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### NINETY-NINTH LEGISLATURE

#### Legislative Document

No. 400

H. P. 268 House of Representatives, February 4, 1959. Referred to the Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs. Sent up for concurrence and ordered printed.

HARVEY R. PEASE, Clerk.

Presented by Mr. Trumbull of Fryeburg.

#### STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED FIFTY-NINE

RESOLVE, For the Purchase of Two Hundred Copies of "A History of the Town of Porter, Maine."

Purchase copies of "A History of the Town of Porter, Maine;" appropriation for. Resolved: That the State purchase 200 copies of the book entitled "A History of the Town of Porter, Maine," written by William Teg, Ph. D., at \$5 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 from the Unappropriated Surplus of the General Fund the sum of \$1,000 for this purpose.

#### STATEMENT OF FACTS

The Town of Porter has celebrated its 150th anniversary of its incorporation. 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.