

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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EIGHTY-FOURTH LEGISLATURE

House Document

No. 159

S. P. 133

House of Representatives, Jan. 31, 1929.

Referred to Committee on Claims and 500 copies ordered printed. In concurrence.

CLYDE R. CHAPMAN, Clerk.

Presented by Senator Weatherbee of Penobscot.

STATE OF MAINE

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

RESOLVE, in Favor of J. T. Kelleher & Son, of Bangor, for
Burial Expenses of a State Pauper.

Resolved: That there be, and hereby is, appropriated the
2 sum of seventy-five dollars, to be paid to J. T. Kelleher &
3 Son, of Bangor, for burial expenses of Lee Peed, a state
4 pauper.

STATEMENT OF FACTS

This pauper died in the town of Hermon in March, 1925, and was buried by J. T. Kelleher & Son. The Selectmen of the town of Hermon declined to pay the bill for the reason that they did not employ the undertakers; they made the mistake of notifying the Selectmen after they performed the services instead of beforehand.

Mr. Peed had no regular place of residence in the State and had been helped as a state pauper in the city of Bangor. J. T. Kelleher & Son rendered the services in good faith and feel that they should be paid by the State, as the liability does not rest upon any town within the State.