

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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Sixty-Eighth Legislature.

HOUSE.

No. 71.

STATE OF MAINE.

RESOLVE in favor of Town of Linneus.

Resolved, That the sum of one hundred seventy dollars and
2 thirty cents be and is hereby appropriated to be paid to the
3 treasurer of the town of Linneus to reimburse said town
4 for money expended for the support of State paupers during
5 the year 1891.

STATEMENT OF FACTS.

The following bill and a list of names are persons that were furnished with goods and clothing by the town of Linneus to the State paupers of Oakfield Plantation in the year 1891. That said town of Linneus did furnish the goods and clothing to the said paupers in good faith expecting to receive their pay from the State. The reason why said town of Linneus did not receive their pay was, first, we furnished the paupers of Oakfield in their own town and could not collect any pay from said Oakfield on that account; second, the State would not pay us because said State claimed we had no right to furnish any supplies after March 29, 1891. Now we did not know at that time what the valuation of said Oakfield was but it had been run up to over one hundred thousand dollars; now it seems that the valuation of said Oakfield Plantation was over estimated and that the legislature did the past winter reimburse said Oakfield for the time that they did maintain their own paupers so that would make said Oakfield paupers State paupers all the time that we furnished them with supplies. Now the time we furnished said paupers and did not receive any pay from the State was from March 29th to July 6, 1891. Now we do not ask anything but what justly belongs to the town of Linneus.

The following is a list of the names of persons furnished pauper supplies in Oakfield Plantation from March 29th to July 6, 1891, and will be found on record at Augusta.

Benjamin Wilcox and wife.....	\$14 60
Charles Murphy and family.....	25 65
Orin Mitchell and family.....	19 64
John Corliss and wife.....	20 43
Alburtus Nickerson, wife and six children.....	27 24
David C. Davis and wife.....	23 67
Mrs. Hugh Robb.....	1 29
Mrs. Jason Miles and three children.....	36 58
Mrs. Joel Howard.....	1 20
	\$170 30

Respectfully yours,

J. H. RUTH,
Overseer of the Poor.

STATE OF MAINE.

IN HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,

February 10, 1897.

Reported by Mr. GOWELL of Berwick, from Committee on Claims,
and ordered printed under joint rules.

W. S. COTTON, *Clerk.*