

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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NEW DRAFT.

SEVENTY-NINTH LEGISLATURE

SENATE

NO. 117

In Senate, Feb. 25, 1919.

Reported by Mr. Ames from Committee on State Lands and Forest Preservation and laid on table to be printed under joint rules.

P. F. CRANE, Secretary.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD ONE THOUSAND
NINE HUNDRED AND NINETEEN

AN ACT to provide an appropriation for General Forestry
Purposes.

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

Section 1. There shall be appropriated for the year nine
2 teen hundred and nineteen the sum of five thousand dollars
3 and for the year nineteen hundred and twenty the sum of
4 ten thousand dollars to be expended under the direction of
5 the forest commissioner for general forestry purposes, in-
6 cluding the reforestation of waste lands acquired by the
7 state by grant or purchase; the encouragement of reforesta-
8 tion by private owners; the enforcement of all existing and

9 future legislation relating to forestry, and the general im-
10 provement of forest growth both within and without the
11 Maine Forestry District.

Sect. 2. The money appropriated in accordance with
2 section one of this act shall constitute a permanent fund and
3 the unexpended balance in any year shall not be permitted to
4 lapse, but shall be available in future years for the purposes
5 outlined in said section.

Sect. 3. The forest commissioner may in any year with
2 the advice and consent of the governor and council use any
3 unexpended money accumulated from previous years for the
4 enlargement or development of **state forest reservations**.