

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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Sixty-Fourth Legislature.

HOUSE.

No. 73.

STATE OF MAINE.

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

AN ACT to amend Chapter 58 of the Revised Statutes,
relating to State aid to Agricultural Societies.

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

SECTION 1. Section eleven of chapter fifty-eight
2 Revised Statutes is hereby amended by striking out
3 the first nine lines and inserting the following.
4 There shall be appropriated annually from the
5 State Treasurer a sum of money not exceeding one
6 cent to each inhabitant of the State, which shall be
7 divided among the legally incorporated agricultural
8 societies of the State not provided for by special
9 enactment according to the amount of premiums
10 and gratuities awarded by said societies; provided

11 that no society shall receive from the State a sum
12 greater than that actually raised and payed by the
13 societies for said purposes. This section is further
14 amended by striking out all between the word dol-
15 lars in the fourteenth line and societies in the six-
16 teenth line and all after the word dollars in the
17 eighteenth line, so that said section as amended
18 shall read as follows:

‘SECT. 11, chapter fifty-eight. There shall be
20 appropriated annually from the State Treasurer a
21 sum of money not exceeding one cent to each in-
22 habitant of the State, which shall be divided among
23 the legally incorporated agricultural societies of
24 the State, not provided for by special enactment,
25 according to the amount of premiums and gratui-
26 ties awarded by said societies provided that no
27 society shall receive from the State a sum greater
28 than that actually raised and paid by the society
29 for said purposes. But the Penobscot and Aroos-
30 took Union Agricultural society may annually
31 receive as much as is raised by it not exceeding
32 one hundred dollars without regard to population,
33 and the Waldo and Penobscot Agricultural society
34 as much as is raised by it not exceeding one
35 hundred and thirty dollars, and the Ossipee

36 Valley Union Agricultural society not exceeding
37 two hundred dollars.

STATE OF MAINE.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
February 1, 1889. }

Reported from Committee on Agriculture by Mr. SHAW of Hartland;
ordered printed under joint rule.

NICHOLAS FESSENDEN, *Clerk.*