

SEVENTY-SEVENTH LEGISLATURE

HOUSE

NO. 280

House of Representatives, Feb. 19, 1915. Ordered, That five hundred copies be printed and that the same be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Committee on Reference.

Presented by Mr. Conners of Bangor.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD ONE THOUSAND NINE HUNDRED AND FIFTEEN

AN ACT to increase the powers of the County Commissioners of Penobscot County in regard to making temporary loans, additional to Chapter 80 of the Revised Statutes of 1903.

Be it enacted by the People of the State of Maine, as follows: Whereas it is the opinion of the County Commissioners of Penobscot County after careful consideration of the matter that there is not sufficient funds in the County Treasury at this time to pay the current bills, and whereas no means have been provided for raising the additional funds to meet these current expenses and other necessary expenses during the next few months; and whereas the interest of the people in Penobscot County demands that these current and necessary expenses be

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paid as they become due, and unless this Act is passed as an emergency act it cannot take effect until approximately July 1, 1915, an emergency, therefore, exists, and the public peace, health and safety will be conserved by empowering the County Commissioners of said county to borrow an additional sum for the above purposes, and now, therefore

Section 1. The County Commissioners of Penobscot 2 County may, without obtaining the consent of the county, 3 raise by temporary loan, to be paid within one year from 4 the time when the same is contracted, a sum not exceeding 5 twenty-five thousand dollars in any year for use of said 6 county and cause notes or obligations of said county, with 7 coupons for lawful interest, to be issued for payment thereof, 8 as aforesaid.

Sect. 2. All acts and parts of acts in, and so far as they 2 conflict with the above, are hereby repealed.