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Sixty-Sixth Legislature.

No. 321.

HOUSE.

STATE OF MAINE.

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD ONE THOUSAND EIGHT HUNDRED AND NINETY-THREE.

AN ACT to amend Chapter two hundred and seventy-three of the Public Laws of eighteen hundred and eighty-five, entitled "An act to provide for the holding of County Teachers' Conventions."

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

- Section 1. Section one of chapter two hundred and
- 2 seventy-three of the Public Laws of eighteen hundred
- 3 and eighty-five is hereby amended by substituting for the
- 4 words "six hundred" in the eleventh line thereof, the
- 5 words 'one thousand,' so that said section as amended
- 6 shall read as follows:
- 'Section 1. Whenever not less than thirty of the
- 8 teachers and school officers of any county shall have

- 9 formed an association under rules of government approved
 10 by the State superintendent of common schools, for the
 11 purpose of mutual improvement in the science and art of
 12 teaching, and of creating popular interest in, and diffus13 ing a knowledge of the best methods of improving our
 14 public school system, by the holding of conventions at
 15 least once every year under the supervision of the State
 16 superintendent, the State shall defray the necessary
 17 expenses attending the holding such conventions, for
 18 which purpose the sum of one thousand dollars is hereby
 19 annually appropriated, to be deducted and set aside
 20 therefor by the treasurer of State from the annual school
 21 fund of the State; provided, however, that no more than
 22 two such associations shall be formed in any county, and
 23 that the expenses as aforesaid of no more than two con-
- SECT. 2. All acts and parts of acts inconsistent here2 with are hereby repealed.

24 ventions of any such association in any year shall be

Sect. 3. This act shall take effect on approval.

25 defrayed by the State.'



STATE OF MAINE.

House of Representatives, March 10, 1893.

Reported by MR. SHAW of Portland from Committee on Financial Affairs, and ordered printed under joint rules.

W. S. COTTON, Clerk.