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H. P. 848

House of Representatives, February 5, 1947.

Referred to Committee on Legal Affairs. Sent up for concurrence and ordered printed.

HARVEY R. PEASE, Clerk.

Presented by Mr. Fowler of Augusta.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED
FORTY-SEVEN

**AN ACT to Amend the Act Providing for the Retirement of Firemen in
the City of Augusta Upon Half Pay.**

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

Sec. 1. P. & S. L., 1927, c. 32, § 1, repealed and replaced. Section 1 of chapter 32 of the private and special laws of 1927 is hereby repealed and the following enacted in place thereof:

‘Sec. 1. City of Augusta authorized to pension retired members of fire department. The city of Augusta is hereby authorized to provide for the retirement upon a pension of half pay of all permanent members of its fire department who have served in said department for at least twenty years and have attained the age of at least 55 years, and all such members who have been permanently disabled in the performance of duty. Such a pension plan may include, if the city council of the city of Augusta deems it advisable, provision for contribution by members and the establishment of a pension fund by said city. No portion of said pension shall, either before or after its distribution to any pensioned member of said department, be held, seized, taken or levied upon, by virtue of any attachment, injunction, writ, interlocutory, or other order or decree, or any process or proceedings whatever, issued out or by any court, for the payment or satis-

fraction in whole or part of any debt, damage, claim, demand or judgment against any said member, except orders of support of minor children, separate support of wife or alimony, and no pensioner shall have the legal right to assign his or her pension, or any part thereof.'