

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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SEVENTY-FIFTH LEGISLATURE

HOUSE

NO. 290

House of Representatives, Feb. 27, 1911.

*Reported by Mr. Farnham from Committee on Ways and
Bridges and ordered printed under joint rules.*

C. C. HARVEY, Clerk.

STATE OF MAINE

RESOLVE, in favor of the town of Rockport.

Resolved: That the sum of two thousand dollars (\$2,000.00) be and hereby is appropriated to aid the town of Rockport in the reconstruction of a section of main thoroughfare running through West Rockport connecting the state road of Rockland with the state road of Hope, provided that the sum of two thousand dollars (\$2,000.00) be furnished by appropriation or otherwise by the town of Rockport.

This money shall be expended under the supervision of the state highway department.

STATEMENT OF FACTS.

In the summer of 1909 the town made an appropriation of five hundred dollars (\$500.00) for the reconstruction of this road. Individuals interested in the road raised five thousand dollars (\$5,000.00) by subscription; other individuals subscribed work, so that altogether about six thousand dollars (\$6,000.00) worth of work was done on this road, and about four (4) miles of the road was reconstructed.

This money would be used to rebuild the remaining portion of this thoroughfare from the point where reconstruction was stopped to the Hope line, a distance of about two (2) miles.

This is one of the most heavily travelled thoroughfares leading into the city of Rockland and accommodates a very large section of the country trade and is also one of the thoroughfares for through lines of travel between the city of Rockland and the city of Augusta.