

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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SEVENTY-SIXTH LEGISLATURE

HOUSE

NO. 88 A

STATE OF MAINE

Statement of Facts accompanying Resolve in favor of the town of Whitneyville. (House Doc. No. 88)

A careful examination of this structure showed that the wooden abutment under the north end of the bridge was the weakest part of the structure. Plans and specifications were made for replacing this wooden abutment with one of masonry. In response to advertisements the following bids were received:

Name	2nd class granite mas'y.	1-3-6 concrete	Excavation under water
Wm. H. Sawyer, Bangor	\$9.00	\$9.00	\$1.50
C. M. Willey, Bar Har- bor	6.95	7.35	1.50
S. M. Holway, Machias..	5.78	5.90	.75
Wm. McKeague, Whit- neyville		7.95	.90
Grady & McCarthy, Ban- gor	8.45	7.40	1.40
New England Contracting Company, Worcester, Mass.	8.75	7.42	1.50

The work was awarded to S. M. Holway of Machias for second-class masonry. After the masonry was well under way a further inspection of the bridge showed that some of the wooden trusses were in poor condition and it was decided to replace several of them; also to replank the bridge and put up new railings. The complete expenditure on this work was as follows:

Oct. 2	Bangor Daily News (advertising).....	\$7.67
11	J. P. Bass Pub. Co. (advertising)	3.37
30	Geo. MacQuesten Co., yellow pine.....	178.73
Nov. 6	Bailey & Field, soil pipe.....	1.45
12	Machias Lumber Co., plank for floor....	198.63
Dec. 8	W. A. Sanborn, freight on yellow pine..	13.25
16	Mrs. I. S. Albee, board of inspector.....	36.00
17	Isaac Pennell, blacksmith work on truss rods	6.87
17	B. D. & B. F. Whitney, engineering and superintendence	213.50
17	William McKeague, labor on trusses and floor	19.50
17	Chas. McKeague, labor on trusses and floor	10.40
17	W. E. Ackley, labor on trusses and floor..	10.40
17	Newell P. Albee, labor on trusses and floor	15.20
17	John Nash, labor on trusses and floor....	17.50
18	S. M. Holway, contract for masonry....	1,648.59
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		\$2,381.06
	State appropriation	2,000.00
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	Expenditure in excess of appropriation	\$381.06

Town negotiated loan to cover above amount and now ask reimbursement. Town has also paid on account of this work, after above schedule was made up.

S. M. Holway (for stone and labor on filling)	\$8.00
C. Sullivan, spikes, etc.	19.32
Interest on loan	36.78
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Total	\$64.10
Add deficiency above	381.06
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Total asked for	\$445.16