

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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SEVENTY-THIRD LEGISLATURE

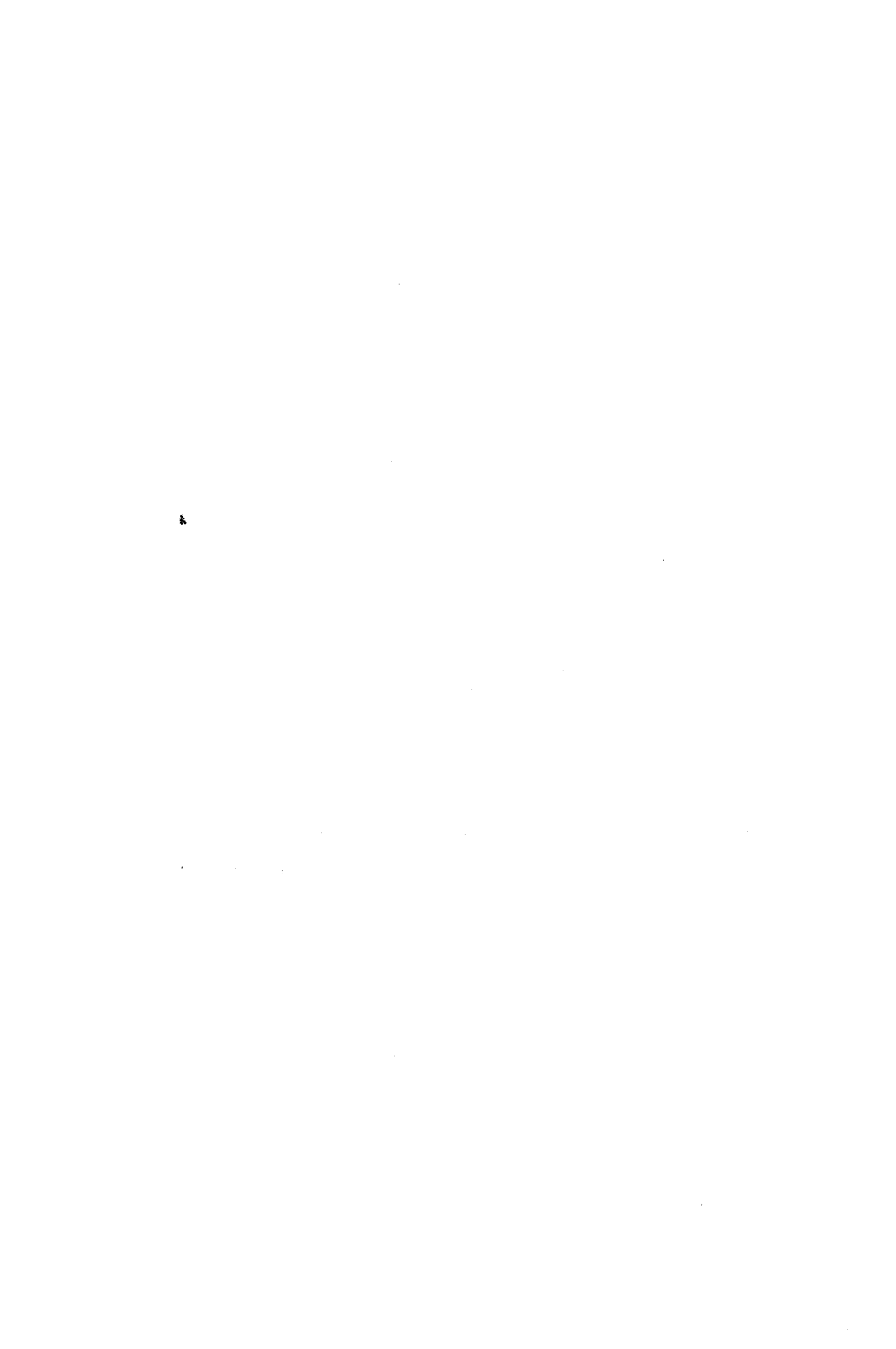
HOUSE.

No. III

STATE OF MAINE.

RESOLVE in favor of Lettie Whittier of Mt. Vernon.

Resolved, That there be paid to Lettie Whittier, widow of
2 Howard Whittier, late of Mt. Vernon, county of Kennebec,
3 the sum of six dollars per month, payable quarterly from the
4 fund appropriated for military pensions and to begin January
5 1st, 1907.



STATEMENT OF FACTS.

Lettie Whittier, widow of Howard Whittier, late of Mt. Vernon, Kennebec county, Me. Under a special act of 1901 Howard Whittier was granted a state pension of six dollars per month; he died in December, 1905, at the age of 77 years leaving his widow in circumstances as follows:

Lettie Whittier had procured a home by taking care of an old lady during her life and had laid by something besides by taking in work of different kinds previous to the failing health of her husband. But for the past six or eight years he has been unable to labor, and not only has she taken all of her time in caring for him but has paid out almost her last dollar for medical aid and medicines and beyond this her constant care of him has broken her down badly so there seems to be no way for her to earn a living.

STATE OF MAINE.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Augusta, February 6, 1907.

Reported by Mr. FOLSOM from Committee on Pensions, and ordered
printed under joint rules.

E. M. THOMPSON, *Clerk.*