

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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EIGHTY-FIRST LEGISLATURE

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HOUSE

NO. 293

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House of Representatives, March 7, 1923.

Referred to Committee on Agriculture and 500 copies ordered printed. Sent up for concurrence.

CLYDE R. CHAPMAN, Clerk.

Presented by Mr. Reed of Harmony.

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STATE OF MAINE

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IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD ONE THOUSAND NINE HUNDRED AND TWENTY-THREE

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AN ACT to Amend Section Sixteen of Chapter Six of the Revised Statutes as Amended by Chapter Two Hundred Eighty-five, Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred and Seventeen, and by Chapter One Hundred Ninety-nine, Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred and Nineteen, Relating to Inventory of Exempt Live Stock and Fowl.

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

Section sixteen of chapter six of the revised statutes, as  
2 amended by chapter two hundred eighty-five of the public  
3 laws of nineteen hundred seventeen and by chapter one hun-  
4 dred ninety-nine of the public laws of nineteen hundred  
5 nineteen, is hereby further amended by adding thereto the

6 following: 'Provided, however, that all fowl in excess of  
7 twenty-five dollars in value owned by one person shall be  
8 subject to taxation,' so that said section as amended shall  
9 read as follows:

'Sect. 16. Assessors of taxes shall include in the inven-  
2 tory, required to be taken on April first, the number and  
3 value of all neat cattle, eighteen months old and under, all  
4 sheep to the number of thirty-five and swine to the number  
5 of ten, stated separately, and at every fifth year after nine-  
6 teen hundred and eighteen the number and value of each  
7 kind of domestic fowl. They shall make return thereof to  
8 the state assessors, who shall tabulate the returns and pub-  
9 lish them in detail. Said property shall not be included in  
10 the tax list. Provided, however, that all fowl in excess of  
11 twenty-five dollars in value owned by one person shall be  
12 subject to taxation.'