

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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SEVENTY-FIFTH LEGISLATURE

HOUSE

NO. 579

House of Representatives, March 14, 1911.

*Reported by Mr. Allen from Committee on Education and
ordered printed under joint rules.*

C. C. HARVEY, Clerk.

STATE OF MAINE

RESOLVE in favor of George H. Wilbur and Son, Contractors
of Old Town, Maine.

Resolved, That the sum of three thousand four hundred
2 and eighty dollars be and hereby is appropriated to be paid
3 to George H. Wilbur and Son, contractors of Old Town,
4 said sum being the amount due said company on a contract
5 for the erection of a normal school building at Machias.

STATEMENT OF FACTS.

In the accompanying resolve in favor of George H. Wilbur and Son of Old Town for three thousand four hundred and eighty dollars, the following statement of facts is rendered:

The original appropriation of twenty-five thousand dollars made by the Legislature of nineteen hundred and nine by Chapter forty-four of the Public Laws of nineteen hundred and nine was not expended in the year nineteen hundred and nine and the balance was carried forward to nineteen hundred and ten and made payable by the order of the Governor and Council. A certificate calling for a payment of the sum above named to the above named company was filed December twenty-eighth, nineteen hundred and ten, but under the provisions of the contract the final payment was not due until forty days after the architect was notified of the completion of the building. This forty-days period would bring about a payment in the year nineteen hundred and eleven and it was the opinion of the Governor and Council that that body had no authority to authorize a payment for that year. As the balance available on this account on December thirty-one, nineteen hundred and ten reverted to the State treasury on that date, there is at this time no fund out of which the above bill may be paid.