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FIFTY-NINTH LEGISLATURE.

HOUSE.

No. 56.

STATE OF MAINE.

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD ONE THOUSAND EIGHT HUNDRED AND EIGHTY.

AN ACT to amend chapter one hundred and fifteen, section six, of the revised statutes, relating to the compensation of members of the government.

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

Section six of chapter one hundred and fifteen of

- 2 the revised statutes is hereby amended by striking
- 3 out the words "two dollars," in the second and sixth
- 4 lines, and inserting instead thereof the words 'one
- 5 dollar,' so that said section as amended shall read
- 6 as follows:
- 7 Sect. 6. Each member of the council shall be
- 8 paid two dollars for every day's attendance, and one
- 9 dollar for every ten miles travel from his place of
- 10 abode at each session. Each member of the senate

11 and house of representatives shall be paid a salary 12 of one hundred and fifty dollars for the regular an-13 nual session of the legislature, and one dollar for 14 every ten miles' travel from his place of abode, once 15 in each session. He is entitled to mileage on the 16 first day of the session, and fifty dollars of his sal-17 ary on the first day of each month thereafter during 18 the session, and the balance at the end thereof; but 19 two dollars shall be deducted from the pay of every 20 member for each day that he is absent from his 21 duties without being excused by the house to which 22 he belongs. The president of the senate and 23 speaker of the house of representatives shall be 24 paid a salary of three hundred dollars for each ses-25 sion, with the same mileage as other members, and 26 subject to the same deduction in case of absence. 27 Any member acting as president pro tem. of the 28 senate, or speaker pro tem. of the house, shall re-29 ceive two dollars per day extra therefor: When an 30 extra session is called by the governor, the mem-31 bers of the senate and house of representatives 32 shall each be paid two dollars for every day's at-33 tendance, and mileage as aforesaid. The president 34 of the senate and speaker of the house of represen-35 tatives at such extra session shall receive in addi-36 tion two dollars for every day's attendance.

37 secretary of the senate and clerk of the house of 38 representatives shall be paid three dollars each, and 39 their assistants two dollars each, for every day of 40 their employment. The treasurer of state shall 41 make pay rolls and payments according to these 42 provisions.

STATE OF MAINE.

In House of Representatives, February 20, 1880.

Reported by Mr. GUSHEE from the Committee on Finance, and ordered printed under Rule.

ORAMANDAL SMITH, Clerk.