SEVENTY-FIFTH LEGISLATURE

SENATE

NO. 261

In Senate, March 23, 1911.

Laid on table on motion of Mr. Osborn of Somerset and ordered printed.

W. C. HANSON, Secretary.

STATE OF MAINE

RESOLVE, to amend Section eight of Article nine of the Constitution of the State of Maine.

Resolved: Two-thirds of both branches of the Legislature

- 2 concurring, that the following amendment of the Constitu-
- 3 tion of the State of Maine be proposed for the action of the
- 4 legal voters of this state at the next gubernatorial election
- 5 in manner provided by the Constitution.

Section eight of article nine is amended by adding after

- 7 the word "estate" in the first line, the words 'located within
- 8 any city, town or organized plantation' and by adding to said
- 9 section the following words: 'but the Legislature may au-
- 10 thorize a special tax to be assessed upon the wild lands of
- 11 the state and upon all property not located within the limits
- 12 of an organized city, town or plantation, said tax not to
- 13 exceed one per cent of the valuation of said wild land or

14 other property, in any one year,' so that said section as 15 amended shall read as follows:

'Sect. 8. All taxes assessed upon real and personal estate, 17 located within any city, town or organized plantation as18 sessed by authority of this state, shall be apportioned and 19 assessed equally according to the just value thereof, but the 20 Legislature may authorize a special tax to be assessed upon 21 the wild lands of the state, and upon all property not located 22 within the limits of an organized city, town, or plantation, 23 said tax not to exceed one per cent of the valuation of said 24 wild land or other property in any one year.