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Seventieth Legislature.

HOUSE.

No. 76

STATE OF MAINE.

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD ONE THOUSAND NINE HUNDRED AND ONE.

RESOLVE in favor of the Maine General Hospital.

Resolved, That there be and is hereby appropriated the sum

- 2 of seven thousand five hundred dollars to be paid to the 3 Maine General Hospital for the use of said institution for
- 4 the year one thousand nine hundred and one, and seven
- 5 thousand five hundred dollars to be paid to said institution
- 6 for its use for the year one thousand nine hundred and two.



STATEMENT OF FACTS.

The first patient was received by the hospital in the fall of 1874. Between that time and the close of the last hospital year, 12,987 patients, residents of this State, had received its care, and had had the benefit of its service. These patients came from all parts of the State; no section having any advantage or preference.

During the last year 1,230 patients were admitted to the hospital and at the beginning of the year 82 were already in it, making the whole number for the year 1,312. Of those admitted during the year 1,050 were residents of Maine and 180 residents of other states and countries.

Relief for 2,782 weeks was furnished to paying patients and 1,883 4-7 weeks was furnished to free patients making a total of 4,665 4-7 weeks relief furnished.

From the paying patients was received \$444.40 more than the actual expense of the hospital in their care, at the average cost of the patients. For free patients the hospital expended \$22,036.60, an amount exceeding the total income from invested funds and State aid.

STATE OF MAINE.

IN House of Representatives, Augusta, February 6, 1901.

Reported by Mr. PAGE of Skowhegan, from Committee on Financial Affairs, and ordered printed under joint rules.

W. S. COTTON, Clerk.