

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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EIGHTY-FIRST LEGISLATURE

HOUSE

NO. 261

House of Representatives, March 2, 1923.

Reported by Mr. Brown from Committee on Library and
ordered printed under joint rules.

CLYDE R CHAPMAN, Clerk.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD ONE THOUSAND NINE
HUNDRED AND TWENTY-THREE

RESOLVE, Providing for the Purchase of "Maine 1783-1815."

Resolved: That three hundred (300) copies of "Maine
2 1783-1815," by Louis C. Hatch be purchased by the state
3 at a price not exceeding four dollars (\$4.00) per volume.
4 and not exceeding the retail price of the book. One copy
5 shall be sent by the librarian of the Maine state library to
6 each public library within the state and the remaining
7 copies shall be distributed to exchanges or at the discretion
8 of the said librarian. The sum of twelve hundred (\$1200)
9 dollars is hereby appropriated for this purpose.

STATEMENT OF FACTS

Mr. Hatch has divided his book into three parts; the first deals with the political history of Maine from 1783 to the outbreak of the war of 1812, the second treats of the war itself, and the third deals with the land history and serious disorders due to conflicting claims of settlers and absentee proprietors. The books will contain about three hundred twenty-five pages, inclusive of appendix and index. This period of Maine history has never been previously covered.