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House of Representatives, March 21, 1957.

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

HARVEY R. PEASE, Clerk.

Presented by Mr. Rowe of Madawaska.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED
FIFTY-SEVEN

AN ACT Increasing Maximum Grants in Public Assistance Cases.

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

Sec. 1. R. S., c. 25, § 281, amended. The 3rd sentence of section 281 of the Revised Statutes is hereby amended to read as follows:

'This assistance shall be sufficient, when added to all other income and support of the recipient, to provide such person with a reasonable subsistence compatible with decency and health, but not exceeding ~~\$55~~ \$63 per month, **excepting payments for medical, hospital or remedial care of recipients.**'

Sec. 2. R. S., c. 25, § 302, amended. The 2nd sentence of section 302 of chapter 25 of the Revised Statutes is hereby amended to read as follows:

'This aid shall be sufficient, when added to all other income and support of the recipient, to provide such person with a reasonable subsistence compatible with decency and health, but not exceeding ~~\$55~~ \$63 per month, **except that the excepting payments for medical, hospital or remedial care of recipients. The first \$50** per month of earned income shall be disregarded in making a budget.'

Sec. 3. R. S., c. 25, § 319-B, amended. The 5th sentence of section 319-B of chapter 25 of the Revised Statutes, as enacted by section 30 of chapter 405 of the public laws of 1955, is hereby amended to read as follows:

'This aid shall be sufficient, when added to all other income and support of the recipient, to provide such person with a reasonable subsistence compatible with decency and health, but not exceeding ~~\$55~~ \$63 per month, **excepting medical, hospital or remedial care of recipients.**'