

HOUSE No. 337.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, March 25, 1892.

The committee on Military Affairs, to whom was referred the petition (taken from the files of last year) of Harry W. Welch for compensation for disabilities incurred while doing militia duty, report the accompanying Resolve.

For the Committee,

WM. H. OAKES.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, March 31, 1892.

The committee on Finance, to whom was referred the Resolve in favor of Harry W. Welch, report that it ought to pass.

For the Committee,

MALCOLM E. RIDEOUT.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

In the Year One Thousand Eight Hundred and Ninety-two.

RESOLVE

In favor of Harry W. Welch.

1 *Resolved*, That there be allowed and paid out of the
2 treasury of the Commonwealth to Harry W. Welch of
3 Cambridge, an annuity of two hundred dollars for five
4 years from the first day of January in the year eighteen
5 hundred and ninety-two.

6 Said sum to be full compensation for loss of time and
7 expenses in consequence of disabilities incurred while on
8 duty as a member of company "B," first regiment
9 infantry, Massachusetts volunteer militia, at the annual
10 muster of the regiment in the year eighteen hundred and
11 eighty-eight.

12 Said disability being the result of a cold which settled
13 in his eyes, and which became so serious that he was
14 discharged from the militia service for disability on the
15 twenty-second day of September in the year eighteen
16 hundred and eighty-eight, and since that time has been
17 unable to obtain a livelihood, having become totally
18 blind.

