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Referred to Committee on Retirements and Pensions. Sent down for concurrence and ordered printed.

CHESTER T. WINSLOW, Secretary

Presented by Senator Cole of Waldo.

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STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED  
SIXTY-THREE

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**RESOLVE, in Favor of Arthur O. Payson of Brooks.**

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**Arthur O. Payson; retirement benefit increased. Resolved:** That the retirement benefit now being paid to Arthur O. Payson of Brooks, under the provisions of Revised Statutes, chapter 63-A, be increased by the amount of \$20 per month.

STATEMENT OF FACTS

At the time Mr. Payson retired on December 11, 1950, his benefit was figured on the basis of the average salary received by him during his last 5 years of service. This method of computing his benefit developed a monthly pension substantially less than what he would have received had the benefit been figured on the basis of his average salary for the 5 years during which it was the highest. Mr. Payson received an adjustment of \$10 per month in 1957. He is presently 85 years of age and needs this additional amount to offset the increased cost of living.