

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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# ONE HUNDRED AND SECOND LEGISLATURE

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**Legislative Document**

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H. P. 396

House of Representatives, January 26, 1965

Referred to Committee on Claims. Sent up for concurrence and ordered printed.

JEROME G. PLANTE, Clerk

Presented by Mr. Binnette of Old Town.

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## STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED  
SIXTY-FIVE

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**RESOLVE, to Reimburse William Young of Alton for Well and Other Property  
Damage Resulting from Highway Construction.**

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**William Young; reimbursed. Resolved:** That there is appropriated from the General Highway Fund to William Young of Alton, the sum of \$5,900 for damage to his well and property as the result of the construction of U. S. Route 95 and Route 16 in Alton.

### STATEMENT OF FACTS

Construction work on U. S. Route 95 and Route 16 in Alton resulted in complete draining of Mr. Young's well. This well had served the Young family and 2 other families for at least  $\frac{1}{2}$  century. The farm was divided thereby greatly decreasing the value of the farm, a fence was broken down and buried, a \$1,000 worth of gravel was taken without consent and used in road construction and some lumber was so damaged by dirt that it could not be finished and planed. A fish pond was drained and many trees on the property were also ruined. Mr. Young is asking for damages in the amount of \$5,900.