

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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SEVENTY-FOURTH LEGISLATURE

SENATE.

No. 295

STATE OF MAINE.

RESOLVE, in favor of Eliza A. Getchell of Winslow.

Resolved, That there be paid out of the Treasury of the
2 State to Eliza A. Getchell of Winslow, a pension of \$4 per
3 month beginning on the first day of January, 1909, and to
4 continue during the pleasure of the legislature.

STATEMENT OF FACTS.

Eliza A. Getchell of Winslow, County of Kennebec, is the widow of Sebastian S. Getchell, who served in the Civil War in the Sixth New Hampshire Volunteer Infantry. He was born in the town of Winslow and resided there until he grew to manhood. At the time of his enlistment he was a resident of New Hampshire, having been there at work for a year or two, and therefore, this widow does not come within the provisions of the general pension law of the State of Maine. She is now sixty-two years of age; is in receipt of United States pension of \$12 per month, and since the death of her husband, January 24th, 1894, has resided with her daughter, who owns the little home where they live. This daughter is soon to be married and the widow will then have no home other than what she is able to provide for herself, and her health is such that she is not able to perform any hard or continuous labor whereby she can earn her livelihood. For the past few years she has assisted her daughter in keeping one or two boarders. Mrs. Getchell was born in the town of Winslow and has always resided there.

STATE OF MAINE.

IN SENATE,

February 26, 1909.

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

F. G. FARRINGTON, *Secretary*.