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No. 668

H. P. 1267

House of Representatives, February 11, 1949.

Referred to Committee on Agriculture. Sent up for concurrence and ordered printed.

HARVEY R. PEASE, Clerk.

Presented by Mr. Bennett of Raymond.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED
FORTY-NINE

AN ACT Relating to Exhibits of Agricultural Fair Associations.

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

R. S., c. 27, § 17-A, additional. Chapter 27 of the revised statutes is hereby amended by adding thereto a new section to be numbered 17-A, to read as follows:

'Sec. 17-A. Exhibits of agricultural fair associations. Agricultural fair associations holding pari mutuel racing meets shall, as a requirement for receiving a "fair stipend" from the state or exemption from local municipal taxes, during one racing meet each year, put on an agricultural fair with exhibits of miscellaneous and representative farm and orchard products and exhibits of livestock, crafts, etc.; such exhibits to be kept in attractive display for a minimum of 3 consecutive days during the meet. The total premium payments for these exhibits shall be, at least, an amount equal to the premiums or purses paid for pulling contests at this same fair and race meet. This section is in addition to any present requirements for eligibility for the "fair stipend".'