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State of Maine.

Office of Secretary of State,

Augusta, April 2, 1880.

To the President and Directors of the Railroad Company,

GENTLEMEN:

By an order of the Executive Council this day passed, I am directed to notify you that the Governor and Council will be in session in the Council Chamber, at Augusta, on the 19th instant, for the purpose of assessing a tax on the several railroad companies of the State, as provided in Chapter 249 of the Public Laws of 1880, approved March 19, 1880.

I am further directed to request you, in addition to the returns required by Chapter 258 of the Public Laws of 1874, to make such additional returns as will enable them to determine the valuation of the road-way, rolling stock and franchises of your company, according to the provisions of said Chapter 249 of the Public Laws of 1880, now in force.

A copy of the Public Laws of 1880 is forwarded by mail this day.

Very respectfully,

Your obedient servant,

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