

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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SEVENTY-EIGHTH LEGISLATURE

HOUSE

NO. 640

House of Representatives, March 21, 1917.

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W. R. ROIX, Clerk.

Presented by Mr. Washburn of Perry.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD ONE THOUSAND NINE
HUNDRED AND SEVENTEEN

RESOLVE, making an Appropriation for the Maine Seed Im-
provement Association for 1917 and 1918.

Resolved: That there be, and hereby is, appropriated the
2 sum of one thousand dollars for the year nineteen hundred
3 seventeen, and the sum of one thousand dollars for the year
4 nineteen hundred eighteen, to be paid to the Maine Seed Im-
5 provement Association; this amount to be used by the said
6 association for the purpose of promoting seed and crop im-
7 provement in the State of Maine, by holding an annual ex-
8 hibition and meeting, at which, premiums shall be paid upon
9 seed, agricultural crops and products, and for the holding of

10 field meetings, and for such other purposes as may be con-
11 sidered advisable and profitable by the executive committee
12 of the association, and for the payment of all expenses in-
13 curred in carrying out the purpose of this reesolve.

An itemized account of all money expended shall be ren-
2 dered each year to the Commissioner of Agriculture and
3 upon his approval and presentation of proper vouchers said
4 appropriation shall be paid.

STATEMENT OF FACTS.

This appropriation is the same as that of 1915 and 1916 and is designed to continue the work of the Association along the same lines as heretofore. The Maine Seed Improvement Association was organized some years ago to promote seed and crop improvement in the State. An annual exhibition is held. This appropriation is used to pay premiums and expenses, including speakers, and also to pay expenses of **field meetings**.