

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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NEW DRAFT.

SEVENTY-SIXTH LEGISLATURE

HOUSE

NO. 323

House of Representatives, Feb. 24, 1913.

Reported by Mr. Gordon from Committee on Claims, and ordered printed under joint rules.

W. R. ROIX, Clerk.

STATE OF MAINE

RESOLVE, in favor of the town of Talmage.

Resolved: That the sum of fifty-two dollars be and here-
2 by is appropriated to be paid to the town of Talmage to re-
3 imburse said town for expenses in investigating the case of
4 William Casey, an insane person having no settlement with-
5 in the state.



STATEMENT OF FACTS.

William Casey was sent to the Eastern Maine Insane Hospital from the town of Talmage in 1908. Affidavits are on file in the office of the State Auditor, showing conclusively that he had no settlement in the State. Owing to difficulty in learning the facts concerning his various places of residence, there was great delay and considerable expense in proving the liability of the State.

There is still due the town of Talmage the sum of \$104.00 in connection with the case. The other expenses have been paid by the State. The Overseers of Poor of the town feel that the State should assume the balance, as it has been shown that there is no question concerning the liability, and the town cannot well afford to lose the money.

Under the circumstances the Committee deem it fair to share equally the expense with the town.