# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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### EIGHTIETH LEGISLATURE

## SENATE NO. 135

In Senate, March 17, 1921.

Reported by Mr. Hall from Committee on Pensions and laid on table to be printed under join rules.

L. ERNEST THORNTON, Secretary.

#### STATE OF MAINE

## IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD ONE THOUSAND NINE HUNDRED AND TWENTY-ONE

AN ACT to Increase the State Pension to the Blind.

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

Chapter one hundred and forty-eight, section twelve of the

- 2 revised statutes as amended by chapter three hundred sec-
- 3 tion one of the public laws of nineteen hundred and seven-
- 4 teen is hereby amended by striking out the word "two" in
- 5 the fifth line of said section and inserting in place thereof
- 6 the word 'three' so that said section as amended shall read

7 as follows:

'Sect. 12. All persons over the age of twenty-one years,

- 2 who are declared to be blind, in the manner hereinafter set
- 3 forth, and who come within the provisions of the follow-
- 4 ing sections shall, at the discretion of the governor and
- 5 council, receive as a benefit not exceeding three hundred

6 dollars a year, for their exclusive benefit and support, pay-7 able at the close of each regular quarter, upon warrants 8 drawn on the treasurer of state.'