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## NINETY-EIGHTH LEGISLATURE

### Legislative Document

No. 123

H. P. 86 House of Representatives, January 22, 1957. Referred to the Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs, sent up for concurrence and ordered printed.

HARVEY R. PEASE, Clerk

Presented by Mr. Morrill of Harrison by request.

#### STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED FIFTY-SEVEN

RESOLVE, for the Purchase of One Hundred Copies of "A History of Otisfield, Maine."

"A History of Otisfield, Maine"; appropriation for. Resolved: That the State purchase 100 copies of the book entitled "A History of Otisfield, Maine," written by William S. Spurr, at cost, which is \$12.50 per copy; said books to be exchanged or distributed at the discretion of the State Librarian; and be it further

**Resolved:** That there be, and hereby is, appropriated for this purpose the sum of \$1,250 from the general fund of the State.

#### STATEMENT OF FACTS

As there is never a large popular sale for works of history, the undertaking can never be a financial success. It has been the practice of the Legislature to encourage such literary work which helps to preserve the history of our State and which enlightens the people as to the importance of our history, by purchasing enough copies for the State Library to distribute throughout the State and in other states and countries.