

# EIGHTY-SECOND LEGISLATURE

## H. P. No. 934

## H. D. No. 231

House of Representatives, Feb. 26, 1925.

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

CLYDE R. CHAPMAN, Clerk.

Presented by Mr. Nichols of Portland.

# STATE OF MAINE

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

AN ACT Relative to Assessment of Taxes.

Be it enacted by the People of the State of Maine, as follows: Subdivision V., of Section 6 of Chapter 10 of the Revised 2 Statutes of Maine, is hereby amended, by striking out all 3 of said Subdivision V, and inserting in lieu thereof, the 4 following:—

'V. Houses of religious worship, including vestries and 2 parish houses, so-called, together with the lot of land not 3 exceeding one acre on which they stand, and the pews and 4 furniture within such houses of worship and parish houses, 5 not exceeding two hundred thousand dollars in value, of 6 any one denomination, sect or religious faith, in any one

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7 city or town, tombs and rights of burial, and property held 8 by a religious society as a parsonage or home for bishop 9 or priest, not exceeding ten thousand dollars in value, and 10 from which no rent is received, and personal property in 11 such parsonage or home, not exceeding three thousand dol-12 lars in value. But all other property, both real and per-13 sonal, in any city or town, in excess of the above named 14 amounts, under the ownership of any religious denomina-15 tion, or any corporation, trustees or individual, holding for 16 any religious denomination, including that held by such 17 denomination for benevolent and charitable purposes, is 18 liable to taxation the same as other property.'