

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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# Seventy-first Legislature.

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HOUSE.

No. 356

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## STATE OF MAINE.

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RESOLVE in aid of Carratunk for repairing road from Carratunk Village to Pleasant Pond in said plantation.

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*Resolved,* That the sum of five hundred dollars be and  
2 hereby is appropriated for the use and aid of said plantation,  
3 to be expended on the road from Carratunk Village to Pleasant  
4 pond in said plantation, for the purpose of making permanent  
5 improvements on said road and repairing extraordinary  
6 damage caused by the freshet of December, 1901. The  
7 same to be expended under the direction of the county commissioners  
8 of Somerset county, said amount to be paid when  
9 said commissioners shall certify that the improvements and  
10 repairs to that amount have been completed.



### STATEMENT OF FACTS.

The population in 1900 was 218.

The valuation of 1900 was \$81,322.

In 1902 two and a half per cent was assessed on the valuation for repair of highways alone in addition to the usual State, county and plantation taxes.

They maintain about seven miles of the 'main thoroughfare from the Kennebec valley to Canada known as the Canada road.

They also maintain the road for which aid is asked from the Canada road to Pleasant pond about three miles to accommodate some of their own inhabitants and about an equal number in The Forks whose only outlet is by this road.

In December, 1901, there was an extraordinary freshet which tore its way down this road and utterly destroyed it for about one-half mile, taking out three bridges and doing much other damage. The estimated cost of repairing the damage done by this freshet is twelve hundred dollars.

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IN HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,

AUGUSTA, March 13, 1903.

Reported by Mr. EATON of Calais, from Committee on Appropriations  
and Financial Affairs, and ordered printed under joint rules.

W. S. COTTON, *Clerk.*