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### ACTS AND RESOLVES

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### **PUBLIC LAWS**

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and adjust the claim and such adjustment by the commissioner of agriculture or his duly authorized agent shall be final in all cases. When the claim is approved by the commissioner of agriculture or his duly authorized agent it shall be paid by the state to the person sustaining such damage and shall be a proper charge against the fund received by the state under section 159.

Any person who keeps a dog that kills or injures poultry shall be subject to the same penalty as provided in section 166 of this chapter.'

Approved March 20, 1933.

#### Chapter 116.

AN ACT Relative to the Apportionment of State Aid to Agricultural Societies.

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

R. S., c. 39, § 25, amended. The 1st 3 sentences of section 25 of chapter 39 of the revised statutes are hereby amended to read as follows:

'Sec. 25. State aid to agricultural societies; apportionment; special provision for Maine pomological society; procedure for apportioning sti-There shall be appropriated annually from the state treasury a sum of money not to exceed four 2 cents per inhabitant of the state, which shall be known as the state stipend for aid and encouragement to agricultural societies and hereafter in this chapter designated as the stipend. This stipend shall be divided among the legally incorporated agricultural clubs, societies and fair associations of the state, hereafter in this chapter designated as societies, according to the following schedule and method. Two One thousand dollars shall be paid annually to the Maine pomological society and the balance of said stipend shall be divided pro rata among the legally incorporated societies, not heretofore provided for according to the amount of premiums and gratuities actually paid in full and in cash or valuable equivalent by said societies upon live stock and agricultural and domestic products, but no such society whether specifically mentioned in this chapter or otherwise shall be entitled to any share of the stipend unless it shall have complied with the following requirements, which shall be considered by the commissioner of agriculture hereinafter known as the commissioner, as the basis upon which his apportionment of the stipend shall be made as provided in section 8 of this chapter.'

Approved March 20, 1933.