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FORTY-EIGHTH LEGISLATURE.

HOUSE.

No. 55.

STATE OF MAINE.

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD ONE THOUSAND EIGHT HUNDRED AND SIXTY-NINE.

AN ACT to secure harmony of action between the Board of Agriculture and the State College of Agriculture and the Mechanic Arts.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in Legislature assembled, as follows:

- Section 1. The secretary of the Board of Agricul-
- 2 ture is hereby constituted a member ex officio of the
- 3 Board of Trustees of the State College of Agriculture
- 4 and the Mechanic Arts.
 - SECT. 2. In addition to the members of the Board
- 2 of Agriculture as constituted by chapter one hundred
- 3 eighty-six of the laws of eighteen hundred and sixty,
- 4 the governor, with advice of the executive council,
- 5 shall appoint five members at large, of whom two at
- 6 least shall be from the faculty of State College of

- 7 Agriculture and the Mechanic Arts. The term during
- 8 which these shall severally hold office shall be deter-
- 9 mined in the same manner as the other members.
 - Sect. 3. The Board of Agriculture shall hold two
- 2 sessions annually, of not exceeding four days each,
- 3 one of which shall be held within such convenient
- 4 distance of the State College of Agriculture and the
- 5 Mechanic Arts as will enable the attendance of the
- 6 students and faculty of said college, so that they may
- 7 have the advantage of the addresses and discussions
- 8 before the board. The other session shall be at such
- 9 time and place as may be from time to time deter-
- 10 mined by vote of the board.
 - Sect. 4. Members of the Board of Agriculture shall
 - 2 be paid their actual necessary expenses incurred by
 - 3 travel and attendance at the sessions aforesaid, an
 - 4 exact account of the same being first rendered by each
 - 5 member through a committee of the board and reported
 - 6 thereon. But members shall receive no compensation
 - 7 for time and services rendered.
 - Sect. 5. The secretary of the Board of Agriculture
 - 2 is hereby authorized to procure such aids and facilities
 - 3 as may be needful to render the sessions useful and
 - 4 profitable to the public, the aggregate expense thereof
 - 5 not to exceed four hundred dollars annually.

Sect. 6. All acts and parts of acts inconsistent with 2 this act are hereby repealed.

Sect. 7. This act shall take effect when approved 2 by the governor.

STATE OF MAINE.

IN HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, February 18, 1869.

Reported from the Committee on Agriculture, by Mr. CALDER-WOOD, and printed under the Joint Rule.

S. J. CHADBOURNE, Clerk.