

Sixty-Ninth Legislature.

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No. 24.

STATE OF MAINE.

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD ONE THOUSAND EIGHT HUNDRED AND NINETY-NINE.

AN ACT requiring Railroad Corporations to issue Mileage Tickets at a Uniform Rate good for Passage of Bearer.

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

Section 1. Every railroad corporation operating within 2 this State shall provide and have on sale, at a rate not exceed-3 ing two cents per mile, mileage tickets representing one 4 thousand miles, or less, which shall be accepted and received 5 for fare and passage of the bearer of said mileage ticket, on 6 all lines of said corporation issuing the same.

Sect. 2. On petition of any railroad corporation included 2 within the provisions of this act, filed with the railroad com-3 missioners asking that it may be exempt, said commissioners

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4 may in their discretion exempt such railroad from the pro-5 visions of this act, if in their judgment the public welfare or6 financial condition of the railroad require or demand it.

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HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,

Augusta, January 31, 1899.

Tabled, pending reference to Committee, by Mr. GARDNER of Patten, and ordered printed.

W. S. COTTON, Clerk.