

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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SEVENTY-NINTH LEGISLATURE

HOUSE

NO. 339

House of Representatives, March 6, 1919.

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

CLYDE R. CHAPMAN, Clerk.

Presented by Mr. Forbes of Paris.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD ONE THOUSAND
NINE HUNDRED AND NINETEEN

RESOLVE, in Favor of Rachel Stanley.

Resolved, That there be and hereby is granted to Rachel
2 Stanley of Paris an annual pension of three hundred dol-
3 lars to be paid to the said Rachel Stanley in quarterly in-
4 stallments of seventy-five dollars each three months to the
5 day of her death, by the governor and council, from any
6 money in the state treasury not otherwise appropriated.

STATEMENT OF FACTS.

Rachel Stanley, now of Paris, but formerly of Auburn, is the widow of John F. Stanley, who died on November 23, 1916, from injuries received from an attack of a mad deer which occurred on November 20th. Mr. Stanley had been the Superintendent of the Lake Auburn Fish Hatchery for about twenty years. The manner and cause of his death was so well advertised in the papers that it need not be repeated. Rachel Stanley, his widow, is sixty-eight years of age. She was badly injured herself in trying to rescue her husband and for a long time required the assistance of a trained nurse. She has been and is now a great sufferer and some of her injuries seem to be permanent, especially injuries to her joints. Her husband left no property whatever and she is entirely dependent upon the charity of her people. She is absolutely helpless and since her injuries has been unable to do any kind whatsoever.