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OF THE

SEVENTY-SIXTH LEGISLATURE

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE

1913

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RESOLVES

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Chapter 262.

Снар. 262

Resolve, for the Scientific Investigation of Scallops and the Scallops Fisheries.

Resolved, that the sum of one thousand dollars be and hereby is appropriated for the purpose of the scientific investigation of scallops and of the nature and habits of scallops, to be conducted by the commissioner of sea and shore fisheries under the direction of the governor and council.

Scallops, for investigation of fisheries of.

Approved April 4, 1913.

Chapter 263.

Resolve, to Establish a State Nursery to Encourage the Reforestation of the Waste Lands of Maine,

Resolved, that the sum of one thousand dollars be and hereby is appropriated for the year nineteen hundred and thirteen, and the sum of one thousand dollars for the year nineteen hundred and fourteen, to be expended by the forest commissioner for the purpose of establishing a state forest nursery in connection with the school of forestry to supply forest tree seedlings at a cost of production for use in planting the waste lands in the State of Maine.

State forest nursery, to provide for establishment of.

Approved April 4, 1913.

Chapter 264.

Resolve, for an Amendment to the Constitution Providing for the Classification of Property for the Purposes of Taxation.

Resolved, two-thirds of the legislature concurring, that the following amendment to the constitution of the state be proposed:

Section eight of article nine of the constitution is hereby amended by adding to said section the following words: 'But the legislature shall have power to levy a tax upon intangible personal property at such rate as it deems wise and equitable without regard to the rate applied to other classes of property,' so that said section as amended shall read as follows:

'Section 8. All taxes upon real and personal estate, assessed by authority of this state, shall be apportioned and assessed equally, according to the just value thereof; but the legislature shall have power to levy a tax upon intangible personal property at such rate as it deems wise and equitable without regard to the rate applied to other classes of property.'

Constitutional amendment proposed.

—To section 8 of article 9.

Tax may be levied on intangible property.