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ACTS AND RESOLVES

AS PASSED BY THE

Eighty-fifth Legislature

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE

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## Chapter 131.

### AN ACT to Apply Surplus Funds Toward State Construction.

*Be it enacted by the People of the State of Maine, as follows:*

**Emergency Preamble.** Whereas, proper accommodations for the wards and dependents of our state are vital to the public welfare, and

Whereas new construction for various state institutions, such as hospitals, sanatoriums, reformatories and schools has been and may hereafter be authorized by this legislature, and

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

**Sec. 1. Surplus funds to be used for new construction.** The amounts by which the actual income of the state for each of the years ending June thirtieth, nineteen hundred and thirty-one and June thirtieth, nineteen hundred and thirty-two, exceed the current expenses of the said two years, together with balances of unexpended appropriations in non-continuing accounts which exist on July first, nineteen hundred and thirty-one and July first, nineteen hundred and thirty-two, except so much thereof as may be required to pay then outstanding bills for which said appropriations were made, and except such appropriations as relate to the issue and payment of bonds, loans or special funds, shall, as soon as ascertained, and after provision for the contingent fund, and in case the governor and council find that the state finances warrant, such an amount may then be carried to special accounts designated for the respective purposes of said several resolves, to be used for new construction by the state authorized by this legislature.

**Sec. 2. Expenditure of funds.** Said funds are to be set up and expended in the following order,

State Military and Naval Children's Home, Bath, For infirmary ward,	\$ 5,000.00
Bangor State Hospital, For nurses' home,	140,000.00
Pownal State School, For laundry addition and equipment,	20,000.00
Removal of Buildings on State Muster Grounds,	4,500.00
Central Maine Sanatorium, Construction and equipment of new building for patients,	75,000.00
Augusta State Hospital, Construction and equipment of new wing,	72,000.00

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State Library Building,	500,000.00
State School for Girls, New Infirmary Ward and equipment,	40,000.00
Central Maine Sanatorium, Enlarge nurses' home,	15,000.00
Central Maine Sanatorium, Build and equip school house,	8,000.00
Western Maine Sanatorium, Employees building,	35,000.00

**Sec. 3. Emergency clause.** In view of the emergency cited in the preamble, this act shall take effect when approved.

Approved April 3, 1931.

### Chapter 132.

#### AN ACT to Authorize the Construction of a Wharf in Long Lake at Naples.

*Be it enacted by the People of the State of Maine, as follows:*

**Wharf on Long Lake authorized.** Augustus F. Bove of Naples, his assigns, executors and heirs are hereby authorized and empowered to construct and maintain a wharf opposite land owned by him in Long Lake in the town of Naples and the county of Cumberland, his said land being located between the Casino property and the bridge, and to extend the same into said Long Lake for a distance of not more than one hundred feet from the shore of the lake at low water mark.

No building shall be erected on said wharf and no part of the wharf shall extend above the level of the adjacent highway. The wharf shall be maintained in good condition for the free use of the public. The opening in the guard rail on the bridge leading to the wharf shall not exceed ten feet in width. The wharf and approach shall not cover more than twenty-five hundred square feet of area.

If the said wharf is not built before January one, nineteen hundred thirty-three, this act shall become void.

Approved April 3, 1931.

### Chapter 133.

#### AN ACT to Provide for the Reconstruction or Enlargement of the International Bridge at Calais, in the County of Washington, known as the Ferry Point Bridge.

*Be it enacted by the People of the State of Maine, as follows:*

**Sec. 1. Reconstruction of "International Bridge" at Calais provided for.** The state highway commission is hereby authorized and directed