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Presented by Mr. Gardner of Orono.

HARVEY R. PEASE, Clerk

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED SIXTY-ONE

AN ACT Providing for the Enlargement of the Agricultural Engineering Building at the University of Maine in Orono.

Be it enacted by the People of the State of Maine, as follows:

Sec. 1. Agricultural Engineering Building, enlargement of. The University of Maine is authorized to enlarge the facilities of the existing building by constructing, furnishing and equipping a second floor which is to be added to each of the 2 existing wings and a one story addition between the wings.

Sec. 2. Appropriation. There is appropriated from the Unappropriated Surplus of the General Fund to the University of Maine the sum of \$210,000 to carry out this act. Such appropriation shall not lapse, but shall remain a continuing carrying account until the purposes of this act have been accomplished.

STATEMENT OF FACTS

- 1. Agricultural Engineering is now recognized as being equivalent to the older and better known types of engineering.
- 2. Technological developments in modern farm management creates a demand for skills in this field of engineering.
- 3. The proposed facilities are needed to meet the new and exacting standards in Agricultural Engineering and to provide for the ever increasing enrollment.