

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

The following document is provided by the
LAW AND LEGISLATIVE DIGITAL LIBRARY
at the Maine State Law and Legislative Reference Library
<http://legislature.maine.gov/lawlib>



Reproduced from scanned originals with text recognition applied
(searchable text may contain some errors and/or omissions)

NEW DRAFT

EIGHTY-FOURTH LEGISLATURE

House Document

No. 394

H. P. 1201 House of Representatives, February 19, 1929.

Reported by Mr. Farris from Committee on Judiciary and laid on table to be printed under joint rules.

CLYDE R. CHAPMAN, Clerk.

STATE OF MAINE

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

AN ACT Relating to Rules of Construction; Signatures.

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

Paragraph XX of section six of chapter one of the revised
2 statutes is hereby amended by striking out all of the second
3 sentence of said paragraph and substituting in place thereof
4 the following: 'When the signature of a person is required,
5 he must write it or make his mark, but the signatures of
6 any officer or officers of a corporation upon a certificate of
7 shares in such corporation, when any such certificate is
8 signed by a transfer agent or transfer clerk and by a reg-
9 istrar, and upon the interest coupons annexed to a corporate
10 bond or other corporate obligation, may be facsimiles, en-

11 graved or printed,' so that said paragraph, as amended, shall
12 read as follows:

'XX. The words "in writing" and "written" include
2 printing and other modes of making legible words. When
3 the signature of a person is required, he must write it or
4 make his mark, but the signatures of any officer or officers
5 of a corporation upon a certificate of shares in such corpora-
6 tion, when any such certificate is signed by a transfer agent
7 or transfer clerk and by a registrar, and upon the interest
8 coupons annexed to a corporate bond or other corporate
9 obligation, may be facsimiles, engraved or printed.'