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SEVENTY-EIGHTH LEGISLATURE

HOUSE NO. 292

House of Representatives, Feb. 13, 1917.

Referred to Committee on Salaries and Fees and five hundred copies ordered printed. Sent up for concurrence.

W. R. ROIX, Clerk.

Presented by Mr. O'Connell of Millinocket.

STATE OF MAINE

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

AN ACT to Amend Section Twelve of Chapter One Hundred Seventeen of the Revised Statutes of Nineteen Hundred Sixteen, Relating to the Compensation of the Members of the Legislature.

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

Section twelve of chapter one hundred seventeen of the

- 2 Revised Statutes of nineteen hundred sixteen is hereby
- 3 amended by striking out in the second line of the first para-
- 4 graph of said section the word "four" and inserting in place
- 5 thereof the word 'six;' also by striking out in the second
- 6 line of the second paragraph of said section, the word "five"

7 and inserting in place thereof the word 'seven,' so that said 8 section, as amended, shall read as follows:

'Sect. 12. Each member of the senate and house of rep2 resentatives shall receive six hundred dollars for the reg3 ular session of the legislature, and two dollars for every
4 ten miles' travel from his place of abode once in each ses5 sion. He is entitled to mileage on the first day of the ses6 sion, and one hundred dollars of his salary on the first day
7 of each month thereafter, during the session, and the balance
8 at the end thereof; but two dollars shall be deducted from
9 the pay of every member for each day that he is absent
10 from his duties, without being excused by the house to
11 which he belongs.

The president of the senate and speaker of the house of 2 representatives shall each receive seven hundred dollars for 3 each session with the same mileage as other members, and 4 subject to the same deduction in case of each absence. Any 5 member acting as president pro tempore of the senate, or 6 speaker pro tempore of the house, shall receive two dollars 7 a day extra therefor.

When an extra session is called by the governor, the mem-2 bers of the senate and house of representatives shall each be 3 paid two dollars for every day's attendance, and mileage 4 as aforesaid.

The president of the senate and speaker of the house of 2 representatives at such extra session shall receive, in ad-3 dition, two dollars for every day's attendance.'