

# EIGHTY-THIRD LEGISLATURE

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CLYDE R. CHAPMAN, Clerk.

## STATE OF MAINE

# IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD ONE THOUSAND NINE HUNDRED AND TWENTY-SEVEN

RESOLVE, to Reimburse the City of Old Town for Support of George Loring and Family, Indians.

Resolved: That there be, and hereby is, appropriated to 2 be paid to the city of Old Town, the sum of three hundred 3 six dollars and forty-one cents, to reimburse said city for 4 money expended for support of George Loring and family, 5 Indians.

#### STATEMENT OF FACTS

George Loring and his family are members of the Penobscot Tribe of Indians, with the exception of Mrs. Loring, who is a white woman. This claim was not adjusted regularly, for the reason that there was a question whether or not Mrs. Loring had a pauper settlement at the time of her marriage. The overseers of poor of Old Town are unable to find that she had any such settlement; even if she did have a settlement, the state would be liable for the greater part of this claim under the law which provides that members of the Penobscot Tribe of Indians falling into distress away from their reservation shall be taken care of as state paupers.