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FORTY-FOURTH LEGISLATURE.

SENATE. No. 26.

STATE OF MAINE.

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

AN ACT relating to bounties.

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 not exceeding
- 5 three years; all acts of cities, towns and plantations

6 granting any excess of this sum shall be utterly void 7 as to such excess.

Sect. 3. This act shall take effect upon its appro-2 val.

STATE OF MAINE.

In Senate, February 20, 1865.

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

THOMAS P. CLEAVES, Secretary.