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STATE OF MAINE  
SENATE  
124TH LEGISLATURE  
FIRST REGULAR SESSION

SENATE AMENDMENT "A" to H.P. 1045, Resolution, "JOINT RESOLUTION  
MEMORIALIZING CERTAIN NATIONAL PRIVATE ENTITIES TO HONOR  
MAINE BASEBALL GREAT LOUIS SOCKALEXIS AND TO AFFORD  
APPROPRIATE RESPECT TO NATIVE AMERICAN ATHLETES"

Amend the resolution by striking out all of the 4th resolved paragraph and inserting  
the following:

'RESOLVED: That We, your Memorialists, respectfully urge and request that the  
magazine Sports Illustrated correct the oversight that neglected to mention either Louis  
Sockalexis or his cousin Andrew Sockalexis, a marathon runner who placed highly in 2  
Boston Marathons and the 1912 Olympics, on its list of the "50 Greatest Athletes from  
the State of Maine" to demonstrate its goodwill and respect for these 2 extraordinary  
American Indian athletes; and be it further'

SUMMARY

This amendment changes the word "mistake" to "oversight" in the description of the  
omission of the 2 Sockalexis cousins' names, and it removes language requesting an  
apology.

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