

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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SEVENTY-EIGHTH LEGISLATURE

HOUSE

NO. 56

House of Representatives, Jan. 31, 1917.

Referred to Committee on Ways and Bridges and five hundred copies ordered printed. Sent up for concurrence.

W. R. ROIX, Clerk.

Presented by Mr. Ellis of Gardiner.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD ONE THOUSAND NINE
HUNDRED AND SEVENTEEN

RESOLVE in favor of Gardiner and Randolph Bridge for
maintenance and repairs.

*Resolved, That the sum of one thousand dollars for the
2 year nineteen hundred seventeen and one thousand dollars
3 for the year nineteen hundred eighteen, be appropriated for
4 the repairs and maintenance of said bridge.*

The city of Gardiner and town of Randolph have expended
on the Gardiner and Randolph bridge as follows:

Original cost of Gardiner and Randolph bridge to Gardiner and Randolph was	\$22,671 00
Cost of maintenance and repairs for the past 27 years	94,042 75
Average cost per year for 27 years.....	3,483 07
It will be necessary to re-plank the whole of the open part of the bridge at an estimated expense of	4,000 00

The bridge is also in need of a coat of paint which will, probably, cost from \$2,000.00 to \$2,500.00.

This bridge is nearly 900 feet long and has a draw which requires the services of two men constantly during the summer season, and one man for care-taker during the winter. It also requires the use of a team in winter to keep the roadway snowed.