

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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ACTS AND RESOLVES
OF THE
SEVENTY-SECOND LEGISLATURE

OF THE
STATE OF MAINE

1905.

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RESOLVES

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE.

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Chapter 126.

Resolve in favor of the Central Maine Fair Association.

Central
Maine Fair
Association,
in favor of.

Resolved, That the sum of two thousand dollars be and is hereby appropriated annually for the Central Maine Fair Association, provided that the above named society shall annually appropriate an equal amount, and in addition thereto, for premiums in the following classes. Four hundred dollars in the interests of our dairy products; four hundred and fifty dollars in the interests of cattle breeding in this state; four hundred and fifty dollars in the interests of horse raising in the state; three hundred dollars in the interests of sheep raising; one hundred dollars each for the following; to encourage the growing of swine; in the interests of poultry raising; in the interests of fruit raising; and for encouraging the exhibition of the industrial products of our state.

Said society may draw annually said appropriation from the state treasury upon its vouchers that such amount has been paid out each year for said purposes.

Approved March 21, 1905.

Chapter 127.

Resolve in favor of Clerk and Stenographer to the Committee on Interior Waters.

W. S. Cotton,
in favor of.

Resolved, That there be appropriated and paid to W. S. Cotton, the sum of two hundred dollars for services as clerk to the Committee on Interior Waters. Also for services of stenographer to said committee.

Approved March 22, 1905.

Chapter 128.

Resolves relating to the Documentary History of Maine.

Documentary
history
of Maine,
relating to.

Resolved, Whereas, the Maine Historical Society proposes to publish annually a volume in a series of volumes containing the earliest documents, charters and other state papers illustrating the history of Maine; and, whereas, the funds of the society derivable from its annual income are insufficient for this purpose; and, whereas, other states have, at great expense, procured and published their documentary history at the public expense; therefore,

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Resolved, That the governor and council are hereby authorized to enter into contract with the Maine Historical Society to afford encouragement in aid of such publication, and to subscribe for, or cause to be published in concurrence with said society, the same number of copies as of the annual volume of acts and resolves, not, however, to exceed one thousand copies in all, and to be distributed in the same manner; the said volumes to be properly edited with suitable notes by said society without expense to the state; provided, that the whole number of volumes annually printed and distributed for the use of the state shall not exceed the price of two dollars per volume, of not less than five hundred pages each, with suitable indexes and proper binding.

Governor and council may make contract.

—price per volume.

Resolved, That all copies not required for distribution, in compliance with existing laws, as provided in this resolve, shall be deposited for safe keeping in the state library, and subject to the further disposition of the legislature.

Disposition of copies not distributed.

Resolved, That the sum of two thousand dollars be and hereby is appropriated for the purpose of carrying out this resolution, the said sum to be expended under the direction of the governor and council, as herein provided.

Appropriation for.

Approved March 22, 1905.

Chapter 129.

Resolve laying a tax on the counties of the State for the years nineteen hundred and five and nineteen hundred and six.

Resolved, That the sum annexed to the counties in the following schedule is hereby granted as a tax on each county respectively to be appropriated, assessed, collected and applied to the purposes of paying the debts and necessary expenses of the same and for other purposes of law. For the year one thousand nine hundred and five:

County tax for 1905, and 1906.

- Androscoggin, thirty-five thousand dollars.
- Aroostook, forty-two thousand dollars.
- Cumberland, sixty-seven thousand dollars.
- Franklin, ten thousand six hundred and seventy-five dollars.
- Hancock, twenty thousand five hundred dollars.
- Kennebec, forty-seven thousand one hundred eighty dollars.
- Knox, fifteen thousand dollars.
- Lincoln, ten thousand five hundred dollars.
- Oxford, thirty thousand dollars.
- Penobscot, sixty thousand dollars.