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A Joint Resolution in relation to pay of certain officers March 1, 1868.

and men in the late war.

Whereas, During the late war many enlisted men in the volunteer regiments of this State were commissioned by the Governor and served as commissioned Preamble officers, but were unable to muster in on account of officers over them being absent from their regiments, who were commissioned in a higher grade, but could not muster because of such absence;

And whereas, Many of our volunteer officers were commissioned in a higher grade, but were unable to

muster in; therefore, be it

Resolved by the Legislature of [the State] of Minnesota:

That our Senators and Representatives in Congress In relation to be, and they are hereby requested to use their in-pay of officers fluence to procure the passage of a law that will give and men in the to such officers and men the pay appertaining to the late war. offices the duties of which they performed.

Approved March 1, 1866.