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STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD ONE THOUSAND NINE HUNDRED AND THIRTEEN.

AN ACT to amend Section one, Chapter one hundred and forty-five, Revised Statutes, relating to The State Pension Law.

Be it enacted by the People of the State of Maine, as follows:

Section 1. Section one of chapter one hundred and forty-2 five of the Revised Statutes is hereby amended by adding 3 after the words "on the quota of Maine" in the eighth line 4 thereof, the words 'and any person whether on or not on the 5 quota of Maine, who has served in the army or navy of the 6 United States in the war with Spain, or the Philippine In-7 surrection at any time prior to July fourth, ninetcen hun-8 dred and two, and who was a resident of this state at date 9 of enlistment, and at time of making application for pen-

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10 sion shall have been a resident of the state at least five years',11 so that said section as amended shall read as follows:

'Section 1. Any person who has served by enlistment in 13 the army or navy of the United States in the war of eighteen 14 hundred and sixty-one, on the quota of Maine, and any per-15 son not on the quota of Maine, who has served in the army 16 or navy of the United States in said war, and who was a 17 resident of this state at date of enlistment, and at time of 18 making application for pension shall have been a resident 19 of the state at least five years; also any person who has 20 served by enlistment in the army or navy of the United 21 States in the war with Spain, on the quota of Maine, and 22 any person whether on or not on the quota of Maine, who 23 has served in the army or navy of the United States in the 24 war with Spain, or the Philippine Insurrection at any time 25 prior to July fourth, nineteen hundred and two, and who 26 was a resident of this state at date of enlistment, and at 27 time of making application for pension shall have been a 28 resident of the state at least five years, and who has been 20 disabled by disease, wounds or other injuries contracted or 30 received in said service, and who is unable from his own 31 resources and the United States pension to obtain a liveli-32 hood for himself and those dependent upon him, shall be 33 entitled to a pension from the state, not exceeding eight 34 dollars per month, provided, he has been honorably dis-35 charged from said service. No such pension shall be paid 36 by this state to persons residing in other states.'