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CLYDE R. CHAPMAN, Clerk.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD ONE THOUSAND NINE HUNDRED AND TWENTY-ONE

AN ACT for the Better Enforcement of Poll-taxes.

Be it enacted by the People of the State of Maine, as follows:
Section sixty-four of chapter eleven of the revised stat2 utes is hereby amended by striking out the word "no" in
3 next to the last line of said section, so that said section as
4 amended shall read as follows:

'Sect. 64. In addition to other provisions for the collec-2 tion of taxes legally assessed, the mayor and treasurer of 3 any city, the selectmen of any town, and the assessors of 4 any plantation to which a tax is due, may in writing direct 5 an action of debt to be commenced in the name of such 6 city or of the inhabitants of such town or plantation, against 7 the party liable; but no such defendant is liable for any

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8 costs of suit, unless it appears by the declaration and by 9 proof, that payment of said tax had been duly demanded 10 before suit.

Execution issued on a judgment recovered for the col-2 lection of a poll-tax shall run against the body of the judg-3 ment debtor.'

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