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SEVENTY-NINTH LEGISLATURE

HOUSE NO. 29

House of Representatives, Jan. 24, 1919.

Referred to Committee on Taxation and 500 copies ordered printed. Sent up for concurrence.

CLYDE R. CHAPMAN, Clerk.

Presented by Mr. Lanpher of Sebec.

STATE OF MAINE

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

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 un-

- 2 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, or otherwise, the number
- 7 of cords of each kind of wood cut from their land the year
- 8 preceding April first of the year in which said return is
- 9 made.

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