

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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Sixty-Fourth Legislature.

HOUSE.

No. 134.

STATE OF MAINE.

RESOLVE in aid of Dairying, Beef raising, Sheep, Horse and Poultry growing interests of the State of Maine.

Resolved, That the sum of one thousand dollars 2 be and is hereby appropriated annually for the 3 Maine State Agricultural Society and one thousand 4 dollars annually to the Eastern Maine State 5 Fair. Provided that each of said societies appropriate 6 an amount equal to the sum herein appropriated, 7 and in addition thereto for premiums to 8 the classes mentioned in this resolve, provided also, 9 that each of said societies shall cause the prohibitory 10 liquor law to be enforced on all grounds over 11 which they have control, and not allow gambling 12 in any form or games of chance on said grounds.

13 Four hundred dollars of said appropriation shall be
14 used annually by each society for the purpose of
15 encouraging the dairying interests in this State.
16 Five hundred dollars for the purpose of encourag-
the raising of cattle in this State. Five hun-
18 dred dollars for the purpose of encouraging the
19 growing of horses in this State. Three hundred
20 dollars for the purpose of encouraging the grow-
21 ing of sheep in this State. One hundred and
22 fifty dollars for the purpose of encouraging the
23 growing of swine in this State, and one hundred
24 and fifty dollars for the purpose of encouraging the
25 growing of poultry in this State. These several
26 sums shall be offered by the said societies in special
27 premiums to be competed for by the citizens of this
28 State only. The list of premiums shall be arranged
29 jointly by the executive officers of the two said
30 societies together with the president and secretary
31 of the board of agriculture. All premiums awarded
32 shall be paid in full, and the treasurer of either of
33 the societies herein mentioned, may draw the
34 amount due it by reason of this resolve, upon filing
35 with the State Treasurer a sworn certificate of its
36 secretary that said premiums have been awarded,
37 together with a bond, to be approved by said State

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38 Treasurer, conditioned that said appropriation shall
39 be used to pay said premiums and for no other
40 purpose.

STATEMENT OF FACTS.

Amount appropriated in 1887 and 1888, four thousand dollars. This appropriation being for the encouragement of the live stock interests of the State of Maine, with a few changes in the conditions under which the amount appropriated can be drawn, and in the manner of its distribution by the societies, its continuance is recommended.

STATE OF MAINE.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
February 11, 1889. }

Tabled and ordered printed as amended on motion of Mr. BARKER
of Bangor.

NICHOLAS FESSENDEN, *Clerk*