

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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FIFTY-SIXTH LEGISLATURE.

HOUSE.

No. 95.

STATE OF MAINE.

RESOLVE for amendment to the constitution.

Resolved, Two-thirds of both branches of the legislature concurring, that the constitution of the state shall be amended as follows :

1 No city or town shall hereafter create any debt or
2 liability, which singly or in the aggregate with pre-
3 vious debts or liabilities, shall exceed five per centum
4 of the last regular valuation of said city or town ;
5 *provided, however*, that the adoption of this article
6 shall not be construed as applying to any fund received
7 in trust by said city or town, nor to any loan for the
8 purpose of renewing existing loans or for war, or to
9 temporary loans to be paid out of money raised by
10 taxation, during the year in which they are made.

STATE OF MAINE.

IN HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
January 31, 1877. }

Reported from the Committee on the Judiciary, by Mr. PIKE of Calais and
ordered printed under the Joint Rule.

ORAMANDAL SMITH, *Clerk.*