

SEVENTY-FOURTH LEGISLATURE

SENATE.

No. 336

STATE OF MAINE.

RESOLVE in favor of a monument marker on the battleground of Cedar Mountain, Virginia.

Resolved, That the sum of two hundred and fifty dollars 2 be and is hereby appropriated to be expended during the 3 year one thousand nine hundred and nine for the purpose 4 of erecting a monument at the battleground of the battle 5 of Cedar Mountain, Virginia, which occurred Aug. 9th, 6 1862, and in which the Tenth Maine Regiment participated 7 with bravery, to perpetuate the bravery of our patriotic 8 Maine soldiers in said regiment who were killed and wound-9 ed in that battle. Said monument to mark the spot where 10 the colors of said regiment were during the battle. And 11 said spot to be located by the duly authorized committee 12 of the First, Tenth and Twenty-ninth Regimental Asso-

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13 ciation. Said monument to be constructed, conveyed and 14 erected by said committee. Maine granite to be preferred 15 for the monument, if feasible. Said sum of two hundred 16 and fifty dollars to be paid said committee for said Asso-17 ciation when the Governor and Council of Maine shall be 18 officially satisfied that said suitable monument has been thus 19 erected, that all lawful bills and expenses incurred therein 20 have been paid, and when the same shall have been voted 21 satisfactory by said Association.

STATEMENT OF FACTS.

The Tenth Regiment participated with bravery at the battle of Cedar Mountain on Aug. 9, 1862, losing in said engagement 179 men, killed and wounded. It is proper that the spot occupied by the regiment during the battle and particularly the spot where the colors of the regiment stood during the battle should be commemorated by a monument or marker, preferably a solid block of Maine granite with a suitable inscription thereon. No monument marker or other thing to indicate the spot has ever been erected. The State of Virginia by its laws and appropriations sustains the expense of the land taken for such purposes and the protection of the same.

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IN SENATE,

March 4, 1909.

Reported by Mr. OSGOOD from Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs and laid on table to be printed under joint rules.

F. G. FARRINGTON, Secretary