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SEVENTY-FIFTH LEGISLATURE

HOUSE

NO. 220

House of Representatives, Feb. 17, 1911.

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

C. C. HARVEY, Clerk.

STATE OF MAINE

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

AN ACT additional to Chapter seventeen of the Public Laws of nineteen hundred and five, as amended by Chapter eightynine of the Public Laws of nineteen hundred and seven, regulating the practices of veterinary surgery, medicine and dentistry.

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

Section 1. Section four of Chapter seventeen of the Pub-

- 2 lic Laws of nineteen hundred and five, as amended by Sec-
- 3 tion two of Chapter eighty-nine of the Public Laws of nine-
- 4 teen hundred and seven, is hereby amended by striking out
- 5 the first eight lines of said section and inserting the follow-
- 6 ing in place thereof: 'Any person who was engaged in the
- 7 practice of veterinary surgery, medicine or dentistry, or any

8 branch thereof in this state, on the twenty-second day of 9 February, nineteen hundred and five, may, on or before the 10 fifteenth day of September, nineteen hundred and eleven, 11 register his name and address with the State Board of Vet-12 erinary Examiners and give proof to said board that he was 13 so in practice on said twenty-second day of February, nine-14 teen hundred and five, and be entitled to all the rights and 15 privileges granted by said act as he would or might have 16 been if he had appeared before said board at the time stated 17 in Section four of the aforesaid act,' so that said section shall 18 read as follows:

'Sect. 4. Any person who was engaged in the practice of 20 veterinary surgery, medicine or dentistry, or any branch 21 thereof in this state, on the twenty-second day of Febru-22 ary, nineteen hundred and five, may, on or before the fif-23 teenth day of September, nineteen hundred and eleven, reg-24 ister his name and address with the State Board of Vet-25 erinary Examiners and give proof to said board that he was 26 so in practice on said twenty-second day of February, nine-27 teen hundred and five, and be entitled to all the rights and 28 privileges granted by said act as he would or might have 29 been if he had appeared before said board at the time stated 30 in Section four of the aforesaid act. Any person shall be 31 regarded as practicing veterinary surgery, medicine. or 32 dentistry, or any branch thereof, within the meaning of this 33 act, who has publicly professed to be a veterinary surgeon, 34 or has prescribed for sick or injured animals and accepted

35 fees for such services, or has attached to his name the title 36 V. S. or Veterinary Surgeon, or any veterinary title ordi-37 narily used. Nothing in this act shall be construed as pro-38 hibiting any person residing in the State of Maine not reg-39 istered from practicing veterinary surgery, medicine or 40 dentistry, or any branch thereof, and collecting reasonable 41 compensation for such service provided such person does not 42 attach to his name V. S. or Veterinary Surgeon, or any vet-43 erinary title ordinarily used or advertised by card, sign or 44 otherwise.