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NEW DRAFT.

SEVENTY-SIXTH LEGISLATURE

HOUSE

NO. 396

House of Representatives, March 3, 1913.

*Reported by Mr. Morison from Committee on Ways and
Bridges and ordered printed under joint rules.*

W. R. ROIX, Clerk.

RESOLVE, in favor of aid in repairing highways in town of
Cutler.

Resolved, That there be and hereby is appropriated the sum
2 of five hundred dollars (\$500) to aid the town of Cutler in
3 repairing its highways; said sum to be expended under the
4 supervision of the State Highway Department.

STATEMENT OF FACTS.

The town of Cutler has 32 miles of road which is in very poor condition ; it has 18 bridges over 6 feet in width, and many small culverts ; it has three large bridges, two of which are exposed to heavy seas and it costs a great deal to keep them in repair. One of the above mentioned bridges will have to be rebuilt the coming season, and in addition two large breakwaters will have to be built to prevent a re-occurrence. Cutler is not a farming district. It has one short lumber mill and no other manufacturing establishments, having recently lost by fire her only sardine factory, and also her only fish packing establishment, thereby leaving the entire burden of taxation on the small homes of the people. Cutler has but \$500 with which to keep in repair her 32 miles of poor roads and bridges.