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H. P. 15

House of Representatives, January 11, 1939.

Referred to the Committee on Public Health. Sent up for concurrence and 500 copies ordered printed.

HARVEY R. PEASE, Clerk.

Presented by Mr. Farrington of Augusta.

S T A T E O F M A I N E

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED
THIRTY-NINE

AN ACT Relating to Distribution of Patent Medicines.

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

R. S., c. 135, § 12, amended. Section 12 of chapter 135 of the revised statutes, is hereby amended to read as follows :

'Sec. 12. Throwing or leaving samples of patent medicines upon door steps, and streets; penalty. Any person, firm, or corporation who, by himself, his servant, or agent, or as the servant or agent of any other person or firm, leaves, throws, or deposits, or has in his possession with intent to leave, throw, or deposit upon the doorstep, hall, porch, doorway, vestibule, or premises owned or occupied by another, or distributes on any street, any patent or proprietary medicine or any preparation, pill, tablet, or drug shall be punished by a fine of not less than \$20, nor more than \$1000, or by imprisonment for not less than 30 days nor more than 11 months.'