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H. P. 619 House of Representatives, February 19, 1957. Referred to Committee on Retirements and Pensions. Sent up for concurrence and ordered printed.

HARVEY R. PEASE, Clerk.

Presented by Mr. Bean of Winterport.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED FIFTY-SEVEN

RESOLVE, Providing for State Pension for Isaac Gamble of Prospect.

Isaac Gamble; state pension. Resolved: That a pension of \$50 per month be, and hereby is, granted to Isaac Gamble, of Prospect, to be paid monthly from the appropriation for special legislative pensions. Such pension shall begin on July 1, 1957 and continue until otherwise provided by the Legislature.

STATEMENT OF FACTS

Mr. Gamble is 76 years of age and during the past year or two has been largely unable to be gainfully employed because of a broken leg, which apparently did not heal properly, and because of general infirmity accompanying old age. He is not eligible for any of the categorical assistance programs because he is a non-citizen. Mrs. Gamble receives the maximum Old Age Assistance grant, but this is hardly sufficient to maintain herself and her husband.