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[Report No. 572.]

IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES.

MAY 5, 1880.

Mr. WALLACE, from the Select Committee to Inquire into Alleged Frauds in the late Elections, submitted a report (No. 572), accompanied by the following bill; which was read the first and second times by unanimous consent.

A BILL

To enforce the provisions of section two of the fourteenth amendment to the Constitution of the United States.

1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-2 tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, 3 That in taking the enumeration of the inhabitants of the several States, as directed by the Constitution of the United 4 States to be taken, at the next and each subsequent enumer- $\mathbf{5}$ ation thereof, it shall be the duty of the Superintendent of 6 the Census to cause to be ascertained the number of citizens 7 of the United States, inhabitants of any State, being males 8 twenty-one years of age and upwards, whose right to vote at 9 any election named in the fourteenth amendment to the Con-10 stitution of the United States has been denied or in any way 11 abridged by the constitution or laws of any State, except as 12

authorized by said fourteenth amendment.

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