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NEW DRAFT.

Seventy-first Legislature.

SENATE.

No. 15

STATE OF MAINE.

RESOLVE in favor of Nellie E. Flanders of Liberty.

Resolved, That a pension be allowed Nellie E. Flanders
2 of Liberty of eight dollars per month from the first day of
3 January, nineteen hundred three, until such time as she shall
4 receive a United States pension.

STATEMENT OF FACTS.

Nellie E. Flanders is the widow of George C. Flanders, late Second Lieutenant Co. I, 5th N. H. Infantry. The soldier died December 24, 1900. He left this widow with the following named children: Jesse B., age 14 years; Earls, age 13 years; George A., age 12 years; Harlow D., age 8 years; Hazel M., age 5 years; Frank L., age 3 years. This widow is 43 years of age and in poor health. She owns a little home worth three or four hundred dollars. She has no income whatever except her own labor.

This widow was pensioned for one year (1901) at eight dollars per month, the presumption then being that she would in a short time receive a United States pension. It has not been allowed at this date, but the present indications are that it is likely to be allowed very soon. This widow is indeed poor and asks this aid from the State that she may keep her family together.

STATE OF MAINE.

IN SENATE, January 22, 1903.

Reported by Mr. MORSE from Committee on Pensions, and laid on table to be printed under joint rules.

KENDALL M. DUNBAR, *Secretary*.