

EIGHTY-SECOND LEGISLATURE

H. P. No. 413

H. D. No. 86

House of Representatives, Feb. 5, 1925.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary and 500 copies ordered printed. Sent up for Concurrence.

CLYDE R. CHAPMAN, Clerk.

Presented by Mr. Boody of Windham.

STATE OF MAINE

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

AN ACT Relating to Registration of Motor Vehicles of Nonresidents, and Fees of Residents.

Be it enacted by the People of the State of Maine, as follows:
Section I. Chapter two hundred eleven of the Public
2 Laws of nineteen hundred twenty-one is hereby amended
3 by striking out the whole of section thirty-four in said
4 chapter, and inserting in place thereof the following, so that
5 said section as amended shall read as follows:

Sect. 34. Non-residents may operate motor vehicles and 2 trailers except those hereinafter enumerated in this section, 3 on the ways in this state, without registration herein, pro-4 vided such vehicles are registered in some other state or

HOUSE-No. 86

5 country and have attached thereto registration plates, and 6 are driven by persons licensed to operate in this or some 7 other state or country. Provided, however, that no motor 8 truck, tractor or trailer used for commercial purposes and 9 owned either by a resident of this state or a non-resident 10 thereof, shall be operated over any ways or bridges except II and until such vehicle is registered and the registration fee 12 paid as provided by statute for the registration of vehicles 13 with like capacity and character owned in this state; but 14 registration and license evidenced by an appropriate plate 15 or tag attached to the vehicle may be issued to operate it 16 for not exceeding five days in any one year upon payment 17 of one-fourth of the fee required for annual registration of 18 such vehicle; or, for not exceeding ten days, upon payment 19 of one-third of such annual registration. A non-resident 20 may at any time apply for and obtain annual registration of 21 such vehicle by paying the difference between the fee for 22 such short term registration and the fee required for its 23 annual registration. Such vehicle when registered as re-24 quired by this section may be operated by persons licensed 25 to operate it according to the laws of this or some other 26 state or country, and may display their register plates in 27 addition to the plates of this state as required by this act.'

Sect. 2. Said chapter is further amended by striking out 2 in the fourth line of paragraph a. of section forty-seven 3 thereof, the words and figures "25 cents" in two places 4 thereof and inserting in the place thereof the words and 5 figures '12 1-2 cents,' so that said paragraph as amended 6 shall read as follows:

'a. Motor vehicles used for the conveyance of passengers.

Per H. P. Per 100 Equipped with lbs. weight Pneumatic tires 12½ cents 12½ cents Solid tires (two or more) 25 cents 50 cents Motor vehicles regularly used for livery or hire shall pay

2 double the above fees.'