

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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EIGHTY - THIRD LEGISLATURE

Senate Document

No. 41

S. P. 6

In Senate, Feb. 3, 1927.

Reported by Mr. Woods from Committee on Insane Hospitals and laid on table to be printed under joint rules.

ROYDEN V. BROWN, Secretary.

Presented by Senator Woods of Penobscot.

STATE OF MAINE

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

RESOLVE, Appropriating Money for the Construction and
Equipment of a New Wing for the Bangor State Hospital.

Whereas, there are normal accommodations at the Bangor State Hospital for six hundred and fifty patients suffering from mental diseases, and

Whereas, there are now in the care of the state in said institution over seven hundred and fifty patients, and more than one thousand different persons there receive treatment annually, and

Whereas, the over-crowded conditions render impossible proper treatment of residents and citizens of this state who may be confined therein, and

Whereas, it is immediately necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health and safety that the appropriations specified in this resolve be made available for new construction and equipment, which in the opinion of the legislature constitutes an emergency within the meaning of the constitution, therefore,

Resolved: That there be and hereby is appropriated for the construction and equipment of a new wing for the Bangor State Hospital the following sums:

For construction, including heating, plumbing and wiring, the sum of\$275,000.00

For equipment, furniture and furnishings
the sum of20,000.00

Total\$295,000.00

The same to be expended under the direction of the state board of hospital trustees, subject to the approval of the governor and council.

In view of the emergency cited in the preamble, this act shall take effect when approved.