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ROYDEN V. BROWN, Secretary. Presented by Senator Cleaves of Cumberland.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED FORTY-FIVE

AN ACT to Provide for a State Garage and for Purchase and Use of State-Owned Automobiles.

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

Sec. 1. R. S., c. 14, § 29, repealed and replaced. Section 29 of chapter 14 of the revised statutes is hereby repealed and replaced to read as follows:

'Sec. 29. State controller authorized to assign state-owned automobiles. The state controller shall have authority, on application, to assign stateowned automobiles to employees of the state.'

Sec. 2. R. S., c. 14, § 35, amended. Section 35 of chapter 14 of the revised statutes is hereby amended by adding thereto 2 new subsections to be numbered XI and XII, to read as follows:

'XI. To maintain and operate a state garage for the repair and maintenance of state-owned vehicles, and for that purpose the governor and council may authorize the advance of working capital from the unappropriated surplus of the general fund.'

'XII. To purchase and maintain such automobiles as are reasonably required for the use of the departments and agencies of the state, and the bureau of purchases is authorized to charge said departments and agencies requisitioning automobiles, amounts sufficient to reimburse the garage for operating expense of the said automobiles.'