

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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# SEVENTY-THIRD LEGISLATURE

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SENATE.

No. 161

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## STATE OF MAINE.

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IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD ONE THOUSAND NINE  
HUNDRED AND SEVEN.

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AN ACT to amend section eleven of chapter one hundred and sixteen of the Revised Statutes, relating to compensation of members of the government.

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

Section eleven of chapter one hundred sixteen of the  
2 Revised Statutes as amended by chapter fifty-three of the  
3 Public Laws of nineteen hundred five is hereby amended by  
4 striking out the words "one hundred fifty" in the thirteenth  
5 line of said section and by inserting in place thereof the words  
6 'three hundred' and by striking out the word "fifty" in the  
7 sixteenth line of said section and by inserting in place thereof  
8 the words 'one hundred' and by striking out the words "three  
9 hundred" in the twenty-first line of said section and inserting  
10 in place thereof the words 'five hundred' and by striking out  
11 the word "two" in the twenty-seventh line of said section

12 and inserting in place thereof the word 'four' and by strik-  
13 ing out the word "two" in the thirtieth line of said section  
14 and inserting in place thereof the word 'four' so that said  
15 section when amended shall read as follows:

'Sect. 11. Each member of the senate and house of repre-  
17 sentatives shall receive three hundred dollars for the regular  
18 session of the legislature, and two dollars for every ten miles'  
19 travel from his place of abode once in each session. He is  
20 entitled to mileage on the first day of the session, and one  
21 hundred dollars of his salary on the first day of each month  
22 thereafter, during the session, and the balance at the end  
23 thereof; but two dollars shall be deducted from the pay of  
24 every member for each day that he is absent from his duties,  
25 without being excused by the house to which he belongs.  
26 The president of the senate and speaker of the house of rep-  
27 resentatives, shall receive five hundred dollars for each ses-  
28 sion, with the same mileage as other members, and subject to  
29 the same deduction in case of each absence. Any member  
30 acting as president pro tempore of the senate, or speaker pro  
31 tempore of the house, shall receive two dollars a day extra  
32 therefor.

When an extra session is called by the governor, the mem-  
34 bers of the senate and house of representatives shall each be  
35 paid four dollars for every day's attendance, and mileage as  
36 aforesaid.

The president of the senate and speaker of the house of  
38 representatives, at such extra session, shall receive, in addi-  
39 tion, four dollars for each day's attendance.

The secretary of the senate, and the clerk of the house of  
41 representatives eight hundred dollars each in full for all ser-  
42 vices. Assistant secretary and assistant clerk, three hundred  
43 dollars each, in full for all services. Messengers and assist-  
44 ant messengers to senate and to house, one hundred and fifty  
45 dollars for each, in full.

Pages to the senate and to the house of representatives,  
47 seventy-five dollars for each, in full.

Messenger to the governor and council, five hundred dollars,  
49 in full for all services and travel.

The salaries of all public officers and the pay of all clerks  
51 in public offices not otherwise provided for, shall be from the  
52 state treasury, in quarterly payments.

The treasurer of state shall make pay rolls and payments  
54 according to these provisions.

Each member of the executive council shall receive the same  
56 compensation and travel as a representative to the legislature,  
57 for services as a councilor during the session of the council  
58 commencing in January and closing immediately after the  
59 adjournment of the legislature. For services at other ses-  
60 sions of the council each member thereof shall receive twenty  
61 dollars for each session, and actual expenses; for authorized  
62 services on committees when the council is not in session,  
63 and for services on the committee to examine the state prison,  
64 each councilor shall receive five dollars a day and actual  
65 expenses.

STATE OF MAINE.

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IN SENATE, February 28, 1907.

Presented by Mr. PROCTOR of Cumberland, and on motion by same Senator laid on table for printing, pending reference to Committee on Salaries and Fees.

F. G. FARRINGTON. *Secretary*