

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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SEVENTY-SIXTH LEGISLATURE

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HOUSE

NO. 2

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*House of Representatives, Jan. 9, 1913.*

*Tabled pending reference to a Committee, by Mr. Austin and  
ordered printed.*

*W. R. ROIX Clerk.*

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STATE OF MAINE

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

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AN ACT to amend Section nine of Chapter one hundred and  
ninety-five of the Public Laws of nine hundred and eleven;  
relative to Importation of Horses into the State of Maine.

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

Section nine of chapter one hundred and ninety-five is  
2 hereby amended by striking out the words in the second line  
3 "intended for sale" so that said section when amended shall  
4 read as follows:

'Sect. 9. Any person or persons bringing horses into the  
6 State of Maine, shall notify the live stock sanitary commis-  
7 sioner within forty-eight hours after their arrival, who shall  
8 at once cause the same to be tested with mallein for glanders  
9 at the expense of the owner, and if any are found diseased, no

10 compensation shall be allowed. Provided, however, if the  
11 purchaser so desires he can have them tested in the State  
12 where they are bought under the direction of the authority of  
13 that state. The test shall be forwarded to the live stock san-  
14 itary commissioner who may, if satisfied therewith, waive  
15 any further tests under the provisions hereof. Provided,  
16 further, that no appraised value shall exceed one hundred  
17 dollars, for any horse condemned. Whoever violates any of  
18 the provisions of this section shall be punished by a fine as  
19 provided in section sixteen.'