# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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### SEVENTY-SIXTH LEGISLATURE

## HOUSE

NO. 128

House of Representatives, Feb. 4, 1913.

Tabled pending reference to a committee, by Mr. Descoteaux of Biddeford and ordered printed.

W. R. ROIX, Clerk.

#### STATE OF MAINE

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

AN ACT to amend Chapter one hundred sixty-three of the Public Laws of nineteen hundred and five as amended by Chapter twenty of the Public Laws of nineteen hundred and seven, relating to taxing soldiers and sailors.

Be it enacted by the People of the State of Maine, as follows:

Section 1. Section one of Chapter one hundred sixty
three of the Public Laws of nineteen hundred and five, as

amended by Section one of Chapter twenty of the Public

Laws of nineteen hundred and seven, is hereby amended

by striking out, in lines two and three, the words "in the war

of eighteen hundred and sixty-one and five" and inserting

7 in place thereof the words 'in any war', so that said section 8 as amended shall read as follows:

'Section 1. Every soldier or sailor who served in the army 10 or navy of the United States in any war, and who has an 11 honorable discharge from such service, resident within the 12 State of Maine, is hereby forever exempt from the assess-13 ment of and payment of a poll tax within any city, town or 14 plantation in this state, provided, however, that any such 15 sailor or soldier who desires to pay said tax may, on or be-16 fore the first day of April, in each year, notify in writing 17 the assessors of the city, town or plantation in which he 18 resides of his desire to pay said tax, whereupon said assess-19 ors shall assess said tax against said soldier or sailor, and 20 said soldier or sailor shall be legally holden to pay said tax.'