

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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# FORTY-FOURTH LEGISLATURE.

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HOUSE.

No. 27.

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## STATE OF MAINE.

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IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD ONE THOUSAND EIGHT HUNDRED AND SIXTY-FIVE.

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### AN ACT relating to bounties.

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*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in Legislature assembled, as follows :*

SECTION 1. Authority is hereby conferred upon cities,  
2 towns and plantations, to raise money, and pay boun-  
3 ties or other aid to persons entering the military or  
4 naval service of the United States, upon their quotas,  
5 under any call hereafter made by the president of the  
6 United States.

SECT. 2. No such bounty shall exceed the sum of  
2 three hundred dollars for the first year the person so  
3 entering shall be mustered or drafted for, and one hun-  
4 dred dollars for each additional year. All acts of

5 cities, towns and plantations granting any excess of  
6 this sum shall be utterly void as to such excess.

SECT. 3. This act shall take effect from its approval.

STATE OF MAINE.

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HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }  
February 9, 1865. }

Reported by Mr. TAPLEY, from the Committee on the Judiciary.

HORACE STILSON, *Clerk.*