

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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S. P. 92

In Senate, Feb. 2, 1927.

Referred to Committee on Legal Affairs and 500 copies ordered printed. Sent down for concurrence.

ROYDEN V. BROWN, Secretary.

Presented by Senator Drake of Sagadahoc.

STATE OF MAINE

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

AN ACT Relative to the Sale of Spurious Oils.

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

It shall be unlawful for any person, firm or corporation
2 to fill with a spurious or substitute article any order for a
3 lubricating oil for an internal combustion engine, if such
4 oil ordered is designated by a trade mark or distinctive trade
5 name, unless and until it is explained to the person giving
6 the order that the article offered is not the article that he
7 has ordered, and the purchaser shall thereupon elect to take
8 the substitute article that is being offered to him. Any
9 person violating this section, and any person, firm or cor-
10 poration whose servant, agent or other employee violates
11 this section in the course of his employment shall be pun-

12 ished by imprisonment of not more than thirty days or by
13 fine not exceeding one hundred dollars. Nothing in this
14 section shall lessen, impeach, or avoid any remedy at law or
15 in equity which the party aggrieved might have had if this
16 section had not been enacted, and nothing herein contained
17 shall prevent or avoid or defeat any prosecution under any
18 other existing penal, trade mark or other statutes of this
19 state.