

SEVENTY-SIXTH LEGISLATURE

SENATE

NO. 332

In Senate, Feb. 18, 1913.

Came from the House referred to the Committee on Judiciary and on motion by Senator Dutton of Kennebec, laid on the table for printing, pending reference in concurrence. W. E. LAWRY, Secretary.

STATE OF MAINE

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

AN ACT to amend section 1 of chapter 198 of the Public Laws of nineteen hundred and eleven, relating to Justices of the Supreme Judicial or Superior Courts.

Be it enacted by the People of the State of Maine, as follows:
Section 1. Section one of chapter one hundred and nine2 ty-eight of the Public Laws of nineteen hundred and eleven
3 is hereby amended by adding after the word "any" in the
4 first line thereof the words, 'present or former,' and adding
5 after the word "years" in the second line thereof the words,
6 'while serving as said justice or subsequently to such ser7 vice,' and by adding after the word "years" in the twelfth

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8 line thereof the words, 'if then serving as such justice,' so 9 that said section shall read as follows:

'Section 1. Any present or former justice of the supreme 11 judicial court or superior court who, having attained the 12 age of seventy years while serving as said justice or sub-13 sequently to such service and having served as such justice 14 for at least ten consecutive years, resigns his said office or 15 ceases to serve at the expiration of any term thereof, shall 16 during the remainder of his life receive an amount equal 17 to one-half of the salary which is by law payable to him 18 at the time of such resignation or termination of service; 19 to be paid by the state in the same manner as the salaries 20 of justices of said court are paid. The provisions of this 21 act shall apply to present and former justices of said courts. 22 Provided, however, that such justice shall within one year 23 after attaining the age of seventy years, if then serving as 24 such justice, and serving as such justice for at least ten 25 consecutive years cease to serve as such justice."