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EIGHTY - SEVENTH LEGISLATURE

Legislative Document

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S. P. 421

In Senate, February 12, 1935.

Referred to Committee on Legal Affairs, sent down for concurrence and 500 copies ordered printed.

ROYDEN V. BROWN, Secretary.

Presented by Senator Pinansky of Cumberland.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED THIRTY-FIVE

AN ACT Relating to Costs in Suits for Collection of Taxes.

Be it enacted by the People of the State of Maine, as follows:

Consolidation of tax suits; apportionment of costs. Suits brought for the collection of taxes to enforce liens on real estate, when brought by the same plaintiff against the same defendant may be consolidated by the court into one action; if the plaintiff prevails, the court shall award judgment against each such parcel and cause a separate execution to issue: the plaintiff shall recover one bill of costs only except that the full amount of the fees of the officer serving the writs and the entry fee shall in all cases be made a part of the costs: and in case the court does not consolidate said actions, one bill of costs shall be warded and apportioned to each judgment except that the officers' fees and entry fee shall be allowed in full.