

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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EIGHTY-SECOND LEGISLATURE

H. P. No. 380

H. D. No. 77

House of Representatives, Feb. 5, 1925.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary and 1000 copies ordered printed. Sent up for concurrence.

CLYDE R. CHAPMAN, Clerk.

Presented by Mr. Piper of Jackman.

STATE OF MAINE
IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD ONE THOUSAND NINE
HUNDRED AND TWENTY-FIVE

AN ACT Requiring Physical Examination Before Issuance
of a Marriage License.

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

Section 1. No city, town or plantation clerk shall issue
2 a marriage license to any person unless a certificate be filed
3 with said clerk by each of the contracting parties from a
4 legally qualified physician showing that such persons have
5 no venereal diseases. Gonorrhoea and syphilis shall be des-
6 ignated as venereal diseases.

Sect. 2. Any city, town or plantation clerk who issues a
2 license to any person without such certificates from a legally
3 qualified physician or physicians shall be fined not less than
4 fifty dollars nor more than one hundred dollars for each
5 offense.