

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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# ACTS AND RESOLVES

OF THE

## SIXTY-FIRST LEGISLATURE

OF THE

## STATE OF MAINE.

1883.

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SECT. 3. The representatives chosen in the several districts shall, at the time of their election, be residents therein. The foregoing division of the state into representative districts, shall be, and continue in force until an apportionment shall be made for representatives to congress, after taking the eleventh census.

CHAP. 150  
Qualification.

SECT. 4. In case any vacancy among the representatives to congress requires an election prior to the second Monday of September, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four, or at any other time, then such vacancy shall be filled by the proper district under this apportionment.

Vacancies, how filled.

SECT. 5. This act shall take effect when approved.

Approved February 26, 1883.

## Chapter 150.

An Act relative to the taxation of Horse Railroad Companies.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in Legislature assembled, as follows :*

SECT. 1. Horse railroad corporations and associations are hereby made subject to the provisions of the act entitled "An Act relating to the taxation of railroads," approved March seventeen, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-one, except that the tax shall be ascertained as follows, when the gross average receipts per mile shall not exceed one thousand dollars, the tax shall be equal to one-tenth of one per cent. on the gross transportation receipts; and for each one thousand dollars additional average gross receipts per mile, or fractional part thereof, the rate shall be increased one-tenth of one per cent.

Taxation of horse railroads provided for.

SECT. 2. This act shall take effect when approved.

Approved February 26, 1883.