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SEVENTY-SIXTH LEGISLATURE

HOUSE

NO. 35 A

STATE OF MAINE

Statement of Facts accompanying Resolve in favor of the Town of Paris. (House Doc. No. 35)

Annie E. McLeod, who prior to her marriage was Annie E. Bryant, was born in 1872 in Woodstock, Maine. At the age of 21 years, she married Donald B. McLeod, who was then 32 years of age, at Lewiston in the County of Androscoggin. the date of the said marriage, said Donald B. McLeod was an alien, having been born in Grand Lake, New Brunswick, in 1861. They were married in 1893. Said McLeod first came to Maine when about 16 years of age, coming to Aroostook County, remaining a short time, going back to Grand Lake again, again returning to Maine and since he became of age has resided all the time in Maine. He was never naturalized, has never voted, and always considered himself an alien having no right to vote. After their marriage, his wife became ill, not able to work and fell in distress in the town of Paris several different times, and was relieved by the said town to the amount named in the resolve. Her husband has no property and no means of supporting his wife. The said pauper has no relatives who are able to support her or to contribute thereto, neither has she any property. She is the lawful wife of the said Donald B. McLeod and while they do not live together all of the time, on account of her health, he visits her often and has occasionally furnished her some help.