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and the gross receipts in the state shall be taken to be the average gross receipts per mile, multiplied by the number of miles operated within the state.'

Approved March 16, 1909.

Chapter 82.

An Act relating to the taxation of Street Railroads.

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

Section 31,
chapter 8,
R. S.,
amended.

Section thirty-one of chapter eight of the revised statutes is hereby amended by striking out the words "three-twentieths" in the fifth line thereof and substituting therefor the words 'one-fourth,' and by striking out the words "three-twentieths" in the seventh line thereof and substituting therefor the words 'one-fourth,' and by adding to said section the following words, 'provided that the rate shall in no case exceed four per cent,' so that said section as amended shall read as follows:

Taxation
of street
railroad cor-
porations.

'Section 31. Street railroad corporations and associations are subject to the eight preceding sections and to section four of chapter nine, except that the annual excise tax shall be ascertained as follows: When the gross average receipts per mile do not exceed one thousand dollars the tax shall be equal to one-fourth of one per cent on the gross transportation receipts; and for each thousand dollars additional gross receipts per mile, or fractional part thereof, the rate shall be increased one-fourth of one per cent, provided that the rate shall in no case exceed four per cent.

Approved March 16, 1909.

Chapter 83.

An Act to amend Section six of Chapter one hundred six of the Revised Statutes, relating to Real Actions.

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

Section 6,
chapter 106,
R. S.,
amended.

Section six of chapter one hundred six of the revised statutes is hereby amended by striking out in the sixth and seventh lines the words "unless by leave of court the time therefor is enlarged" and inserting instead thereof the words 'but by leave of court the time therefor may be enlarged, or permission to file such disclaimer may afterwards be granted by the court,' so that said section as amended shall read as follows: