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## The Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

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HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, April 30, 1923.

The committee on Ways and Means, to whom were referred the Resolve providing for the dedication of certain tablets erected in Cuba in memory of the volunteers of the second and ninth regiments of infantry, Massachusetts volunteer militia, who lost their lives in the war with Spain (House, No. 1302); and the Resolve providing for the erection in Cuba of tablets in memory of the soldiers of the eighth Massachusetts regiment of infantry, Massachusetts volunteer militia, who lost their lives in the war with Spain (Senate, No. 299), report the accompanying resolve.

For the committee,

SLATER WASHBURN.

## The Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Twenty-Three.

### RESOLVE

Providing for additional Members of the Commission Appointed for the Erection in Cuba of a Memorial to the Soldiers of the Eighth Regiment of Infantry who lost their Lives in the War with Spain, and to provide for the Transportation of the Commissioners and the Dedication of the Memorial.

1 *Resolved*, That there be added to the commission ap-  
2 pointed by the governor under chapter seventeen of the  
3 resolves of nineteen hundred and twenty-two two addi-  
4 tional members to be appointed by the governor, and  
5 that said commission in addition to the duties imposed  
6 upon it by said chapter seventeen provide for the erection  
7 of a suitable tablet or tablets at some prominent point in  
8 Cuba, in memory of the soldiers of the Eighth Massa-  
9 chusetts Regiment of Infantry, M. V. M., who lost their  
10 lives while representing the commonwealth in the service  
11 of the United States during the war with Spain; and that  
12 for the purpose of providing and erecting said tablet or  
13 tablets there be allowed and paid out of the treasury of  
14 the commonwealth a sum not exceeding fifteen hundred  
15 dollars to be expended under the direction of said com-  
16 mission. Plans and specifications for the proposed tablet  
17 or tablets shall be submitted to the governor and council  
18 for their approval before any expenditure hereunder is

19 made. And be it further resolved that the governor be  
20 requested to arrange with the war department for the  
21 transportation of said commissioners to Cuba, by govern-  
22 ment transport, without expense to the commonwealth,  
23 for the purpose of providing for the appropriate dedica-  
24 tion of the tablets authorized by this resolve and by said  
25 chapter seventeen.

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