

SEVENTY-SECOND LEGISLATURE

HOUSE.

No. 191

STATE OF MAINE.

TREASURER'S OFFICE, Augusta, February 20, 1905.

To the Honorable Speaker of the House of Representatives:

In compliance with the order of the House of Representatives, under date of February 16, 1905, requesting "the amount appropriated by the State of Maine in aid of the State College of Agriculture, and its successor, the University of Maine, from its foundation to the present year, with the restrictions and limitations, if any, annexed thereto; also the amounts appropriated under the control of the University or any officers connected therewith in the House Bill No. 34 of the present year," I beg leave to submit the following statement. 1867, \$20,000

1868, 10,000

1869,

28,000 Provided that before said sum is paid out of the treasury, there shall be vested in the State, a perfect title to the premises heretofore conveyed by the town of Orono, for the purpose of said college, the only condition of said conveyance being that if, at any time, the said land shall cease to be used for the purposes of said college, then the State shall pay to said town of Orono the sum of money heretofore expended by that town in the purchase of said premises, viz., eleven thousand dollars.

1870, 22,000 Same proviso as previous year.

1871, 6,000

1872, 18,000

1873,

1875,

24,000 Provided, however, that the trustees of said college shall pay from this appropriation the debt now against said college, and shall not under any circumstances contract any further debt in behalf of said college.

1874, 12,500

10,500

Provided, however, that the trustees of said college shall pay from this appropriation the debts now against said college, and shall not under any circumstances contract any further debts in behalf of said college.

1876, 8,000 1877, 15,218 1878, 6,500 1879. No appropriation. 1880. 3,000 1881. 2,500 1882. 1,000 1883, 6,500 6,500 1884. 1885, 8,350 1886. 4,050

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1887, \$20,550

1888. 14,050

1880. 20,000 } 10,000

1890,

Provided, however, that each of the several sums hereinbefore mentioned shall be used for the respective purposes specified in this resolve and for no other; that the trustees of said college shall contract no debt for any purpose whatever; and that they shall in their annual reports hereafter submitted to the governor and council, render a separate account, in detail of the receipts from all sources, and expenditures for every purpose whatsoever in the several departments, together with the loss or gain in such department, provided further, that no encroachment shall at any time be made upon the endowment fund of said institution reported by the treasurer in the report for the present year as one hundred thirtyone thousand three hundred dollars, by pledging the same for any indebtedness of the institution or of its officers or in any other manner.

1891,	12,250
1892,	12,250
1893,	6,000
1894,	6,000
1895,	20,000

Provided, however, that no part of this sum shall be expended for instruction, and that the said trustees shall set apart such portion of said sum as may not be necessary in providing needed equipments, defraving expense of repairs, and of insurance and in the care and improvement of the campus, to be used in the erection of such building or buildings as may become necessary in consequence of an increased number of students.

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1896,	\$20,000	Same proviso as previous year.
1897,	20,000	
1898,	20,000	
1899,	20,000	
1900,	20,000	
1901,	20,000	
1902,	20,000	
1903,	35,000	
1904,	40,000	
1905,	20,000	Current expenses.
	1,000	Pay and mileage of trustees.
	1,000	Analysis of concentrated commercial feeding stuffs.
	2,000	Analysis of commercial fertilizers.
	2,500	Public instruction in forestry.
		Very respectfully,

ORAMANDAL SMITH, Treasurer of State.

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House of Representatives, Augusta, February 20, 1905. Tabled and ordered printed on motion of Mr. HIGGINS of Limerick. E. M. THOMPSON, Clerk.

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