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STATE OF MAINE
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COMMITTEE AMENDMENT " A " to S.P. 182, L.D. 496, Bill, "AN ACT to Authorize the State Librarian to Purchase Town Histories and other Maine Histories for Distribution to Public Libraries and Schools."

Amend the Bill by striking out in the 5th line (4th line underlined in L.D.) the/figure "50" and inserting in its place the underlined figure '25'

Further amend the Bill by inserting at the end of section 1 the following:

'3. Surplus. The State Librarian may sell copies of each history that are not distributed under subsection 2. The State Librarian shall fix the price of sale at the retail price of the history. The Maine State Museum may sell these copies through its museum sales program, provided that the proceeds from the sale of these town histories shall not be used as required under section 89, and the complimentary publications required by that section shall not be required. All proceeds from the sales of these town histories shall be used to pay the costs of the distribution required under subsection 2, and any proceeds beyond these costs shall be used to meet the costs of purchase under subsection 1.'

Statement of Fact

The purpose of this amendment is to allow the State Librarian to sell surplus town histories and apply the proceeds against the costs of purchase and distribution.

Reported by the Committee on Local and County Government.

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