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SEVENTY-SECOND LEGISLATURE

SENATE.

No. 109

STATE OF MAINE.

RESOLVES providing for the preservation of Regimental Rolls in the Adjutant General's Office.

Resolved, That the adjutant general is hereby authorized

- 2 and directed under the advice and control of the governor
- 3 and council to provide for the preservation of the enlistment,
- 4 descriptive and muster rolls, and the monthly returns of the
- 5 regiments and batteries in the war of the rebellion, now on
- 6 file in the adjutant general's office.

Resolved, That the sum of two thousand four hundred dol-

- 8 lars for the year nineteen hundred and five, and two thou-
- 9 sand four hundred dollars for the year nineteen hundred and
- 10 six, is hereby appropriated for the preservation of said rolls.



STATEMENT OF FACTS.

The appropriation provided for in the within resolve for the years of 1905 and 1906 is for the purpose of continuing the work of preserving the original rolls of the organizations which served in the war of the rebellion.

The rolls of the seven batteries of light artillery, the first and second regiments of cavalry, the first D. C. cavalry and the first fifteen regiments of infantry have practically been completed. Work is now being done on the sixteenth regiment of infantry.

Of the remaining sixteen regiments of infantry, eight regiments, the twenty-first to the twenty-eighth inclusive, are nine months regiments and the last three regiments, the thirtieth, thirty-first and thirty-second, also the thirty companies of unassigned infantry did not enter the service until the last part of the war, therefore, it is estimated that the work to be done will be less than that already performed because of the fact that the number of rolls and papers are less in the regiments specified above because of the comparatively short terms of service.

STATE OF MAINE

In Senate, February 22, 1905.

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

KENDALL M. DUNBAR, Secretary.