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## EIGHTY-EIGHTH LEGISLATURE

## Legislative Document

No. 243

S. P. 163

In Senate, February 3, 1937.

Referred to Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs and 500 copies ordered printed. Sent down for concurrence.

ROYDEN V. BROWN, Secretary.

Presented by Senator Graves of Hancock.

### STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED THIRTY-SEVEN

RESOLVE Appropriating Moneys for Relief of Towns in Hancock-Sullivan Bridge District.

Appropriation for Hancock-Sullivan Bridge District. Resolved: That there be, and hereby is, appropriated the sum of \$5080 for the fiscal period ending June 30, 1938, and \$4900 for the fiscal period ending June 30, 1939, to be paid to the Hancock-Sullivan Bridge District for the purpose of retiring bonds and interest, and relieving the towns in said district. Any unexpended balance of the foregoing appropriation shall not lapse, but shall be credited to the aforesaid District to be used for the aforesaid purposes.

#### STATEMENT OF FACTS

With the stone industry and other business flourishing at the time the bridge was built, the retirement of the Bridge bonds was easily taken care of. But with the closing of practically every quarry in this section it has become increasingly difficult to meet the payments, the towns having to neglect its schools and roads to get sufficient funds to meet the bridge bond payments.