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FIFTY-FIRST LEGISLATURE.

HOUSE.

No. 29.

STATE OF MAINE.

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD ONE THOUSAND EIGHT HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-TWO.

AN ACT to amend section five of chapter seventy-seven of the revised statutes, relative to the equity jurisdiction of the supreme judicial court.

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

The ninth specification of section five, chapter sev-

- 2 enty-seven of the revised statutes is hereby amended,
- 3 by striking out the word "or" in the first line thereof,
- 4 and by inserting after the word "districts" in the
- 5 first line of said specification, the words, 'village cor-
- 6 porations, or other public corporations by whatever
- 7 name,' so that said specification as amended shall read
- 8 as follows:
- 9 Ninth-When counties, cities, towns, school districts,
- 10 village corporations, or other public corporations by

11 whatever name, for a purpose not authorized by law,

12 vote to pledge their credit or to raise money by taxa-

13 tion, or to pay money from their treasury; or for such

14 purpose, any of their officers or agents attempt to pay

15 out such money, the court shall have equity jurisdic-

16 tion, on application of not less than ten taxable inhab-

17 itants therein.

STATE OF MAINE.

In House of Representatives, February 5, 1872.

Reported from the Committee on the Judiciary, by Mr. HUM-PHREY of Bangor, and ordered to be printed under the Rules.

S. J. CHADBOURNE, Clerk.