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NINETY-THIRD LEGISLATURE

Legislative Document

No. 145

H. P. 152 House of Representatives, January 22, 1947 Referred to Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs, sent up for concurrence and ordered printed.

HARVEY R. PEASE, Clerk Presented by Mr. Chase of Cape Elizabeth.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED FORTY-SEVEN

RESOLVE, in Favor of the Maine Historical Society.

Maine historical society; appropriation for. Resolved: That there be, and hereby is, appropriated in favor of the Maine historical society the sum of \$2,500 for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1948; and the sum of \$2,500 for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1949; the same to be paid in quarterly payments commencing on October 1, 1947.

STATEMENT OF FACTS

The Maine historical society, a statewide nonprofit organization, maintains a historical library in Portland which is continually consulted by students of Maine history and research writers not only throughout the state but from all parts of the country. Its sole income, aside from the customary state appropriation, is derived from a very limited supply of invested funds and the receipts from summer visitors to the Longfellow House, which is owned and must be kept in repair by the society.