

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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SEVENTY-SIXTH LEGISLATURE

HOUSE

NO. 41 A

STATE OF MAINE

Statement of Facts accompanying Resolve in favor of Washington Plantation and Perkins Plantation in Franklin County for the repair and permanent improvement of highways. (House Doc. No. 41)

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 summer and winter, and within the last 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 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.