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**Legislative Document**

**No. 845**

H. P. 808

House of Representatives, February 17, 1955

Received by unanimous consent. Referred to the Committee on Retirements and Pensions, sent up for concurrence and ordered printed.

HARVEY R. PEASE, Clerk

Presented by Mr. Martin of Eagle Lake.

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**STATE OF MAINE**

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IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED  
FIFTY-FIVE

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**RESOLVE, Providing for a State Pension for Simon Oakes of St. John  
Plantation.**

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**Simon Oakes; state pension. Resolved:** That a pension of \$50 per month be, and hereby is, granted to Simon Oakes, of St. John Plantation, to be paid monthly from the appropriation for special legislative pensions. Such pension shall begin on July 1, 1955 and continue until otherwise provided by the legislature.

**STATEMENT OF FACTS**

Simon Oakes is a veteran of World War II, with a disability rated at 22% which does not entitle him to a veteran's pension. He is unable to do any of the heavy-type of work, which is all that is available in his community, and he has been refused assistance by the town officials.