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A Legislature's Duty

Members of the Manito be confronted with a bill v last season. The object amend the Agricultural S it will be in every way l receive financial assistanc ment of Agriculture for the ing their usefulness in the field grain competitions an agricultural grace. The I will mean that several thou ly will be added to the avai cultural work. The propo tion of larger expenditures it was given its quietus at t

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