

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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EIGHTY-FOURTH LEGISLATURE

House Document

No. 184

H. P. 624. House of Representatives, Jan. 31, 1929.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary and 500 copies ordered printed. Sent up for concurrence.

CLYDE R. CHAPMAN, Clerk.

Presented by Mr. Melcher of Rumford.

STATE OF MAINE

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

AN ACT Relating to Exemption of Disabled Veteran Soldiers.

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

Paragraph nine of section six, of chapter, ten, of the re-
2 vised statutes as amended by chapter one hundred five, of
3 the public laws of nineteen nineteen is hereby amended as
4 follows: By inserting after the word "years" in the
5 eleventh line of said paragraph nine, as amended by chap-
6 ter one hundred five of the public laws of nineteen nineteen,
7 the following: 'or receiving a pension or compensation from
8 the pension bureau or United States Veterans' Bureau for
9 total disability': so that said paragraph as amended shall
10 read as follows:

'The polls and estates of persons who by reason of age,
2 infirmity or poverty, are in the judgment of the assessors
3 unable to contribute toward the public charges; and the
4 polls of all soldiers and sailors who receive state pension;
5 and the polls of all soldiers and sailors who served in the
6 army or navy of the United States in the war of Eighteen
7 Hundred and Sixty-One and Five and were honorably dis-
8 charged from such service; and the estates of all soldiers
9 or sailors who served in the war of Eighteen Hundred and
10 Sixty-One and Five, the war with Spain and the war with
11 the Imperial German government and its allies and were
12 honorably discharged, who shall have reached the age of
13 seventy years, or receiving a pension or compensation from
14 the pension bureau or United States Veterans' Bureau for
15 total disability and whose property shall not exceed the
16 value of five thousand dollars; provided, however, that any
17 such soldier or sailor who desires to pay said tax may, on
18 or before the first day of April, in the year, notify in writ-
19 ing the assessors of the city, town or plantation in which
20 he resides of his desire to pay said tax, whereupon said as-
21 sessors shall assess said tax against said soldier or sailor,
22 and said soldier or sailor shall be legally holden to pay said
23 tax.'