

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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# Sixty-Ninth Legislature.

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HOUSE.

No. 235

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## STATE OF MAINE.

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

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AN ACT entitled "An Act to apportion State and County Taxes  
for the years 1899 and 1900 on township formerly known as  
Franklin Plantation in the County of Oxford."

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

Section 1. That for the years 1899 and 1900 there shall be  
2 paid by the town of Peru, in Oxford county, the sum of forty-  
3 six dollars and fifty cents, (\$46.50) each year; and by the town  
4 of Rumford, in said county, the sum of thirty dollars (\$30.00)  
5 each of said years, in addition to the state taxes assessed on said  
6 towns upon the valuation made by the board of state assessors  
7 for the year 1898.

Sect. 2. The county taxes assessed for the years 1899 and  
2 1900, shall be assessed upon the towns of Peru and Rumford on  
3 the same basis as state taxes.



## STATEMENT OF FACTS.

Franklin Plantation in Oxford county has been formerly valued and taxed by the state as wild lands, and the board of state assessors placed a valuation upon said township for the assessment of taxes for the years 1899 and 1900 of twenty-five thousand five hundred dollars, (\$25,500) which valuation having been accepted by this legislature becomes the fixed basis for the assessment of the state taxes for said years.

The present legislature has annexed Franklin Plantation to the towns of Peru and Rumford by an act recently passed, and approved by the governor. This act simply provides for the payment to the state by the towns of Peru and Rumford, proportionately to the amount set off to each of said towns, the taxes that otherwise would have been assessed to said plantation.

STATE OF MAINE.

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IN HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,

Augusta, March 2, 1899.

Reported by Mr. BODWELL of Hallowell, from Committee on Taxation, and ordered printed under joint rules.

W. S. COTTON, *Clerk.*