

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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SEVENTY-SEVENTH LEGISLATURE

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SENATE

NO. 159

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*In Senate, Feb. 23, 1915.*

*Reported by Sen. Boynton from Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs, and ordered printed under joint*

*W. E. LAWRY, Secretary.*

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STATE OF MAINE

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RESOLVE, in favor of State Pensions.

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*Resolved,* That the sum of one hundred and twenty-five  
2 thousand dollars be appropriated for the payment of Civil  
3 and Spanish war pensions for each of the years nineteen  
4 hundred and fifteen and nineteen hundred and sixteen.



Augusta, Maine, Feb. 11, 1915.

The 76th Legislature made available for Civil and Spanish war pensions for each of the years nineteen hundred and thirteen and nineteen hundred and fourteen \$118,000.00 and for military pensions \$6,000.00.

No. Civil and Spanish claims allowed 1913..	2,617
No. military claims allowed 1913.....	56
Aroostook claims allowed 1913.....	1
Total .....	<u>2,674</u>

Amount paid out for both classes of claims about \$117,000.00; there being about 114 deaths, making a reversion of a few thousand dollars.

No. Civil and Spanish claims allowed 1914..	2,874
No. military claims allowed 1914.....	56
Aroostook claims allowed 1914.....	1
Claims not allowed, about.....	50
Total .....	<u>2,981</u>

Amount paid for both classes of claims approximately \$120,928.00. Number of deaths reported at the present time, 140.

ESTIMATE 1915 AND 1916.

New claims for 1915 to date.....	51
Left over from 1914 (not considered)....	35
No. Civil and Spanish claims allowed 1914..	2,874
Total .....	<u>2,960</u>

Amount allowed for Civil and Spanish claims 1914 \$115,660 00  
Estimate on 175 new claims at \$4.00 per month 8,400 00

Total .....	<u>\$124,060 00</u>
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