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CHESTER T. WINSLOW, Secretary.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED FIFTY-ONE

RESOLVE, Providing Pensions for Soldiers and Sailors and Dependents and Other Needy Persons.

Emergency preamble. Whereas, the cost of living has increased greatly; and

Whereas, the people receiving aid from the state must have more assistance immediately in order to maintain themselves; and

Whereas, in the judgment of the legislature these facts create an emergency within the meaning of the constitution of Maine and require the following legislation as immediately necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health, and safety; now therefore, be it

Pensions granted to certain soldiers and sailors and dependents and other needy persons. Resolved: That a pension be, and hereby is, granted to each of the persons hereinafter listed in the amounts set against their respective names, to be paid monthly from a fund for pensions allowed by special legislative resolves. Said pensions shall begin on May 1, 1951, and shall continue until otherwise provided by the legislature, with the exceptions indicated herein. There is hereby appropriated from the general fund of the state to carry out the purposes of this resolve, the following:

Fiscal year 1950-51 5,000
Fiscal year 1951-52 29,000
Fiscal year 1952-53 29,000

Provided, however, that in all cases where the applicants are now receiving a state pension, other than old age assistance or aid to the blind, the amount named herein shall be in lieu thereof and not in addition thereto.

Lillian L. Adams, Bath, \$20 per month.

Hilda Ambrose, Masardis, \$15 per month.

Charlotte E. Armstrong, Belmont, \$50 per month.

Elise Ayotte, Stockholm, \$30 per month.

Guy Babb, Hudson, \$35 per month.

A. Lewis Baker, Houlton, \$20 per month.

Albert Beaulieu, Grand Isle, \$30 per month.

Earle Beaulieu, Orono, \$20 per month.

Henry Beaulieu, Grand Isle, \$15 per month.

Melvin Belden, Palermo, \$30 per month.

Edna Bickford, Richmond, \$20 per month. Maryon Boothby, Westport, \$25 per month.

Nelson Bouchard, St. Agatha, \$25 per month.

Fabien Boutote, Fort Kent, \$30 per month.

Curtis Bragdon, Mechanic Falls, \$10 per month for 5 years.

Harold M. Brown, Stockton Springs, \$20 per month for 3 years.

Beatrice Bulley, Randolph, \$45 per month.

George Byrus, Lisbon, \$50 per month.

Maggie Caird, Dexter, \$30 per month.

Leola Carleton, Danforth, \$50 per month for 3 years.

Edith Carver, Gardiner, \$35 per month.

James Caton, Phippsburg, \$20 per month.

Evelyn Chase, Burnham, \$20 per month.

Annette Chasse, Van Buren, \$10 per month.

Joseph Chouinard, Old Town, \$15 per month.

LeRoy Clewley, Etna, \$15 per month.

Jabez Coffin, Mechanic Falls, \$20 per month for 4 years.

Milton Conners, Winterport, \$40 per month.

Lena Coolong, Patten, \$15 per month.

Francis Cyr, St. Agatha, \$35 per month.

Edith Damren, Mt. Vernon, \$25 per month for 2 years.

Pauline Dechane, Patten, \$15 per month.

Vivian Dill, Mt. Vernon, \$20 per month.

Laura Griffin Donaldson, Farmingdale, \$25 per month.

John Doustou, New Canada Plantation, \$20 per month for 2 years.

Westley Dow, Richmond, \$25 per month.

Irene Dufour, Madawaska, \$30 per month.

Blanche Dyer, Belfast, \$20 per month.

Helen E. Easler, Richmond, \$25 per month.

Gladys Eaton, Sedgwick, \$30 per month.

John Ellis, Monroe, \$30 per month.

Walter W. Erskine, Fayette, \$25 per month.

Nellie Estes, Lewiston, \$40 per month.

Irene Dorothy Ferrence, Lisbon Falls, \$20 per month.

Donald Forbes, Brooks, \$20 per month.

Alice Foster, Dixmont, \$20 per month.

Alexis Fournier, Brunswick, \$25 per month.

Clinton Freeman, Bar Harbor, \$15 per month.

Sylvio J. Gagne, Brunswick, \$25 per month.

Hugh Gallagher, Mechanic Falls, \$25 per month.

Gladys Garnet, Dixmont, \$20 per month.

Eli Gaudette, Jr., Rumford, \$35 per month.

Geneva May Gay, Clinton, \$45 per month.

Frank Gilmore, Bangor, \$30 per month.

Eva Goodwin, Lisbon Falls, \$25 per month for 4 years.

Mary A. Grant, Greenville, \$30 per month.

Kenneth Graves, Orrington, \$30 per month.

Gladys Guimond, Auburn, \$40 per month.

Weston Elmer Hall, Stonington, \$20 per month.

Mellon Hannigan, Houlton, \$30 per month.

Ernest Hardison, Franklin, \$15 per month.

Pearl Izetta Harriman, Boothbay Harbor, \$15 per month.

Howard Hatch, Kennebunk, \$15 per month.

Bertha Hodge, Mechanic Falls, \$10 per month.

Ruth B. Holway, Mt. Vernon, \$30 per month.

Arthur Wesley Hunt, Clinton, \$50 per month.

Kenneth Martin Hunt, Clinton, \$20 per month.

Lillian Ireland, Lincoln, \$35 per month.

Edgar Jandreau, St. Francis Plantation, \$40 per month.

Phillippa Jandreau, St. Francis Plantation, \$25 per month.

Clyde W. Johnson, Garland, \$25 per month.

Thelma Judkins, Moody, \$20 per month.

Elizabeth Kavanagh, Lewiston, \$20 per month.

Bernard M. Kelley, Monroe, \$20 per month.

Valeda Marie Kennedy, Waldoboro, \$15 per month.

Howard King, Bath, \$25 per month.

Berton Knight, Peru, \$30 per month.

Edith Langdon, Bath, \$20 per month for 2 years.

Velma Lawler, Oakfield, \$15 per month.

Marie Ange Lessard, Lewiston, \$20 per month.

Omer Lousier, Grand Isle, \$20 per month.

Ina Lovejoy, East New Portland, \$20 per month.

Howard Lund, Mars Hill, \$40 per month.

John Henry McCullough, Hudson, \$30 per month.

George McGinley, Mattawamkeag, \$20 per month.

Margaret McLean, Mechanic Falls, \$30 per month.

Mary McMahon, Eastport, \$20 per month.

Allen Malcolm, Wiscasset, \$15 per month.

Hilda Malcolm, Wiscasset, \$15 per month.

Lucille Marquis, Van Buren, \$20 per month.

Mary Rose Mason, Monmouth, \$25 per month.

Ethel M. Merry, Waldoboro, \$40 per month.

Euphemie O. Michaud, Hamlin Plantation, \$20 per month.

Joseph Michaud, Frenchville, \$15 per month.

Viola Michaud, Eagle Lake, \$15 per month.

John Mitchell, Patten, \$13.89 per month.

Evelyn M. Moody, Belfast, \$20 per month.

Beatrice E. Morawetz, Dresden, \$20 per month.

Charlotte Estella Morrill, Belfast, \$10 per month.

Ray Morris, St. Francis Plantation, \$15 per month.

Ronald Martin Mosher, Leeds, \$25 per month.

Jennie Mower, Belfast, \$20 per month.

Eddie Ouellette, St. Francis Plantation, \$30 per month.

Gilbert Ouellette, Caribou, \$15 per month.

Katherine Parks, Bath, \$20 per month.

Harold Parsons, East Machias, \$20 per month.

Alfred Pelletier, Madawaska, \$15 per month.

George Pitts, New Gloucester, \$40 per month.

Floyd Poland, Bristol, \$25 per month.

Freda Potter, No. Whitefield, \$20 per month.

John Chelsea Prescott, East Corinth, \$20 per month.

Guy Pulsifer, Turner, \$20 per month.

Joseph Quirion, Augusta, \$20 per month.

Albridge Raymond Ranks, Randolph, \$30 per month for 1 year.

George W. Rines, No. Newburg, \$35 per month for 1 year.

Otis Emery Robbins, Belfast, \$20 per month.

Edith Rossignoll, Stockholm, \$20 per month.

Arthur D. Sawtelle, Oakland, continue \$25 per month for 6 months. Allen Scott, East Machias, \$20 per month.

Flossie Mae Shaw, Lewiston, \$50 per month. Herman Silver, Wells, \$20 per month. Alice Sirois, Old Town, \$20 per month. Marlene Smart, Prospect, \$20 per month. John Smith, Belgrade, \$20 per month. Louis Soucie, Hamlin Plantation, \$20 per month. Abbie Spencer, Clifton, \$40 per month. Ethelyne M. Stewart, Clinton, \$40 per month. Ira Stuart, Whitefield, \$15 per month. Everett Tarrio, Bradley, \$30 per month. Joyce Teeney, Brooks, \$18 per month. Clarence Thomas, Rumford Point, \$35 per month. Rolande Tondreau, Augusta, \$20 per month. Joseph William True, Garland, \$30 per month. Beulah Tucker, Smyrna, \$15 per month. Wilfred Turgeon, Waterboro, \$30 per month. Sadie Turner, Palermo, \$35 per month. John Upham, Thomaston, \$15 per month. Sylvester Van Sickle, Gardiner, \$20 per month. Elwin Verdon, Fairfield, \$30 per month. Austin M. Weikel, Cape Elizabeth, \$12 per month. Frank L. Weir, Richmond, \$25 per month. Thomas Norman Whitcomb, Searsport, \$20 per month. Leland White, Oakland, \$20 per month. Nellie Whitehead, Belfast, \$40 per month. Alfred Wik, Stockholm, \$25 per month. Austin Wiley, Madawaska, \$20 per month.

Payment of the pensions herein provided to Pauline Dechane, Donald Forbes, Pearl Izetta Harriman, Arthur Wesley Hunt, Phillippa Jandreau, Bernard M. Kelley, Valeda Marie Kennedy, Allen Malcolm, Hilda Malcolm, Ronald Martin Mosher, Katherine Parks, Floyd Poland, shall be made only after a court of competent jurisdiction has determined under the provisions of law the need for the appointment of a conservator or guardian.

Emergency clause. In view of the emergency cited in the preamble, this resolve shall take effect when approved.