

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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SEVENTY-NINTH LEGISLATURE

HOUSE

NO. 483

House of Representatives, March 22, 1919.

Reported by Mr. Austin from Committee on Agriculture and ordered printed under joint rules.

CLYDE R. CHAPMAN, Clerk.

Presented by Mr. Washburn of Perry.

STATE OF MAINE

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

AN ACT to Authorize the Payment of Additional Sums for
Co-operative Agriculture.

WHEREAS, the Congress of the United States adjourned on March third without making an appropriation for co-operative agriculture for the year nineteen hundred and twenty, under the proposed amendment to the Lever Act; and,

WHEREAS, said amendment will probably be passed at a special session of Congress before the convening of the next Legislature of this state; and,

WHEREAS, said appropriation, if authorized by Congress, carries twenty-nine thousand and nine hundred eighty-six dollars and fifty-eight cents for nineteen hundred and twen-

ty, and there has been appropriated for said co-operative work for the year nineteen hundred and twenty the sum of twenty-two thousand six hundred and seventy-two dollars and seventy-eight cents ; therefore,

Be it enacted by the People of the State of Maine, as follows :

The governor and council are hereby authorized in the event that the congress of the United States appropriates for the year nineteen hundred and twenty the sum of **twenty-** nine thousand nine hundred eighty-six dollars and fifty-eight cents in favor of co-operative agriculture in this state, to apportion from the state contingent fund the sum of seven thousand three hundred thirteen dollars and eighty cents, and to pay said sum or any other amount necessary to meet the requirements of the act of congress, from said state **contingent fund.**