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ONE - HUNDRE DTH LEGISLATURE

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S. P. 248

In Senate, January 25, 1961

Referred to Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs. Sent down for concurrence and ordered printed.

CHESTER T. WINSLOW, Secretary

Presented by Senator Bates of Penobscot.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED
SIXTY-ONE

**RESOLVE, Appropriating Funds for Operating Expenses for University of
Maine.**

University of Maine; appropriation. Resolved: That there is appropriated from the General Fund to the University of Maine the sum of \$4,623,001 for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1962 and the sum of \$5,230,201 for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1963 for operating expenses.

STATEMENT OF FACTS

It may be concluded that the decade of the fifties brought some progress in state financial support, but the rate of that progress has not been sufficient to keep pace with the need for additional operating funds. This resulted in turning away young men and women who should have had an opportunity to attend their State University. Any appropriation that falls short of the estimated increase contained herein will make it necessary to deny admission to still additional qualified students and deny to the people of Maine both the quality and quantity of research and service that should be supplied by their State University in the 1960's.