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H. P. 766

House of Representatives, Feb. 21, 1933.

Reported by Mr. Wallingford from Committee on Agriculture and laid on table to be printed under Joint Rules.

HARVEY R. PEASE, Clerk.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED THIRTY-THREE

RESOLVE, Providing for the Payment of Certain Amounts Due Exhibitors at the Maine State Agricultural Society in Nineteen Hundred Thirty-two, on Account of State Stipend.

Maine State Agricultural Society, state stipend. Resolved: That there be paid to Turner Grange and 65 other exhibitors in 1932 the sum of \$3000 being the amount the state of Maine would have paid said society had said society complied with all provisions of section 25 of chapter 39 of the revised statutes. Said sum to be distributed among such exhibitors by the commissioner of agriculture in accordance with the amounts awarded them in premiums upon live stock, agricultural and domestic products but not paid by said society.

STATEMENT OF FACTS

The Maine State Fair presented a very excellent display of live stock, agricultural and household products, in 1932; but because of financial conditions, was unable to pay premiums to all Exhibitors. These Exhibitors should be reimbursed for their work and expense in making displays, and this Resolve provides authority from the Legislature for the Commissioner of Agriculture to distribute, pro rata, among those who have not been so reimbursed, the amount of \$3,000, which has been withheld. The total amount awarded was \$8,972.75 of which the Society paid \$5,154.25. In the distribution of the State Stipend the Society would have received \$3,000, but because Exhibitors have not all been paid, this amount is withheld.