

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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**Legislative Document**

**No. 66**

H. P. 46

House of Representatives, January 15, 1959.

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

HARVEY R. PEASE, Clerk

Presented by Mr. Carville of Eustis.

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**STATE OF MAINE**

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED  
FIFTY-NINE

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**RESOLVE, to increase Retirement Benefit of Clyde P. Walker of Stratton.**

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**Retirement benefit of Clyde P. Walker; increased. Resolved:** That the retirement benefit now being paid to Clyde P. Walker of Stratton, under the provisions of chapter 63-A of the Revised Statutes, be increased by the amount of \$375.44 monthly.

STATEMENT OF FACTS

Accident happened June 10, 1950. He was unloading chloride at a barn at Goldbrook. As he went to throw a bag up to a fellow, the floor timber let go and threw him back and snapped his head. He started having a terrible headache immediately which kept growing worse. They allowed him \$9,000 compensation from December 18, 1950 up to July 2, 1951.

All he is getting now is \$24.56 a month retirement. He has no other means to live on. His wife not only has to take care of her husband but her mother who is a bed patient at Augusta.

Mr. Walker was a faithful employee of the State for 21 years. He would work day and night for the State as patrolman. He was very loyal to his job. He should have a special pension from the State for he gave practically all his life's work to the State and as a result of this life's work, he is permanently injured.

He was pronounced dead 3 times while he was in the Boston hospital. The result has left him so that he can't get his balance and cannot work. He was in the hospital 3 months.