

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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SEVENTY-FIFTH LEGISLATURE

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SENATE

NO. 155

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*In Senate March 2, 1911.*

*Reported by Mr. Allan from Committee on Appropriations  
and Financial Affairs and ordered printed under joint rules.*

*W. C. HANSON, Secretary.*

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STATE OF MAINE

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RESOLVE, in favor of the Maine Home for Friendless Boys.

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*Resolved:* That there be and hereby is appropriated for  
2 the use of the Maine Home for Friendless Boys the sum of  
3 fifteen hundred dollars (\$1,500) for the year nineteen hun-  
4 dred and eleven and fifteen hundred dollars (\$1,500) for  
5 the year nineteen hundred and twelve, both said sums for  
6 maintenance.

## STATEMENT OF FACTS.

The Maine Home for Friendless Boys aims to care for friendless boys irrespective of race or creed, and to place them in suitable permanent homes. During the last two years the home received 114 boys from the following counties: Aroostook, Cumberland, Franklin, Hancock, Kennebec, Knox, Lincoln, Oxford, Sagadahoc, Waldo and Washington. Eighteen of the boys were taken from almshouses. During the above period sixty-five boys have been placed in permanent homes where they are receiving a foster parents care. One of our mottoes is "Save the boys for good citizenship." The Home is practically without invested funds and must depend upon the State and contributions for its maintenance.