

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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House of Representatives, Jan. 24, 1929.

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CLYDE R. CHAPMAN, Clerk.

Presented by Senator Nickerson of Waldo.

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STATE OF MAINE

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

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RESOLVE, in favor of the Waldo and Penobscot Agricultural Society for the State Stipend for Nineteen Hundred and Twenty-eight.

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RESOLVED: That there be paid to the Waldo and Penobscot Agricultural Society, from the Nineteen Twenty-nine Appropriation for Aid to Agricultural Societies and Fairs, the sum of Two Hundred and Seven Dollars.

## STATEMENT OF FACTS

The Waldo and Penobscot Agricultural Society was unable to pay the premiums due to exhibitors at its 1928 fair. This was due to the fact that on both days of its exhibition, heavy rainfalls occurred, reducing the attendance to almost nothing, less than \$4460 being the entire gate receipts, not enough to pay the running expenses of the society.

Under these conditions the regular stipend provided could not be allowed, but in view of the fact that this society has always before met all of its obligations and that it has met all requirements of the State Department of Agriculture, except as to payments to exhibitors, it is believed that the society should receive the same assistance from the state it would have had under more fortunate weather conditions.

The society has a debt of above \$4000.