

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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SEVENTY-SEVENTH LEGISLATURE

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HOUSE

NO. 129

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*House of Representatives, Feb. 11, 1915.*

*Reported by Mr. Durgain from Committee on Insane Hospitals and ordered printed under joint rules.*

*C. C. HARVEY, Clerk.*

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STATE OF MAINE

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RESOLVE, in favor of the Bangor State Hospital for dining  
rooms.

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*Resolved,* That there be and hereby is appropriated the  
2 sum of Fifty Thousand Dollars (\$50,000) for the Bangor  
3 State Hospital for the erection and equipment of a build-  
4 ing to contain a congregate dining room for five hundred  
5 (500) patients, a dining room for employes and industrial  
6 rooms.



## STATEMENT OF FACTS.

At the last session of the Legislature an appropriation was granted for a one-story structure to be used for a general store and to be a part of a future building two stories in height, to contain a dining room for employes and industrial rooms, and a large dining room capable of seating about five hundred (500) patients. Such a dining room will enable us to use many of the present ward dining rooms for dormitories, thus increasing the capacity of the hospital by about one hundred (100) patients.

This appropriation is for the erection and equipment of this building in completion of the one already begun. It will not only afford the increased room for patients which is now urgently needed, but will enable us to serve food to the patients warmer and in better condition, and will eliminate waste. It will be connected with the wards for easy access, and be adjacent to the kitchen and store rooms, thus facilitating the handling and distribution of food.