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H. P. 1417

House of Representatives, February 16, 1937.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary and 500 copies ordered printed.  
Sent up for concurrence.

HARVEY R. PEASE, Clerk.

Presented by Mr. Sleeper of Rockland.

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T H I R T Y - S E V E N

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**AN ACT Relating to the Punishment for Murder.**

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Be it enacted by the People of the State of Maine, as follows:

**R. S., c. 129, § 1, amended.** Section 1 of chapter 129 of the revised statutes is hereby amended to read as follows:

**'Sec. 1. Murder, definition; penalty.** Whoever unlawfully kills a human being with malice aforethought, either express or implied, is guilty of murder and shall be punished by ~~imprisonment for life with death.~~