House Bill, No. 232.]

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, November 26, 1864.—Read first and second times, made special order, and ordered to be printed.

[By Mr. Lyon, from Committee on Ways and Means.]

A BILL

To be entitled "An Act to exempt from taxation the capital of bonds and certificates issued by the Confederate States."

- 1 Section 1. The Congress of the Confederate States of America do
- 2 enact, That henceforth no tax shall be assessed upon the amount or
- 3 value of any bond, or any certificate of loan or of indebtedness,
- 4 issued or to be issued by the Confederate States of America:
- 5 Provided, however, That the same amount of tax as upon income
- 6 derived from other sources, shall be assessed, levied and collected
- 7 upon the dividends or interest of all such bonds and certificates,
- 8 except those of which the dividends or interest are or may be
- 9 specially exempted by law from taxation.
- 1 Sec. 2. This act shall be in force from and after the passing
- 2 thereof.

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