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Referred to Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs. Sent down for concurrence and ordered printed.

CHESTER T. WINSLOW, Secretary.

Presented by Senator Brown of Washington.

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STATE OF MAINE

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IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED  
FORTY-NINE

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**RESOLVE** Providing for Certain Construction at the Central Maine Sanatorium.

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**Central Maine sanatorium; appropriation for. Resolved:** That the sum of \$80,000 be, and hereby is, appropriated from the unappropriated surplus of the general fund of the state for certain construction at the Central Maine sanatorium.

This appropriation shall not lapse but shall be carried forward from year to year until such time as the buildings are constructed and the work completed.

This construction shall begin as soon as practicable and upon approval of the governor and council.

## STATEMENT OF FACTS

The above appropriation for capital improvements covers the following construction deemed of great value to the sanatorium and essential for its good operation.

1. Remodeling of the administration building to overcome an unfortunate entrance and to provide adequate office and reception space and very necessary rooms for employees ;

2. A duplex house for two doctors, necessary because of the inadequacy for family maintenance of the present small doctor's quarters, handicapping the institution in securing physicians ; and

3. Addition of an operating room to the present operating suite which has been remodeled with the plan for a second operating room in mind. The importance of surgery in treatment of certain cases of tuberculosis is great and time and money can be saved by the addition of an operating room.