

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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# FORTY-NINTH LEGISLATURE.

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HOUSE.

No. 34.

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## STATE OF MAINE.

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IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD ONE THOUSAND EIGHT HUNDRED AND SEVENTY.

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AN ACT relating to penalties of selectmen or assessors  
for malfeasance in office.

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*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives  
in Legislature assembled, as follows :*

Section fifty-two of chapter four of the revised statutes, is hereby amended, by inserting after the word  
“twenty-two” in said section of said chapter, the following words, viz: “or wilfully and fraudulently receive the vote of any person not qualified to be an elector, as provided by the constitution,” so that said section fifty-two of said chapter four shall read, when so amended, as follows :

“SECT. 52. If such selectmen or assessors wilfully neglect or refuse to keep and use a check list, as provided in section twenty-one, or wilfully receive any vote prohibited by section twenty-two, or wilfully and

13 fraudulently receive the vote of any person not quali-  
14 fied to be an elector, as provided by the constitution,  
15 they shall each forfeit not less than fifty nor more than  
16 one hundred dollars ”

STATE OF MAINE.

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IN HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }  
February 10, 1870. }

Reported from the Committee on Legal Reform, by Mr. MIL-  
DRAM of Wells, and printed under the Joint Rule.

S. J. CHADBOURNE, *Clerk.*