

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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FIFTY-EIGHTH LEGISLATURE.

HOUSE.

No. 54.

[Majority Report.]

ARTICLES OF AGREEMENT.

Made this third day of February, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine, witnesseth :

That Eben F. Pillsbury and William A. Waterhouse, co-partners, agree to execute the printing for the State of Maine for the current political year, beginning on the day of approval of this contract, continuing one year, and thereafter, until otherwise ordered by the Legislature, promptly, and in a workmanlike manner, on the following terms and conditions, namely :

For composition, plain, forty-five cents per thousand ems, and double that price for rule and figure and tabular work.

For press work per token of two hundred and fifty sheets of book work, with sixteen pages of octavo or twenty-four pages duodecimo, printed on each side, ninety cents; but every excess of a token shall be charged pro rata.

For blanks, for composition, for space actually covered, forty-eight cents per thousand ems for plain, and double price for rule and figure and tabular work; but no blank shall be reckoned less than one thousand.

For press work not otherwise provided for in preceding sections of this contract, seventy-five cents per token; but any excess of a token shall be charged pro rata.

And the Joint Special Committee, in behalf of the State, agree to pay the prices above stipulated; and it is further agreed, that in the execution of the work provided for in this contract, the following rules and regulations shall be observed, to wit :

That in printing bills, resolves, etc., when a saving may be properly effected in the amount of composition by adopting half title pages, and including the order for printing or other matter on a page containing other matter, instead of a full title, such mode shall be adopted; that in all cases where blank leaves shall occur in a work to be executed, the printer shall not be entitled to charge for composition on the pages of such blank leaves; that in all cases where the two Houses of Legislature shall order the printing of the same document, the printer shall be entitled to charge for but one composition, unless the type used in the printing of such document shall have been actually distributed; that in printing blanks where immaterial alterations shall be necessary, there shall be a charge for one composition only.

The price for making alterations in forms of type different from the copy furnished, after the type have been set and made into book form by the printers, in accordance with copy, shall be at the rate of thirty-five cents per hour for each hour's labor actually required to make such alterations.

It is understood that the copy furnished the printers shall be legibly written and properly prepared. It is also expressly understood and agreed that all printed sheets of book-work shall be delivered promptly into the hands of the Binders to the State, and that after such delivery the responsibility of the printers for such printed sheets shall cease. It is also expressly understood and agreed that this contract shall apply to all printing not otherwise provided for by law for which the State is held to pay.

Paper shall be furnished at cost, without bonus or commission.

NELSON THOMPSON,

Committee on the part of Senate.

WILDER W. PERRY,

EDWIN L. POOR,

AARON H. WOODCOCK,

D. S. SIMPSON,

C. C. HOMER,

S. B. CRAGIN.

} Committee on
the part of
the House.

The undersigned agree to do the work specified in this contract to the satisfaction and acceptance of the Governor and Council, both as to time and manner of executing the same; and for any part of the work which by decision of the Governor and Council is not done according to the terms of the contract, the undersigned agree to submit to such reduction of compensation or forfeiture as in the opinion of the Governor and Council the interests of the State require.

E. F. PILLSBURY & CO.

STATE OF MAINE.

IN HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
February 4, 1879. }

Reported from the Committee on Printing and Binding, by Mr.
PERRY of Camden, and ordered printed.

B. L. STAPLES, *Clerk.*

[Minority Report.]

ARTICLES OF AGREEMENT

Made this day of in the year of our Lord
one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine, witnesseth :

That Alden Sprague, Howard Owen, and Chas. E. Nash,
co-partners, agree to execute the printing for the State of
Maine for the current political year, beginning on the
day of 1879, and until otherwise ordered by the
Legislature, promptly, and in a workmanlike manner, on the
following terms and conditions, namely :

For composition, plain, thirty-seven cents per thousand
ems, and double that price for rule and figure and tabular
work.

For press work per token of two hundred and fifty sheets
of book work, with sixteen pages of octavo, or twenty-four
pages of duodecimo, printed on each side, eighty-five cents ;
but every excess of a token shall be charged pro rata.

For blanks, for composition, for space actually covered,
33½ cents per thousand ems for plain, and double price for
rule and figure and tabular work ; but no blank shall be
reckoned less than one thousand.

For press work not otherwise provided for in preceding
sections of this contract, seventy-five cents per token ; but
any excess of a token shall be charged pro rata.

And the Joint Special Committee, in behalf of the State,
agree to pay the prices above stipulated ; and it is further
agreed, that in the execution of the work provided for in this
contract, the following rules and regulations shall be observed,
to wit :

That in printing bills, resolves, &c., when a saving may
be properly effected in the amount of composition by adopt-
ing half title pages, and including the order for printing or

other matter on a page containing other matter, instead of a full title, such mode shall be adopted; that in all cases where blank leaves shall occur in a work to be executed, the printer shall not be entitled to charge for composition on the pages of such blank leaves; that in all cases where the two Houses of Legislature shall order the printing of the same document, the printer shall be entitled to charge for but one composition, unless the type used in the printing of such document shall have been actually distributed; that in printing blanks where immaterial alterations shall be necessary, there shall be a charge for one composition only.

The price for making alterations in forms of type different from the copy furnished, after the type have been set and made into book form by the printers, in accordance with copy, shall be at the rate of 25 cents per hour for each hour's labor actually required to make such alterations.

It is understood that the copy furnished the printers shall be legibly written and properly prepared. It is also expressly understood and agreed that all printed sheets of book-work shall be delivered promptly into the hands of the Binders of the State, and that after such delivery the responsibility of the printers for such printed sheets shall cease. It is also expressly understood and agreed that this contract shall apply to all printing not otherwise provided for by the revised statutes for which the State is held to pay.

Paper shall be furnished at cost, without bonus or commission.

MOSES S. MAYHEW,

JAMES MORRISON, Jr.,

Committee on the part of Senate.

W. F. RICHARDS,

Committee on the part of House.

The undersigned agree to do the work specified in within contract to the satisfaction and acceptance of the Governor and Council, both as to time and manner of executing the same; and for any part of the work which by decision of the Governor and Council is not done according to the terms of the contract, the undersigned agree to submit to such reduction of compensation or forfeiture as in the opinion of the Governor and Council the interests of the State require.

SPRAGUE, OWEN & NASH.

STATE OF MAINE.

IN HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
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RICHARDS, and ordered printed.

B. L. STAPLES, *Clerk.*