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## FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

AUGUSTA, March 6, 1903.

*To the President of the Senate and Speaker of the House of Representatives:*

In compliance with the vote passed at the conference of the Senate and House chairmen of the various joint standing committees, which was held on Wednesday, February 4, the Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs transmit herewith a statement of appropriations already made and now pending before your honorable bodies for the fiscal years 1903 and 1904.

Very respectfully,

THURSTON S. BURNS, *Chairman,*

EDWIN C. DUDLEY, *Secretary,*

*Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs.*

Acts and Resolves calling for the appropriation of money have been presented to the legislature and are now pending before the appropriate committees, as follows:

*Agriculture.*

	1903.	1904.
Washington town and agricultural fair, Maine State Poultry and Pet Stock Association .....	\$ 100 00	
Waldo and Penobscot Agricultural Society .....	1,500 00	1,500 00
L. W. Looke, New Vineyard, for cattle lost, by contagious disease.....	500 00	500 00
Madawaska Agricultural Society.....	350 00	
In favor of Lyman E. Smith.....	100 00	100 00
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Total .....	\$2,555 58	\$2,100 00

*Education.*

Maine Industrial School for Girls.....		
For repairs .....	11,250 00	500 00
Colby College, Waterville.....	25,000 00	
Madawaska Training School, for repairs,	2,500 00	
Lee Normal Academy.....	1,500 00	1,500 00
Schooling children in unorganized plan- tations .....	5,000 00	5,000 00
Normal School, Castine, land.....	4,000 00	
Normal School, Gorham, land and buildings .....	25,000 00	
Farmington Normal School, for Chem- ical Laboratory .....	4,000 00	
St. Joseph's Academy, Wallagrass.....	500 00	500 00
State instructor of music.....	3,500 00	3,500 00
Normal schools, additional to regular appropriation .....	2,000 00	2,000 00
Total .....	\$84,250 00	\$13,000 00

*Inland Fisheries and Game.*

Screening Jordan's river.....	\$ 500 00
Screening Lake Auburn.....	500 00
Screening outlet Hancock pond.....	200 00

	1903.	1904.
Screening outlet Peabody pond.....	200 00	
Screening Lake Sebasticook.....	500 00	
Screening Long pond, Pl. 33.....	50 00	
Screening Androscoggin pond, Wayne,	200 00	
Total .....	\$2,150 00	

*Public Charities and State Beneficiaries.*

Epidemic and emergency fund.....	10,000 00	10,000 00
Maine Children's Home Society, Augusta .....	3,500 00	
Central Maine General Hospital, Lew- iston .....	5,000 00	5,000 00
In aid of building fund.....	10,000 00	15,000 00
Maine Sanatorium Association.....	37,500 00	37,500 00
Hospital, Sisters of Charity, Lewiston..	5,000 00	5,000 00
For repairs, etc.....	15,000 00	
Knox County General Hospital.....	3,500 00	3,500 00
Maine Insane Hospital.....	67,217 84	45,000 00
Eastern Maine Insane Hospital.....	45,225 00	45,225 00
Home for Feeble Minded.....	5,000 00	5,000 00
For buildings, etc. ....	12,500 00	12,500 00
In favor of Bates College.....	20,000 00	20,000 00
State board of hygiene.....	2,000 00	
In favor of Rockland.....	131 50	
Maine division, International Sunshine Society .....	3,000 00	2,000 00
Repairs on tomb of Gov. Lincoln.....	2,000 00	
St. Elizabeth's Orphan Asylum.....	2,000 00	2,000 00
Bangor Children's Home.....	1,000 00	1,000 00
For ward for sick children.....	2,500 00	
Eastern Maine General Hospital, Ban- gor .....	5,000 00	5,000 00
For improvements and payment of debts .....	5,000 00	
Maine Home for Friendless Boys, Port- land .....	1,500 00	1,500 00
Maine General Hospital.....	10,000 00	10,000 00
Total .....	\$273,574 34	\$225,225 00

*State Pensions.*

	1903.	1904.
Adrastus Branch .....	96 00	96 00
James S. F. Smith.....	96 00	96 00
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Total .....	\$192 00	\$192 00

*Salaries.*

Attorney, Piscataquis county.....	750 00	750 00
Attorney, Washington county.....	1,000 00	1,000 00
Attorney, Hancock county.....	750 00	750 00
Attorney, Somerset county.....	700 00	700 00
Attorney, Oxford county.....	500 00	500 00
Additional salary, judge, Cumberland superior court .....	500 00	500 00
Increased salary for Attorney General, above that allowed by appropriations already made .....	2,550 00	2,550 00
Increased salary for secretary of state, above that allowed by appropriations already made .....	1,500 00	1,500 00
Increased salary for state pension clerk, above that allowed by appropriations already made .....	200 00	200 00
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Total .....	\$8,450 00	\$8,450 00

*State Lands and State Roads.*

Repair of road in Crystal.....	\$400 00	
Roads in Mariaville, Washington.....	750 00	750 00
To re-establish boundaries of State lots, Geo. W. Junkins, Oxbow Pl., for reim- bursement for stumpage money over- paid on public lands.....	1,000 00	
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Total .....	\$2,228 62	\$750 00

*Military Affairs.*

	1903.	1904.
Soldiers' medals .....	1,500 00	
In favor of Brunswick.....	80 00	
In favor of Young Men's Christian Association .....	304 92	
In favor of Augusta.....	243 18	
In favor of Deering.....	33 55	
In favor of Dresden.....	89 14	
In favor of Gardiner.....	103 20	
In favor of Lewiston.....	2,225 98	
In favor of Lisbon.....	71 50	
In favor of Old Town.....	31 36	
In favor of Otisfield.....	81 84	
In favor of Portland.....	1,342 75	
In favor of Rockland.....	150 00	
In favor of Rockland.....	804 00	
In favor of Westbrook.....	670 61	
Soldiers' monument at Andersonville, Ga .....	5,000 00	
Young Men's Christian Association....	327 00	
Total .....	\$13,059 03	

*Ways and Bridges.*

Mattawamkeag bridge at Bancroft.....	\$3,500 00	
Anson and Madison bridge.....	7,000 00	
Littleton bridge .....	1,500 00	
Bridge between Chester and Lincoln...	25,000 00	
Roads and bridges in Frenchville.....	800 00	
Bridge at Bingham.....	6,000 00	\$6,000 00
Bridge in Washburn .....	3,000 00	
Bridge in Frenchville.....	500 00	
Bridge in Milbridge.....	1,500 00	1,500 00
Bridge in Smyrna.....	1,000 00	
Bridge at New Sharon.....	2,500 00	
Bridge at Baileyville.....	500 00	
Repair of bridges and highways in Cutler .....	500 00	500 00

	1903.	1904.
Repair of roads in Jerusalem plantation,	500 00	
Repair of bridge, Mattawamkeag.....	3,500 00	
To maintain large bridges.....	90,000 00	96,000 00
Total .....	\$147,300 00	\$104,000 00

*Library.*

Cataloguer of Library.....	\$ 800 00	\$ 800 00
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*Claims.*

East Livermore, pauper claim.....	\$635 00	
Houlton, abatement of taxes.....	923 00	
Eastport, for insane pauper.....	1,271 50	
Waterford, for expenses on account of Italians .....	339 20	
W. H. Holmes, Civil War bounty.....	100 00	
A. J. Cameron, interest on claim allowed in 1901 .....	847 53	
Town of Parkman, on account of insane pauper .....	173 11	
John Cassidy, Bangor, rebate on wild land taxes .....	52 50	
John Deering, Saco, bounty claim.....	100 00	
John Gaddis, caring for military prop- erty .....	100 00	
Town of Newport.....	70 50	
Total .....	\$4,612 34	

*Mines and Mining.*

Topographical and geological survey..	\$5,000 00	\$5,000 00
For a geological survey, provided \$50,000 be raised by the public.....	10,000 00	
Total .....	\$15,000 00	\$5,000 00

*Judiciary.*

	1903.	1904.
Completing clerk of court's records, Lincoln county .....	\$1,000 00	
Preservation of town records, (esti- mated) .....	2,000 00	
Total .....	<u>\$3,000 00</u>	

*Sea and Shore Fisheries.*

For sea and shore fisheries.....	\$15,000 00	\$15,000 00
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*Legal Affairs.*

Lee Normal Academy.....	\$500 00	
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*Interior Waters.*

Water storage commission.....	\$7,500 00	\$7,500 00
In aid of navigation, Moosehead lake..	750 00	750 00
In aid of Norcross Transportation Co.,	200 00	
In aid of placing buoys in Lewey's and Long lakes .....	100 00	
Total .....	<u>\$8,550 00</u>	<u>\$8,250 00</u>

*Federal Relations.*

Photographs for battleship Maine.....	150 00	
Total .....	<u>\$150 00</u>	

*Public Buildings.*

Preservation of Fort William Henry...	\$1,200 00	\$1,200 00
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*Taxation.*

In favor of Bowdoinham, rebate on \$20,000 valuation, on account of recent fire .....	\$55 00	
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*Indian Affairs.*

To rebuild Sisters of Mercy's House, Peter Dana's Point .....	\$1,000 00	
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*Recapitulation of Requests Pending in Committees.*

The following totals show the requests now pending before the several committees:

	1903.	1904.
Agriculture .....	\$2,555 58	\$2,100 00
Education .....	84,250 00	13,000 00
Inland fisheries and game.....	2,150 00	
Public charities and State beneficiaries,	273,574 34	225,225 00
Pensions .....	192 00	192 00
Salaries .....	8,450 00	8,450 00
State lands and State roads.....	2,228 62	750 00
Military affairs .....	13,059 03	
Ways and bridges.....	147,300 00	104,000 00
Library .....	800 00	800 00
Claims .....	4,612 34	
Mines and mining .....	15,000 00	5,000 00
Judiciary .....	3,000 00	
Sea and shore fisheries.....	15,000 00	15,000 00
Legal affairs .....	500 00	
Interior waters .....	8,550 00	8,250 00
Federal relations .....	150 00	
Public buildings .....	1,200 00	1,200 00
Taxation .....	55 00	
Indian affairs .....	1,000 00	
Total .....	\$585,626 91	\$383,967 00

## COMMITTEE REPORTS.

The following recommendations have been made by various committees and have been referred to the Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs under the joint rules:

*Library.*

Maine State Library.....	\$4,862 00	\$4,862 00
Assistant State librarian.....	1,200 00	1,200 00
Maine State Library, clerk hire and cataloguer .....	1,300 00	1,300 00
Total .....	\$7,362 00	\$7,362 00

*Public Charities and State Beneficiaries.*

	1903.	1904.
Maine Eye and Ear Infirmary.....	\$5,000 00	\$5,000 00
City Hospital, Augusta.....	3,000 00	3,000 00
For repairs .....	1,000 00	1,000 00
Maine School for the Deaf.....	17,500 00	17,500 00
New building .....	6,000 00	
Bar Harbor Medical and Surgical Hospital .....	2,000 00	2,000 00
Women's Christian Temperance Union,	500 00	500 00
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Total .....	\$35,000 00	\$29,000 00

*Education.*

In favor of the University of Maine....	\$30,000 00	\$30,000 00
Normal school, Presque Isle.....	10,000 00	
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Total .....	\$40,000 00	\$30,000 00

*Legal Affairs.*

Expense of forest fires (estimated)....	\$15,000 00	\$15,000 00
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*Indian Affairs.*

Completing church at Pleasant Point...	1,500 00	
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*Judiciary.*

Expenses, Lewiston House contestants,	\$600 23	
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*Public Buildings.*

Supplies for committee on revision of Statutes .....	446 50	
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*Military Affairs.*

Additional clerk hire, adjutant-general's office .....	\$100 00	\$100 00
Additional salary, adjutant-general....	300 00	300 00
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Total .....	\$400 00	\$400 00

*Federal Relations.*

	1903.	1904.
Louisiana Purchase Exposition.....	\$50,000 00	

*Ways and Bridges.*

Roads and bridges in Trescott.....	\$150 00	\$150 00
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*State Lands and State Roads.*

Carry road, Oxford.....	\$800 00	
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*Public Buildings and Grounds.*

Repair of State House elevator.....	\$600 00	
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*State Pensions.*

In aid of soldiers of Aroostook war, (estimated) .....	\$3,000 00	\$3,000 00
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*Revision of Statutes.*

Compensation of examining boards. No sum stated and no estimate made.

*Recommitted to Committee.*

In favor of Island Falls.....	\$115 50	
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Grand total recommended by committees .....

	\$154,973 73	\$84,912 00
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*Favorably Reported by Committee on Appropriations and  
Financial Affairs.*

	1903.	1904.
Second appropriation bill, exclusive of judges' salaries, already approved...	154,650 00	
For revision of Statutes, estimated.....	40,000 00	
For improvement of State roads.....	40,000 00	40,000 00
In favor of roads in Indian township...	800 00	600 00
Attorney, Kennebec county.....	1,200 00	1,200 00
Attorney, York county.....	1,200 00	1,200 00
Fish hatchery at Rangeley.....	6,000 00	
Fish hatchery at Sebago lake.....	6,000 00	
Maine Industrial School.....	11,500 00	11,500 00
Passamaquoddy Indians .....	9,255 00	8,920 00
Penobscot Indians .....	12,253 70	12,253 70
Young Women's Home, Lewiston.....	1,000 00	1,000 00
Healey Asylum, Lewiston.....	2,000 00	2,000 00
Total .....	\$284,658 70	\$77,473 70

*Approved by Governor.*

Providing in part for expenditures of government for year 1903.....	\$1,375,906 55	
Special epidemic or emergency fund...	5,000 00	
Temporary Home for Women and Children .....	2,500 00	2,500 00
Children's Aid Society of Maine.....	1,250 00	1,250 00
King's Daughters Union, Bangor.....	500 00	500 00
Compensation of Steamboat Inspectors.		
John M. Taylor .....	1,087 32	
Horace Atwood .....	892 16	
Preservation of regimental rolls.....	2,400 00	2,400 00
Salaries of Supreme Court Justices...	40,000 00	40,000 00
Nellie E. Flanders .....	96 00	96 00
Benjamin Smith .....	120 00	120 00
Extra pay of Maine Volunteers in war with Spain .....	792 00	

	1903.	1904.
For State pensions .....	85,000 00	85,000 00
For a dairy expert.....	3,000 00	3,000 00
Maine State Reform School.....	63,900 00	61,400 00
In favor of Allagash road.....	500 00	
Mary C. Rankin, pension.....	96 00	96 00
Bath Military and Naval Orphan Asylum .....	8,500 00	8,500 00
For repairs .....	500 00	500 00
For operation of fish hatcheries.....	25,000 00	25,000 00
Maine State Year Book.....	1,300 00	1,900 00
Bernhard Pol, Bangor.....	17 61	
Town of Sanford, school fund.....	859 23	
City of Rockland.....	462 87	
Total .....	\$1,619,679 74	\$232,262 00

### RECAPITULATION.

The following schedule gives the total sum asked for and now pending, the sum recommended by the various Joint Standing Committees, the amount favorably reported by the Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs, and the amount approved by the Governor for each of the years 1903 and 1904:

	1903.	1904.
Requests pending .....	\$585,626 91	\$383,967 00
Recommended by committees.....	154,973 73	84,912 00
Reported favorably by Committees on Appropriations and Financial Affairs,	284,658 70	77,473 70
Approved by Governor Hill.....	1,619,679 74	232,262 00
Total .....	\$2,644,939 08	\$778,614 70

	1903.	1904.
Totals here given.....	\$2,644,939 08	\$778,614 70
Regular 1904 appropriation bill...		1,582,444 88
Legislative expenses .....	78,000 00	
County attorneys not included in general bill .....	6,950 00	6,950 00
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Total .....	\$2,729,889 08	\$2,368,009 58
State's estimated income.....	2,088,164 00	1,998,544 00
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Demands above income.....	\$641,725 08	\$369,465 58
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Total demands .....	\$2,729,889 08	\$2,368,009 58
Appropriation bill, 1901.....	2,019,824 22	
Appropriation bill, 1902.....		1,824,677 66
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Increase .....	\$710,065 86	\$543,331 92