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SEVENTY-SEVENTH LEGISLATURE

SENATE

NO. 163

In Senate, Feb. 23, 1915.

Reported by Sen. Colby from Committee on Ways and Bridges, and ordered printed under joint rules.

W. E. LAWRY, Secretary.

STATE OF MAINE

RESOLVE, in favor of an appropriation to reimburse in part the town of Deblois.

Resolved, That the sum of \$450 be appropriated to the town 2 of Deblois to reimburse said town in part for building the 3 bridge across the Narraguagus river.



STATEMENT OF FACTS.

Last spring during the freshet the bridge across the Narraguagus river at Deblois was carried away, and the town was obliged to put in a new abutment and bridge at the expense of nearly \$600. This bridge was on the mail route between Cherryfield and Beddington, which is also the only road leading to the timber lands and blueberry plains. The town of Deblois has only about 25 tax-payers, and owing to the depression in the lumber business and fires on the Narraguagus river, is not in financial condition to stand the loss.