

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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NEW DRAFT.

SEVENTY-FOURTH LEGISLATURE

HOUSE.

No. 604

STATE OF MAINE.

RESOLVE, in favor of the County of Penobscot.

Resolved, That there be, and hereby is appropriated the
2 sum of two thousand two hundred and thirty-four dollars
3 and forty-seven cents to reimburse the County of Penobscot
4 for expenditures made in the maintenance of bridges be-
5 tween Old Town and Milford under the provisions of chap-
6 ter 402, Private and Special Laws of 1907.

STATEMENT OF FACTS.

The seventy-third legislature, by chapter 402, Section 2, Private and Special Laws, 1907, declared that the State should assume the maintenance cost of the two bridges between Old Town and Milford after the first day of July, 1907. The act also provided that the work should be done under the immediate supervision of the commissioners of Penobscot County and that they should semi-annually, on the first of July and January, render to the State an account of all expenditures, and that the State should reimburse the county.

The Legislature of 1907 made no appropriation for this work. The repairs were necessary and the county went ahead and made them and now asks to be reimbursed for their expenditures. The repairs were made under the joint supervision of the commissioners of Penobscot County and the State commissioner of highways.

Augusta, March 10, 1909.

Hon. George H. Smith,
Chairman Committee on Claims,
Augusta, Maine.

Dear Sir:

Referring to the claim of the county of Penobscot for reimbursement on account of expenditures in connection with the bridge between Old Town and Milford I beg leave to report that a careful audit of the account and the vouchers submitted therewith shows the total amount to be due the county as two thousand two hundred thirty-four dollars and forty-seven cents (\$2234.47). This advice would have been given before but an error of three dollars and fifty-two cents (\$3.52) was found in the bill which was taken up with the Commissioners of Penobscot County and we have just heard from them this morning.

I enclose herewith the original resolve.

Yours very truly,

PAUL D. SARGENT, *Commissioner.*

STATE OF MAINE.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,

Augusta, March 12, 1909.

Reported by Mr. BEALS from Committee on Claims and
ordered printed under joint rules.

E. M. THOMPSON, *Clerk*