

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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# FIFTY-NINTH LEGISLATURE.

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SENATE.

No. 17.

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## STATE OF MAINE.

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RESOLVE in favor of Benjamin M. Nutter.

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*Resolved,* That the sum of eight dollars per month  
2 for one year be paid Benjamin M. Nutter, late  
3 company G, thirteenth Maine volunteers. Said  
4 amount to be taken from the pension fund of this  
5 state appropriated by the legislature for like cases.

## STATEMENT OF FACTS.

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To the Honorable Senate and House of Representatives of Maine  
in Legislature now assembled :

Your petitioner respectfully represents that he was a private in Co. G, Thirteenth Maine Vols., in the war of 1861, and that in August, 1864, the veterans of his regiment went home and he was detached with others of his regiment to the 30th Maine, under Lieut. Freeman of his own regiment, was put on a march from Charleston to Berryville, Va. As the day was very warm, your petitioner was prostrated by the heat of the sun, so that he became unconscious for nearly six hours. Sunstroke was the cause of the prostration.

Said petitioner was treated by the surgeon on the ambulance train for several days, continuing in the service doing light duty when he was able, until expiration of term of service March 31st, 1865. Your petitioner further states that he suffered next summer from the heat, and continued to suffer, all the time being under medical treatment, and he further states that in 1875 he was paralyzed on one side and still remains so, and is now totally unfit for performing any kind of manual labor, and is now depending on public charity. These statements herein made can be corroborated by men of his own company, and others knowing to the facts, and he now asks that his name be placed on the pension roll of Maine by your honorable body, mentioning a specific sum as you may deem just and right, and in duty bound will ever pray.

BENJAMIN M. NUTTER,  
Late Co. G, 13th Maine Volunteers.

STATE OF MAINE.

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IN SENATE, February 13, 1880.

On motion of Mr. ATWELL, tabled to print with Statement of  
Facts.

C. W. TILDEN, *Secretary.*