

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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NEW DRAFT

EIGHTY-FOURTH LEGISLATURE

Senate Document

No. 416

S. P. 779

In Senate, April 4, 1929.

Reported by Senator Murchie of Washington from Committee on Revision of Statutes and laid on table to be printed under joint rules.

ROYDEN V. BROWN, Secretary.

STATE OF MAINE

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

AN ACT Relative to Malicious Injuries to Certain Public
Property.

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

Section four of chapter one hundred twenty-nine of the
2 revised statutes as amended by chapter one hundred twenty-
3 eight of the public laws of nineteen hundred seventeen and
4 section ten of chapter one hundred twenty-nine of the re-
5 vised statutes as amended by section one hundred twenty-
6 seven of the public laws of nineteen hundred seventeen as
7 amended by chapter eighteen of the public laws of nineteen
8 hundred twenty-three are amended by striking out all of said

9 sections four and ten as amended and by substituting in
10 place thereof the following section bearing the number 'four.'

'Sect. 4. *Injuries to certain public property; penalty.*

2 Whoever wilfully or maliciously destroys, injures or removes
3 any public building, armory, breast work, trench, fortifica-
4 tion, wharf, pier or dock; or any property, pipe line, reser-
5 voir, structure, or apparatus used in supplying water to the
6 public or to any portion thereof; or any dam, reservoir,
7 fishway, fish screen, canal, trench or their appurtenances;
8 or the gear or machinery of a mill or manufactory; or draws
9 off the water from a mill pond, canal or trench; or destroys
10 or injures any engine or its apparatus for the extinguish-
11 ment of fire; or any posts, glass, caps, wires or other mate-
12 rial used in the construction and operation of a telegraph,
13 telephone, electric light or electric power line; or removes,
14 injures or destroys any public or toll bridge, or places any
15 obstruction on such bridge or on any public road with intent
16 to injure persons or property passing thereon; shall be pun-
17 ished by a fine of not more than one thousand dollars or
18 by imprisonment for not more than three years.'