

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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NEW DRAFT.

SEVENTY-THIRD LEGISLATURE

HOUSE.

No. 153

STATE OF MAINE.

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

AN ACT to amend Section 1 of Chapter 128 of the Revised
Statutes relating to domestic animals.

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

Section 1 of Chapter 128 of the Revised Statutes is hereby
2 amended by inserting after the word "thereby" in the third
3 line and before the word "shall" in the fourth line the
4 words, 'or steals or entices away or confines or harbors
5 such animal for the purpose of obtaining a reward or for
6 any other illegal purpose,' and by inserting after the words
7 "five hundred dollars" in the fifth line the words 'and not

8 less than twenty dollars,' so that said section as amended
9 shall read as follows:

'Section 1. Whoever wilfully or maliciously kills, wounds,
11 maims, disfigures or poisons any domestic animal or exposes
12 any poisonous substance with intent that the life of such
13 animal shall be destroyed thereby or steals or entices away
14 or confines or harbors such animal for the purpose of obtain-
15 ing a reward or for any other illegal purpose shall be pun-
16 ished by imprisonment for not more than four years or by
17 fine not exceeding five hundred dollars and not less than
18 twenty dollars.'

STATE OF MAINE.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,

Augusta, February 11, 1907.

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

E. M. THOMPSON, *Clerk.*