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ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTH LEGISLATURE

Legislative Document

No. 419

H. P. 319 House of Representatives, January 27, 1971 Referred to Committee on Veterans and Retirement. Sent up for concurrence and ordered printed.

BERTHA W. JOHNSON, Clerk

Presented by Mr. Hayes of Windsor.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED SEVENTY-ONE

RESOLVE, Providing Retirement Benefit for Clyde Walker of Hallowell.

Appropriation; retirement benefit for Clyde Walker. Resolved: That there is appropriated from the funds of the Maine State Retirement System a sufficient sum to develop a retirement benefit of approximately \$100 per month, payable to Clyde Walker of Hallowell as long as he shall live.

STATEMENT OF FACT

Mr. Walker was retired from the Maine State Highway Department as a total disability case in 1953.

Due to his final average salary, the benefit involved was rather low.

He was put on workmen's compensation and based on his average wage he drew the maximum allowable under the law for a period of 500 weeks.

His present retirement allowance, due to changes in the law since his original retirement, amounts to \$80 per month.

Mr. Walker is now at an advanced age, has no other source of income, has a wife, who has no income other than that allowed to him and he is totally unable to do anything that might get him some additional income.