

SEVENTY-SIXTH LEGISLATURE

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Reported by Mr. Mitchell from Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs, and ordered printed under joint rules. W. R. ROIX, Clerk.

STATE OF MAINE

RESOLVE in favor of St. Mary's General Hospital, Lewiston.

Resolved, That there be and hereby is appropriated the 2 sum of eight thousand dollars to be paid to St. Mary's Gen-3 eral Hospital, Lewiston, for the year nineteen hundred and 4 thirteen and eight thousand dollars for the year nineteen 5 hundred and fourteen, for maintenance.

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STATEMENT OF FACTS.

Since the establishment of a Training School for Nurses, the need of a home for them has been sorely felt. There are, in the hospital, 32 sisters and 22 nurses. At times it has been necessary to rent rooms in private dwellings that they might get their rest.

There are, in the hospital, besides the patients, sisters and nurses, the interne, orderlies, and a number of aids, both men and women, which, taken all together, crowd the building to its utmost capacity.

Another great necessity is a kitchen, which being constructed outside, would give additional ward room space and at the same time, improve sanitation.