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Legislative Document

No. 448

S. P. 250

In Senate, Feb. 7, 1939.

Referred to Committee on Claims. Sent down for concurrence and 500 copies ordered printed.

ROYDEN V. BROWN, Secretary.

Presented by Sen. Chase of Piscataquis.

S T A T E O F M A I N E

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED
THIRTY-NINE

RESOLVE, In Favor of the Town of Willimantic, to Reimburse for the Support of Marshall Lovejoy and Family; State Paupers.

Town of Willimantic; reimbursed. Resolved: That there be, and hereby is, appropriated the sum of \$970.15, to be paid to the town of Willimantic, to reimburse for support of Marshall Lovejoy and family, state paupers; said sum to be paid from the general state funds.

STATEMENT OF FACTS

Marshall Lovejoy was born in Caribou, February 27, 1887, of parents who lived at various times in New Brunswick and Aroostook County, Maine.

At the age of 7 years he went with his parents to Grand Falls, N. B., living there about 4 years, then to Limestone, Maine, for 3 years, then to Patten 5 years, Fort Fairfield 3 years, and later he came with his wife and 1 child of the age of about 8 years, to Willimantic, where he worked in the lumber woods.

His wife was Mary Bishop, native of New Brunswick, who during their living in Willimantic fell sick, and later died, being buried in Willimantic.

During this sickness Lovejoy received pauper supplies from Willimantic, including the death and burial expenses of the wife — among other pauper help.

Later he removed with his child to Monson, from which town he had further pauper supplies, and Monson in tracing back his various residences, ascertained that he had no settlement in this State, and was reimbursed by the State as State Paupers.

The Town of Willimantic was never reimbursed, and no reason exists why reimbursement should not be justly and legally made, and this Resolve is introduced for that purpose.

Willimantic paid as follows :

In 1928-9	\$52.95
1931-2	355.95
1932-3	498.72
1933-4	62.53
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Total	\$970.15