

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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OF THE  
STATE OF MAINE.

1881.

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PUBLIC LAWS

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An act to amend chapter fifty-eight, section ten of the Revised Statutes, relating to Agricultural Societies.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in Legislature assembled, as follows :*

Sec. 10, ch. 58,  
R. S., amended.

Section ten of chapter fifty-eight of the revised statutes is hereby amended by adding to said section the following words: 'and the Ossipee Valley union agricultural society shall receive as much as raised by it, not exceeding two hundred dollars; and the same shall be deducted from the sums allowed to the counties of York, Oxford and Cumberland, in proportion to the number of inhabitants of each county within the limits of said society,' so that said section shall read as follows :

State treasurer to pay to treasurer of society amount equal to that raised by society.

Limitation thereof.

If more than one society in a county, each to have proportion.

Exceptions.

'SECT. 10. The treasurer of an incorporated agricultural or horticultural society, on application made prior to the first Wednesday of December in each year, shall be entitled to receive from the state treasury, a sum equal to that raised by such society in the year next preceding; but not exceeding one cent to each inhabitant of the county where such society is located, according to the last preceding national census, nor more than four hundred dollars to one county. If there is more than one such society in any county, and the sums so applied for exceed the limit aforesaid, it shall be paid to each in proportion to the amount expended by it, as hereinafter provided. But the Penobscot and Aroostook union agricultural society may annually receive as much as raised by it, not exceeding one hundred dollars, without regard to population; and the Waldo and Penobscot agricultural society as much as raised by it, not exceeding one hundred and thirty dollars; and the same shall be deducted from the sums allowed to the counties of Waldo and Penobscot, in proportion to the number of inhabitants of each county within the limits of said society; and the Ossipee Valley union agricultural society shall receive as much as raised by it, not exceeding two hundred dollars, and the same shall be deducted from the sums allowed to the counties of York, Oxford and Cumberland, in proportion to the number of inhabitants of each county, within the limits of said society.'

Approved March 16, 1881.