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SEVENTY-FIFTH LEGISLATURE

SENATE

NO. 143

In Senate, Feb. 28, 1911.

Reported by Mr. Fulton from Committee on State Lands and State Roads and ordered printed under joint rules.

W. C. HANSON, Secretary.

STATE OF MAINE

RESOLVE in favor of the County Commissioners of Franklin County for the repair and permanent improvement of the highway in Washington Plantation and Perkins Plantation in Franklin County.

Resolved, That the sum of one thousand dollars be, and
2 hereby is, appropriated to repair the highway leading from
3 Wilton to Weld through Washington Plantation and Per-
4 kins Plantation in Franklin county. Said appropriation to
5 be expended under the direction of the county commissioners
6 of said county of Franklin.

STATEMENT OF FACTS.

The highway upon which this money will be expended is the main thoroughfare from Wilton to Weld, over which there is a large amount of travel both winter and summer, and within the past few years has become a thoroughfare for automobiles. The road is narrow and ledgy, with many sharp curves throughout the whole distance. Outside of this highway the county is compelled to keep in repair about ten miles of other roads in the two plantations, and the tax rate for the support of highways upon the inhabitants, who are mostly poor people, amounts to two cents on the dollar.