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such a suit at law or any sum decreed to be due him in equity and good conscience in any equitable proceeding shall be payable from the treasury of the State of Maine on final process issued by said supreme judicial court in said suit at law or proceeding in equity as aforesaid out of any money not otherwise appropriated, and if the proceeding be in equity the justice of said court hearing the same may determine what, if anything, may be allowed for expense and counsel fees according to the usual practice of proceedings in equity and if the proceeding be at law, costs may be taxed for the said DeForest Keyes if he recovers in said suit. It shall be the duty of the supreme judicial court or any justice thereof, sitting in equity in a proceeding brought by authority of this resolve, to determine on its merits without regard to defenses by statute what amount, if any, is due on said claim under the principles of the common law or the principles of equity, and to such amount the said supreme judicial court or any justice thereof is authorized to add such sum as interest as is just and fair between said DeForest Keyes and the State of Maine, and if the said DeForest Keyes brings his suit at law, as herein authorized by this resolve, the cause shall be heard and tried without regard to statutory defenses, and to the amount recovered, if any, the presiding justice of said court or the jury hearing the cause shall add interest as aforesaid.

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Chapter 81.

Resolve, Appropriating Money to Aid in Screening Lakes and Ponds.

Screening lakes, etc.; appropriation to be taken from non-resident fishing licenses. Resolved: That the sum of three thousand four hundred dollars be, and is hereby, appropriated, to be paid out of license fees collected of non-resident fishermen and to be expended by the commissioner of inland fisheries and game, to aid in screening the following named lakes and ponds; provided, however, that no appropriation hereafter specified for the erection of a screen at the outlet of a lake or pond shall be available until the town in which the outlet of the lake or pond to be screened is situated, or some other town in the county in which said waters are situated, shall have, in legal town meeting, and having an article in said town meeting for that purpose, by vote of record, voted to assume all liability for the keeping of said screen at all times free from sticks, leaves and all debris, so that the same will not become clogged and prevent the free running of the water through the same, and provided, further, that said appropriation shall not be available until citizens of the county in which said lake or pond to be screened is situated shall have paid into the state treasury the balance necessary, as found by the commissioner of inland fisheries and game, to erect said screen. Any appropriation herein named,

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or part thereof, not expended during the year nineteen hundred and nineteen, shall be available during the year nineteen hundred and twenty:

Screens

For screening the outlet of Eagle lake, said lake being one of the Fish river chain of lakes, so-called, in Aroostook coun-	
ty, five hundred dollars	\$500 00
For screening the outlet of Peabody pond, in Cumberland. county, one hundred dollars	100 00
For screening the outlet of Green lake, in Hancock county, one thousand dollars	1,000 00
For screening the outlet of Echo lake, or Crotched pond, so- called, in Kennebec county, two hundred dollars	200 00
For screening the outlet of Pocasset lake, in Kennebec coun- ty, one hundred dollars	100 00
For screening the outlet of Howard pond, in Oxford county, one hundred dollars	100 00
For screening the outlet of Togue pond, in Township two, Range nine, in Piscataquis county, two hundred and fifty	
dollars	250 00
For screening the outlet of Big Smith pond, in Indian Town- ship, No. eight, in Penobscot county, two hundred and fifty dollars	250 00
For screening the outlets of the Puffer ponds, in Dexter, in Penobscot county, one hundred dollars	100 00
For screening the outlet of Moore's pond, in Dexter, in Penob- scot county, one hundred dollars	100-00
For screening the outlet of Weymouth pond, in Dexter, in Penobscot county, one hundred dollars	100 00
For screening the outlet of Shinn pond, in Township five, Range seven, in Penobscot county, two hundred dollars	200 00
For screening the outlet of Oakes pond, in Skowhegan, in Somerset county, one hundred dollars	100 00
For screening the outlet of Boyden's lake, in Perry, in Wash- ington county, one hundred and fifty dollars	150 00
For screening the outlet of Lambert lake, in Washington	• · · ·
county, one hundred and fifty dollars	150 00

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