

SEVENTY-SEVENTH LEGISLATURE

SENATE

NO. 138

In Senate Feb. 18, 1915.

Ordered, That five hundred copies be printed and that the same be referred to the Committee on State Lands and Forest Preservation.

Committee on Reference.

Presented by Mr. Colby of Somerset.

STATE OF MAINE

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

AN ACT to secure information relating to the yearly cut of timber from the wild land townships.

Be it enacted by the People of the State of Maine, as follows:
Section 1. That the owners or agents of all lands in un2 organized townships and organized plantations, classed as
3 wild lands, shall return to the board of state assessors, on
4 blanks furnished upon application to said board, the amount
5 in board feet of all logs and other timber cut, or if it has
6 been cut into four-foot lengths the number of cords of each
7 kind of wood cut from their land the year preceding April.
8 first of the year in which said return is made.

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Sect. 2. Should any owner or agent whose duty it is to 2 make such return neglect or refuse to comply with the re-3 quirements of this act, the board of state assessors may 4 secure the information as to the amount of such cut by such 5 methods as they shall deem expedient or advisable, and the 6 expense of securing such information shall be added to the 7 state tax next assessed against the land of such owner or 8 agent, and collected in the same manner as all wild land 9 taxes are collected.

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