

# SEVENTY-SEVENTH LEGISLATURE

# SENATE

## NO. 82

In Senate, Feb. 11, 1915.

Reported by Sen. Leary from Committee on Pensions, and ordered printed under joint rules.

W. E. LAWRY, Secretary.

### STATE OF MAINE

RESOLVE, in favor of L. Prescott Currier.

Resolved, That there be paid L. Prescott Currier of Vienna, 2 county of Kennebec and state of Maine, the sum of twelve 3 dollars per month, payable quarterly from the fund appro-4 priated for military pensions, to begin January first, nineteen 5 hundred and fifteen.

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#### STATEMENT OF FACTS.

L. Prescott Currier was born Nov. 30, 1862, in the town of Chesterville, Maine, was the son of Levi P. Currier of said Chesterville, who served in the Civil War. He enlisted in the 28th Me. Vol. Inf., Co. A, for nine months and served a year. When L. Prescott was three years old, and while playing with his older brother, a sled tongue fell on him and injured his hip, causing a running sore, which lasted twenty-two months. When L. Prescott was six years old he fell out of a cart in which his older brothers hauled him in, and this time injured his spine. From this injury his back gradually grew out of shape and he had to use his hands to walk on, in order to get about. Later he could walk by keeping his hands on his knees. In 1892 he lost one eye. In 1896 he had a severe sickness which confined him helpless in bed for two years. He has been obliged to use crutches for twenty years. His mother died in 1879 and his father in 1908, leaving him to be cared for by his brothers and sisters.