

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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EIGHTY - THIRD LEGISLATURE

Senate Document

No. 143

S. P. 366

In Senate, Feb. 25, 1927.

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

ROYDEN V. BROWN, Secretary.

Presented by Senator Foster of Kennebec.

STATE OF MAINE

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

AN ACT to Amend Section Five of Chapter One Hundred Eighty-eight of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Nineteen, Relating to the Regulation of the Practice of the System, Method or Science of Healing Known as Osteopathy.

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

Section five of chapter one hundred eighty-eight of the
2 public laws of nineteen hundred nineteen is hereby amended
3 by striking out after the first word "to" in the eighth line
4 thereof, the following words: "practice obstetrics nor to,"
5 so that said section, as amended, shall read as follows:

'Sect. 5. When the board shall have granted to a person
2 the certificate mentioned in section four hereof, such certifi-
3 cate shall designate the holder as an osteopathic physician,

4 and shall be publicly displayed at the person's principal
5 place of business as long as such person shall continue to
6 practice osteopathy for gain or hire. Such certificate shall
7 entitle the person to whom it is granted to practice oste-
8 opathy in any county in this state, in all its branches as
9 taught and practiced by the recognized schools and colleges
10 of osteopathy, but it shall not authorize its holder to admin-
11 ister drugs or perform surgical operations with the use of
12 instruments except as now allowed by statute. Any person
13 to whom a certificate has been granted under this act may
14 prefix the title "Doctor," or the letters "Dr." to his name,
15 when accompanied by the word "osteopath".'