

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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SEVENTY-NINTH LEGISLATURE

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SENATE

NO. 216

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In Senate, March 14, 1919.

Reported by Mr. Googin from Committee on Claims and  
laid on table to be printed under joint rules.

P. F. CRANE, Secretary.

Presented by Senator Emerson of Aroostook.

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STATE OF MAINE

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IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD ONE THOUSAND  
NINE HUNDRED AND NINETEEN

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RESOLVE, in Favor of the Madigan Memorial Hospital on  
Account of the Care of Certain Persons During the Year  
Nineteen Hundred and Seventeen.

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Resolved: That there be appropriated to be paid to the  
2 Madigan Memorial Hospital at Houlton for the medical and  
3 surgical treatment of certain indigent persons during the  
4 year nineteen hundred and seventeen the sum of ninety-seven  
5 dollars.



## STATEMENT OF FACTS

The above named institution is a general hospital. It received from the state for the year nineteen hundred and seventeen for the purposes above specified an appropriation of one thousand dollars. Bills were rendered as required by law and payments made from said appropriation to said hospital to the amount of \$687.61, leaving an unexpended balance of \$312.39 which reverted to the State Contingent Fund. It is now found that two other persons were cared for during the year nineteen hundred and seventeen which ought to have been billed against the state and paid from said appropriation. As under a ruling of the attorney general, since more than a year has elapsed since the expiration of the year for which **the appropriation was made and during which the service was rendered**, payments cannot be made from the State Contingent Fund, a deficiency appropriation as above indicated is requested in order that the auditor may allow and the treasurer of state pay the sum which is still justly due to this hospital.