

## EIGHTY-SECOND LEGISLATURE

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# H. D. No. 103

House of Representatives, Feb. 11, 1925

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Presented by Senator Cram of Cumberland.

### STATE OF MAINE

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

AN ACT to Amend Section Thirty-two of Chapter Nine of the Revised Statutes of Maine, Relating to the Excise Tax on Railroads.

Be it enacted by the People of the State of Maine, as follows: Section thirty-two of chapter nine of the revised statutes 2 is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

Street railroad corporations and associations are subject 2 to the seven preceding sections and to section four of chap-3 ter ten, except that the annual excise tax shall be ascer-4 tained as follows:

'When the gross average receipts per mile do not exceed 2 one thousand dollars the tax shall be equal to one-fourth

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3 of one per cent on the gross transportation receipts; when 4 such average receipts per mile exceed one thousand dollars, 5 the tax shall be equal to one-fourth of one per cent on the 6 first one thousand dollars per mile average gross transpor-7 tation receipts, one-half of one per cent on the next one 8 thousand dollars per mile, or fractional part thereof, and 9 so on increasing one-fourth of one per cent on each addi-10 tional one thousand dollars per mile average gross trans-11 portation receipts without increasing the rate on the pre-12 ceding brackets, provided that the rate shall not exceed 13 three per cent on the highest bracket.'