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Sixty-Second Legislature.

HOUSE.

No. 196.

STATE OF MAINE.

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD ONE THOUSAND EIGHT HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-FIVE.

AN ACT to amend section 12 of chapter 135 of the Revised Statutes, relating to Solitary Confinement in the State Prison.

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

Chapter 135, section 12 of the Revised Statutes

- 2 is hereby amended by adding the words 'without
- 3 labor' between the words "confinement" and "in"
- 4 in the sixth line of said section, so that the whole
- 5 section shall read as follows:

'SECT. 12. When a person is convicted of a crime

- 7 punishable with death, and sentenced therefor,
- 8 the time for the execution of such sentence shall
- 9 be fixed by the court, which time shall not be less
- 10 than twelve nor more than fifteen months from the

- 11 day on which such sentence is passed, and the
- 12 convict shall at the same time be sentenced to
- 13 confinement without labor in the State Prison until
- 14 such punishment is inflicted.

STATE OF MAINE.

In House of Representatives, February 28, 1885.

Reported from Committee on Judiciary, by Mr. GOODNOW; ordered printed under joint rule.

NICHOLAS FESSENDEN, Clerk.