

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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SIXTY-FIRST LEGISLATURE.

HOUSE.

No. 148.

STATE OF MAINE.

RESOLVE providing for copying muster-out rolls,
and other war records.

Resolved, That the sum of six hundred dollars be
2 and hereby is appropriated for each of the years
3 one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three, and
4 one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four, to be
5 expended under the direction of the Adjutant Gen-
6 eral, in copying the muster-out rolls, and other
7 war records.

STATEMENT OF FACTS.

The records of the War of 1861, in the office of the Adjutant General, especially the muster-out rolls, which are in constant use for reference, have become badly worn and faded; in fact, so much so, that some names and dates are illegible. Nearly all the New England States are at the present time having these rolls copied into books; and the State owes it to her living, as well as to her dead heroes, whose valor has made her name immortal, that the testimony of their faithful services and undaunted courage should not perish for want of care.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

BENJ. J. HILL,
Chairman Committee on Military Affairs.

STATE OF MAINE.

In HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
February 28, 1883. }

Reported by Mr. FOSTER, from Committee on Military Affairs,
and ordered printed.

ORAMANDAL SMITH, *Clerk.*