

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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Sixty-Ninth Legislature.

SENATE.

No. 69.

STATE OF MAINE.

RESOLVE to repair the Forks Bridge in the Forks Plantation,
Somerset County.

Resolved, That there is hereby appropriated out of any
2 money in the treasury of the State the sum of two hundred
3 and fifty dollars for repairing the Forks bridge, so called,
4 which crosses the Kennebec river in the Forks plantation in
5 Somerset county, said money to be expended by the county
6 commissioners of Somerset county and paid by the State
7 when said bridge shall have been repaired.



STATEMENT OF FACTS ACCOMPANYING RESOLVE FOR FORKS BRIDGE.

This bridge spans the Kennebec river near the forks of the Kennebec and Dead river and is a part of the State road extending to the Canadian line, forty-five miles in length; there connecting with the Canada road running through to Quebec. This road was cut through and built by the State and is the only highway extending out of Maine to Canada, and has always been regarded as a State road and the resolve accompanying this is for the purpose of putting a galvanized steel covering over this bridge. The bridge is 154 feet long and 20 feet wide and was built by the State in A. D. 1876, at a cost of \$2,500. The roof has become leaky and unless a new covering is put on at once the timbers will soon decay.

STATE OF MAINE.

IN SENATE, February 28, 1899.

Reported by Mr. DUDLEY from Committee on State Lands and State Roads, and laid on table to be printed under joint rules.

KENDALL M. DUNBAR, *Secretary*.