

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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SEVENTY-SIXTH LEGISLATURE

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HOUSE

NO. 239

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*House of Representatives, Feb. 14, 1913.*

*Tabled pending reference to a committee by Mr. Sanborn  
of South Portland, 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 three, chapter one hundred sixty-  
two of the Public Laws of 1905, entitled an act enlarging the  
duties and fixing the compensation of the attorney general.

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

Section 1. Section three, chapter one hundred sixty-two  
2 of the Public Laws of 1905 is hereby amended by adding  
3 thereto the following words: 'He may also institute and  
4 conduct prosecutions for all offenses against the provisions  
5 of chapters five and six of the Revised Statutes, and for  
6 that purpose attend and present evidence to grand juries  
7 and assist them in the examination of witnesses and draw-  
8 ing indictments,' so that said section as amended shall read  
9 as follows:

'Sect. 3. He shall consult with and advise the county at-  
11 torneys in matters relating to their duties; and if in his  
12 judgment the public interest so requires, he shall assist them  
13 by attending the grand jury in the examination of a case in  
14 which the accused is charged with treason or murder, and  
15 appear for the state in the trial of indictments for treason  
16 or murder. He may also institute and conduct prosecutions  
17 for all offenses against the provisions of chapters five and  
18 six of the Revised Statutes, and for that purpose attend  
19 and present evidence to grand juries and assist them in the  
20 examination of witnesses and drawing indictments.'