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In Senate, April 22, 1953.

Reported by Senator Collins of Aroostook from the Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs and ordered printed under Joint Rules No. 10.

CHESTER T. WINSLOW, Secretary

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED
FIFTY-THREE

RESOLVE, in Favor of the Department of Adjutant General.

Improvements at Camp Keyes; appropriation for. Resolved: That there be, and hereby is, appropriated from the unappropriated surplus of the general fund the sum of \$3,500 for the 1953-54 fiscal year and \$3,000 for the 1954-55 fiscal year. Such expenditures shall be as recommended by the adjutant general and approved by the governor and council. It is the intent of the legislature that the adjutant general in his recommendation and the governor and council in their approval shall consider the total needs of Camp Keyes area and in their final consideration give approval to such expenditures as shall accomplish the greatest possible improvement in camp facilities within the limits of the appropriation provided herein.

Any balances at June 30, 1954 shall be carried forward to the 1954-55 fiscal year, but all unencumbered appropriation balances shall lapse June 30, 1955.

STATEMENT OF FACT

It is the opinion of the committee on appropriations and financial affairs that a total amount of \$6,500 should be made available for whatever items the governor and council in their wisdom may deem most essential.

The committee arrived at this amount by determining the above mentioned sum as an equitable allocation of the total available unappropriated general fund surplus. The committee also believes that renewed study and consideration by the adjutant general with final consideration by governor and council will produce the best answer with respect to relative priority among all of the essential projects at the department of adjutant general.

Below is an itemized tabulation of construction and improvement needs of the department of adjutant general showing those items requested by the department and those items recommended by the governor:

	Department Request		Budget Recommendation	
	1953-54	1954-55	1953-54	1954-55
Adjutant General				
Improvement to roads and grounds—Camp Keyes	3,500	3,000	3,500	3,000
Additional Office Space— Camp Keyes	2,700	—	—	—
Construct two-car garage— Stevens Ave.	1,200	—	1,200	—
Total	<u>7,400</u>	<u>3,000</u>	<u>4,700</u>	<u>3,000</u>