

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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# Sixty-Eighth Legislature.

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HOUSE.

No. 206.

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## STATE OF MAINE.

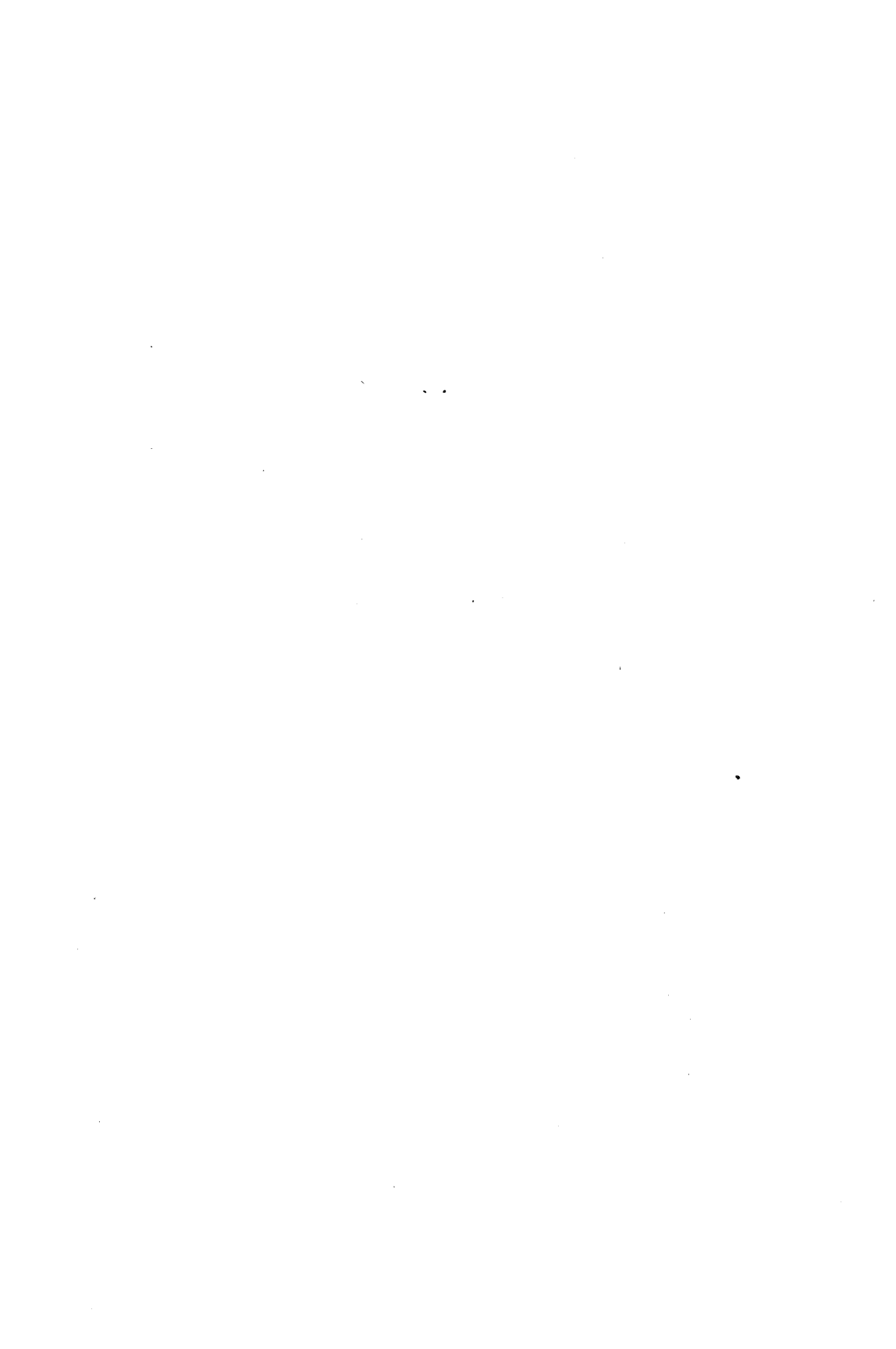
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RESOLVES in favor of the City of Calais.

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*Resolved,* That the treasurer of State be authorized to pay  
2 the city of Calais the sum of one thousand four hundred  
3 and three dollars and sixty-six cents, the same being equit-  
4 ably due said city in the distribution of the railroad tax for  
5 the years eighteen hundred and ninety-four, eighteen hun-  
6 dred and ninety-five and eighteen hundred and ninety-six.

*Resolved,* That the treasurer of State be instructed to  
8 deduct the sum of two hundred eighteen dollars and forty-  
9 one cents from the amount of railroad tax to be apportioned  
10 for the year eighteen hundred and ninety-seven on account  
11 of stock owned in the Maine Central railroad and leased  
12 lines.



### STATEMENT OF FACTS.

Mrs. Mary H. Pike is the widow of F. A. Pike of Calais and her home has always been at Calais; that city has been named as her legal residence in all legal proceedings connected with her husband's estate in Maine, Massachusetts and California. She is the administratrix of the estate appointed by the probate court in Maine as a resident of Calais. She has a home in Calais, the house and lot being owned by her and she has been taxed as a resident of Calais every year and has paid her taxes as such. She has a daughter living in Plainfield, N. J., and frequently visits her. During one of these visits she wrote the clerk of the European & North American R. R., who inferred from the letter being dated at Plainfield that her residence was changed and so recorded it and reported to the secretary of State in his annual return. Mrs. Pike did not know of this change, never authorized it and has directed a correction of the error. The result is the State has \$1,412.50 tax on her stock which should have been paid to the city of Calais.

STATE OF MAINE.

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IN HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,  
March 3, 1897.

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W. S. COTTON, *Clerk.*