Members of the Board of Agriculture during the session of the Board, provided that this privilege to the members of the Legislature, and those officially connected therewith, shall be limited to the time the Legislature shall be in session.

Any person taking books from the Library shall first give sufficient personal security for their return within twenty days.

No person authorized to take books from the Library shall be permitted to have at any one time more than three volumes, nor shall the same be retained more than three weeks, and all shall be returned on or before the first day of January annually.

The following books shall not be taken from the library room, except for the use of either House, or of the Committee of the Legislature during its session, or for use in the Supreme Judicial Court in term time: all books presented by the United States or any of the States; all works, books and documents relating to the laws or legislative proceedings of the United States, or other States or Countries; all digests, reports of decisions, and works relating to the science of the law, and Vattemare's exchanges.

Every person shall be answerable for all damage done by him to any book, and in ease of the loss of any volume belonging to a set, the person answerable therefor shall procure a new volume or pay in money the value of the set.

Actions for the breach of said regulations may be brought by the Librarian in his own name for the use of the State, and in case of his death or removal from office, the action shall survive and be prosecuted by his successor.

To the Hon. Josiah H. Drummond,

Speaker of the House of Representatives:

SIR:—I have the honor to transmit herewith my Annual Report as Librarian of the Maine State Library for the year ending Dec. 31, 1868.

Very respectfully,

Your obedient servant,

JOS. T. WOODWARD.

STATE LIBRARY, Augusta, January 20, 1869.

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REPORT.

To the Legislature of Maine:

In accordance with the provisions of the 5th section of chapter 25 of the laws of 1861, I submit the following report. I entered upon the duties of State Librarian on the 20th day of April, 1868. The total amount of funds received by me for the use of the Library, was eight hundred and twenty-three dollars and sixteen cents (\$823.16); consisting of the amount drawn and unused by G. G. Stacy, Esq., then Librarian, of the annual appropriation, amounting to three hundred and seventeen dollars and fifty-six cents, (\$317.56,) the undrawn portion of five hundred dollars, (\$500,) and the sum of five dollars and sixty cents, (\$5.60,) received from the sale of duplicate pamphlets and waste paper.

The expenditures for the purchase of books and for incidental expenses since April 20th, 1868, have amounted to seven hundred and ninety-one dollars and twenty-two cents, (\$791.22,) leaving a balance now on hand of thirty dollars and ninety-four cents, (\$30.94.) A considerable portion of this sum will be required in payment for books ordered near the close of the year, which have not been received. The library has been increased during the past year by the addition of eight hundred and seventyfour volumes and pamphlets, a list of which is submitted with this The plan of securing gradually a State Library containing the complete works of the best authors in all the various departments of literature and science has been adhered to, as far as possible, with the limited means at command, and it has not been thought of so much importance that a large number of volumes be secured as that each volume should be of permanent value. department of Law, under the careful attention of my predecessor in office, very much has been done and much yet remains to do, in filling vacancies in sets of reports, in adding rare works found in few private libraries, and not often used, yet sometimes especially sought for as authority upon particular questions; and in securing that completeness in this department which is so desirable to all engaged in the making and execution of the laws.

In the purchase of scientific works the aim has been to secure such, as upon the subject therein treated, are recognized as standard authority.

Several of the best treatises upon political economy are already in the Library, and others will be added as the increasing public attention to this important subject seems to demand, and the state of the Library funds will warrant.

In the department of poetry and miscellaneous literature, the same general course has been pursued, and the complete works of the leading writers in this department not already upon the shelves, have been procured, so far as a proper regard for other portions of the Library would allow.

In the selection and purchase of books, I have received valuable suggestions from several gentlemen interested in the Library, and the interest in its prosperity which has been taken by the Governor of the State, has rendered his excellent taste and varied learning of especial value.

The donations during this year have changed little in number and value from former years, with the exception of a liberal donation of ninety-two volumes of Congressional Documents from Hon. Lot M. Morrill, U. S. Senator, which was especially valuable in the continuation of the Library set of the Congressional Globe and in supplying missing volumes in imperfect sets of Public Documents. A full statement of all donations may be found in the list of additions to the Library furnished in this Report.

The exchanges with the Southern States interrupted by the war have been resumed, and we now receive for our own publications, the documents of nearly all the States of the Union.

The present arrangement of the Library with open alcoves has been noticed in previous reports as objectionable, as it is impossible to maintain that neat and orderly appearance of the shelves which is so desirable, and to prevent the misplacement of books, and their disappearance when they are subject to the examination and handling of any and all persons.

Eight volumes have been lost during the past year, mostly of little value. It is a matter of surprise that so few books are lost while all are in a situation so exposed. A suitable enclosure of the alcoves would be of no little convenience and benefit, if it should be thought the state of the finances would warrant the expenditure

The practice of rebinding such books as became worn has been continued, and many volumes saved thus that would otherwise have been utterly worthless.

The State Library has grown to be an institution in which we may take a just pride, and I have no need to suggest that the most liberal appropriation should be made for its interest, consistent with other demands upon the Treasury of the State. I have no doubt it will be your pleasure to make such appropriation for this purpose, as will be consistent with a proper appreciation of the public benefit of a depository of learning of this character, and a generous and provident regard for the necessities and uses of the State shall dictate, and with this view, I commend the interest of this department to your favorable consideration.

JOSEPH T. WOODWARD, State Librarian.

STATE LIBRARY, Augusta, January 11, 1869.

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