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Reported by Mr. Stearns from Committee on Military Affairs and ordered printed under joint rules.

W. C. HANSON, Secretary.

STATE OF MAINE

RESOLVE for the preservation of the Regimental Rolls in office of Adjutant General.

Resolved, That the sum of one thousand dollars for the 2 year nineteen hundred eleven and two thousand dollars for 3 the year nineteen hundred twelve, be and are hereby appro-4 priated for the preservation of the regimental rolls in the 5 office of adjutant general, said sum to be expended under 6 the direction of the adjutant general.

STATEMENT OF FACTS.

This work was commenced in 1896 and is now nearing completion. The rolls of the Twenty-eighth Maine Infantry are now partially mounted. The separate papers concerning the remaining four regiments of infantry, the unattached companies, the First Battalion of Infantry and miscellaneous organizations number approximately 2400. As several of the smaller papers can be mounted on a single page of the large volume which has been adopted as the standard in mounting the regimental rolls, it is probable that these 2400 papers will make about 800 pages in their final form. As many of these papers are much creased and broken from necessary handling, the process of mounting is one which calls for extreme care and cannot be unduly hastened. It is believed that in the last six months of 1911 and the year of 1912 the work of mounting and indexing these records can be practically completed.