

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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# SEVENTY-THIRD LEGISLATURE

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HOUSE.

No. 453

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## STATE OF MAINE.

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RESOLVE in favor of Inhabitants of Whitneyville.

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*Resolved,* That there be and is hereby appropriated the sum  
2 of five hundred dollars to aid the inhabitants of Whitneyville  
3 in repairing the bridge that crosses the Machias river in said  
4 Whitneyville; which sum is to be drawn and expended  
5 under the direction of the county commissioners of Wash-  
6 ington county.



### STATEMENT OF FACTS.

The town of Whitneyville containing 400 inhabitants and of \$46,000 valuation is located on the main thoroughfare of the county. The town is in debt and has a tax rate of .033 with no business, the mills having been burned and the business moved to Machias. The town contains five (5) bridges, one 190 feet, one 55 feet and a third 15 feet in length on the Machias river. One of 30 feet length on Dan Hill brook and one of 20 feet length over Great brook. None of these bridges are in good repair and it would require in the vicinity of \$2,000 to make them so. Some repairs must be made the coming year and as the town is not financially able to meet them calls upon the state for assistance.

STATE OF MAINE.

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HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,

Augusta, March 8, 1907.

Reported by Mr. LANE from Committee on Ways and Bridges, and  
ordered printed under joint rules.

E. M. THOMPSON, *Clerk.*