

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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SEVENTY-EIGHTH LEGISLATURE

SENATE

NO. 104

In Senate, Feb. 6, 1917.

*Referred to Committee on Mercantile Affairs and Insurance
and five hundred copies ordered printed. Sent down for con-
currence.*

L. Ernest Thornton, Secretary pro tem.

Presented by Mr. Holt of Cumberland.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD ONE THOUSAND NINE
HUNDRED AND SEVENTEEN

AN ACT to amend Section Ten of Chapter Fifty of the Re-
vised Statutes of 1916, Relating to Compensation for Per-
sonal Injuries to Employees.

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

Section ten of chapter fifty of the Revised Statutes, re-
lating to compensation for personal injuries to employees, is
hereby amended by striking out all of said section and by
substituting therefor the following section:

‘Sect. 10. Employers shall pay the reasonable expenses

2 of medical aid during first two weeks. During the first
3 two weeks after the injury the employee may obtain reason-
4 able medical and hospital services, and medicines when they
5 are needed, and a reasonable charge for such services and
6 medicines shall be paid by the employer, and the employer
7 and employee being unable to agree upon the same, the
8 amount to be allowed for such medical services or medicines
9 shall be fixed by the commission upon petition by either
10 party setting forth the facts.'