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No. 237

H. P. 429

House of Representatives, January 31, 1945.

On motion of Mr. Ward of Millinocket taken from the table and on further motion same gentleman referred to Committee on Legal Affairs. Sent up for concurrence and ordered printed.

HARVEY R. PEASE, Clerk.

Presented by Mr. Jalbert of Lewiston.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED
FORTY-FIVE

AN ACT Relating to a Pension Plan for Employees of the City of Lewiston.

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

P. & S. L., 1939, c. 8, Art. XVI, § 19, additional. Article XVI of chapter 8 of the private and special laws of 1939 is hereby amended by adding thereto a new section to be numbered 19 and to read as follows:

‘Sec. 19. Pension plan for city employees. The power to promulgate, enact and amend a pension plan for city employees not presently provided for in a system of retirement or disability benefits shall be vested in the board of mayor and aldermen. Provided, however, that such plan shall include the following:

I. One-half of employee’s salary, or \$1,500, whichever is lesser received at the time such employee:

- A. Retired for disability received while acting in the scope of employment;
- B. Reaches age 65 and has served 25 years;
- C. Reaches age 65 and has served 20 years, provided that in such in-

stance the employee shall not receive more than $\frac{1}{40}$ th of his average final compensation, to be prorated for each additional year until 25 years' service has been rendered.

II. Average final compensation shall mean the annual average of the highest pay received for a period of 5 consecutive years of service preceding retirement.

III. No less than 190 days' service of 8 hours' duration shall constitute 1 year's service, nor shall more than 1 year of service be creditable for all service in any one calendar year.

IV. "Creditable service" shall mean service after establishment of the retirement system plus prior service.

V. "Prior service" shall mean service rendered prior to the date of establishment of the retirement system.'