

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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SEVENTY-FIFTH LEGISLATURE

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HOUSE

NO. 127

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*House of Representatives February 8, 1911.*

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and ordered printed under joint rules.*

*C. C. HARVEY Clerk.*

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STATE OF MAINE

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

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AN ACT to amend Chapter two hundred forty-seven of the  
Public Laws of 1909, relating to the packing and branding of  
apples.

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*Be it enacted by the People of the State of Maine, as follows:*

Section 1. Section seven of Chapter two hundred and for-  
2 ty-seven of the Public Laws of nineteen hundred and nine is  
3 hereby amended by striking out the words "and fifty" in the  
4 twelfth line of said section, so that said section shall read as  
5 follows: .

'Sect. 7. The standard measure of capacity for all apple  
7 barrels shall be three bushels, the barrel shall be of no less  
8 dimensions than seventeen and one-eighth inches for the  
9 head diameter; length of stave twenty-eight and one-half

10 inches, with bilge circumference not less than sixty-four  
11 inches outside measurement, and shall be plainly marked  
12 "standard barrel." Barrels of less dimensions and capacity  
13 shall be plainly marked on end and side, "short barrel," with  
14 the figures indicating the fractional part of a "standard bar-  
15 rel" therein contained.

The standard bushel box shall be twenty inches by eleven  
17 by ten inches, inside measurement, or of such dimensions as  
18 shall contain two thousand two hundred cubic inches and  
19 marked "standard bushel box."

Any box of less dimensions than the above mentioned shall  
21 be plainly marked on the top and side "short box," and with  
22 the fractional part of a bushel therein contained.'