

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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Sixty-Ninth Legislature.

HOUSE.

No. 139.

STATE OF MAINE.

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD ONE THOUSAND EIGHT
HUNDRED AND NINETY-NINE.

AN ACT for the Detection of Criminals.

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

Section 1. The sum of twenty-five hundred dollars shall be
2 appropriated for each year, and so much thereof as may be
3 necessary expended, under the direction of the attorney general,
4 for the detection, arrest, apprehension and punishment of persons
5 who commit crime in this state.

Sect. 2. The attorney general may by himself or through the
2 several county attorneys or other officers of the state, employ
3 such detective or detectives or other persons, or use any other
4 means that he may deem advisable, to the end that persons com-
5 mitting crime may be arrested and punished.

STATE OF MAINE.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,

Augusta, February 20, 1899.

Reported by Mr. GUERNSEY of Dover, from Committee on Legal
Affairs, and ordered printed under joint rules.

W. S. COTTON, *Clerk.*