

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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NEW DRAFT.

Seventieth Legislature.

HOUSE.

No. 388

STATE OF MAINE.

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

AN ACT to amend section two of chapter ninety-one of the Revised Statutes, relating to fees of town and city clerks for recording mortgages.

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

Section 1. Section two of chapter ninety-one of the Revised Statutes is hereby amended by striking out the word "twenty-five" in the first line of said section and inserting in place thereof the word 'fifty'; and by adding to said section the words 'in all cases where books with printed forms are not furnished therefor, the clerk shall receive for receiving and recording any instrument by law entitled to record, in addition to the fees now provided by law, the sum of fifteen

9 cents for each hundred words or fraction thereof, in excess
10 of five hundred,' so that said section as amended, shall read
11 as follows:

'Sect. 2. The clerk on payment of fifty cents, shall record
13 all such mortgages delivered to him, in a book kept for that
14 purpose, noting therein, and on the mortgage, the time when
15 it was received; and it shall be considered as recorded when
16 received. In all cases where books with printed forms are
17 not furnished therefor, the clerk shall receive for receiving
18 and recording any instrument by law entitled to record, in
19 addition to the fees now provided by law, the sum of fifteen
20 cents for each hundred words or fraction thereof, in excess
21 of five hundred.

Provided, however, that where books with printed forms
23 are not furnished therefor, if the instrument to be recorded
24 does not exceed in length two hundred words, then the fee for
25 recording the same shall be twenty-five cents."

STATE OF MAINE.

IN HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,

AUGUSTA, March 13, 1901.

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

W. S. COTTON, *Clerk.*