

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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# SEVENTY-SECOND LEGISLATURE

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HOUSE.

No. 377

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## STATE OF MAINE.

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RESOLVE in favor of the Norcross Transportation Company.

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*Resolved,* That the sum of five hundred dollars be and the  
2 same is hereby appropriated out of the money in the treasury  
3 to be paid to the Norcross Transportation Company to aid  
4 in erecting buoys as guides to navigation in North Twin  
5 lake, North Twin thoroughfare, Pemaduncook lake, Pema-  
6 duncook thoroughfare and Ambegigus lake and thorough-  
7 fare. Said sum shall be paid to said company on the delivery  
8 to the governor and council of a certificate signed by one of  
9 the steamboat inspectors setting forth that said buoys have  
10 been erected at the places and in the manner approved by  
11 him.



### STATEMENT OF FACTS.

It is fifteen miles from Norcross to the head of Ambegigus lake. When the water is low the channel is very crooked and the different lakes and thoroughfares are very rocky. When the water is high the rocks are covered and cannot be seen. Buoys must be placed at or near rocks so as to guide the steamboats in their passage from the lower lakes up to the head of Ambegigus.

The Norcross Transportation Company has already spent a large sum of money in placing buoys and blasting rocks so that their boats and the boats of other people could run, but they have not sufficient means to finish the work so that the passage would be fairly safe. In addition to about one hundred and fifty buoys that must be set some blasting would have to be done and a great many rocks will have to be taken out in order that navigation can be made practical.

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HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,

Augusta, March 3, 1905.

Reported by Mr. SMITH from Committee on Interior Waters and  
ordered printed under joint rules.

E. M. THOMPSON, *Clerk.*