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AS PASSED BY THE

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OF THE

STATE OF MAINE

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Chapter 376

AN ACT Reestablishing the State Museum.

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

Sec. 1. R. S., c. 38-A, §§ 8-A - 8-B, additional. Chapter 38-A of the Revised Statutes, as enacted by section 1 of chapter 471 of the public laws of 1955, is hereby amended by adding thereto 2 new sections to be numbered 8-A and 8-B, to read as follows:

'State Museum.

Sec. 8-A. State Museum. A State Museum shall be established in the basement of the south wing section of the State Capitol and such section shall be exclusively used for the museum, provided no other building or property is acquired in the future for a State Museum.

Sec. 8-B. Maintenance. The Department of Economic Development shall operate and maintain the State Museum; shall supervise, maintain, develop, collect and display items for the purpose of educating the general public on the historical values of Maine's cultural and natural resources, including gifts to the State.

All displays and exhibits used in the former State Museum, if available and in good condition, shall be returned to the State and used under the direction and supervision of the Department.'

Sec. 2. Appropriation. There is hereby appropriated from the general fund the sum of \$25,000 for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1958 and \$10,000 for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1959 to reestablish, equip and maintain the State Museum.

Effective August 28, 1957

Chapter 377

AN ACT Relating to Board of Pupils Attending School Away From Home.

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

Sec. 1. R. S., c. 41, § 107, amended. The next to the last paragraph of section 107 of chapter 41 of the Revised Statutes is hereby amended to read as follows:

~~It is further provided that in~~ In the case of any youth qualified for attendance at secondary school in accordance with the preceding paragraph, who resides with his parents, legal guardian or person acting in loco parentis, on a Maine coast island without highway connection with the mainland in any town not maintaining a standard grade high school, so located that in the judgment of the Commissioner attendance at secondary school necessitates boarding away from home and the arrangement is approved by him in advance upon a form provided for the purpose, the town wherein said pupil resides shall pay an amount for