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Sixty-Fifth Legislature.

HOUSE.

No. 267.

STATE OF MAINE.

RESOLVE in favor of John W. Dudley of Castle
Hill Plantation in Aroostook County.

Resolved, That the sum of one hundred and forty-
2 one and 40-100 dollars be and the same hereby is
3 appropriated to be paid out of the State Treasury to
4 John W. Dudley of Castle Hill plantation in full
5 settlement of his claim against the State for lot
6 numbered ninety-three (93) in said Castle Hill.

STATEMENT OF FACTS.

November 13, 1873, the state land agent issued to John W. Dudley a certificate of lot numbered ninety-three in Castle Hill plantation, in Aroostook county, under the act regulating the sale of public lands for settlement. Said Dudley thereafterwards paid to the State \$45 in road labor on account of said lot and fell five acres of trees thereon at a cost of \$25. On December 10, 1873, while said certificate was in full force, the State, by mistake of the land agent, deeded said lot with other land to David Dudley in disregard of its contract with John W. Dudley. By reason whereof the said John W. Dudley lost said lot of land and all payments made and labor expended on the same. For said loss said John W. Dudley has no remedy either in law or equity, and he asks the State to reimburse him for the amount so expended and paid, namely, \$70, with simple interest thereon amounting in all to \$141.40.

STATE OF MAINE.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
March 14, 1891.

Reported by Mr. STEARNS of Caribou, from Committee on Judiciary,
and ordered printed under joint rules.

W. S. COTTON, *Clerk.*