

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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EIGHTY-FIFTH LEGISLATURE

Legislative Document

No. 117

H. P. 207

House of Representatives, Jan. 27, 1931.

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

CLYDE R. CHAPMAN, Clerk.

Presented by Mr. MacPherson of Easton.

STATE OF MAINE

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

AN ACT Prohibiting Unattended Live Stock being Allowed on
the Highways.

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

Unattended live stock not allowed on highway. Chapter one hundred forty of the revised statutes is hereby amended by adding a new section, to be numbered section thirty-one, to read as follows:

'Sect. 31. Unattended live stock not allowed on highway; penalty. No person owning or controlling the possession of any live stock shall voluntarily or negligently permit any such live stock to stray upon or remain unaccompanied by a person in charge or control thereof upon a public highway, either side of which is adjoined by property which is separated from such highway by a fence, wall, hedge, sidewalk, curb, lawn or building, nor permit the tether or any portion thereof to which such animal may be attached, to lie across or upon any public highway. No person shall feed, pasture, camp or drive any such live stock upon, over or across any public highway between the hours of sunset and sunrise without keeping a sufficient number of herders on continual duty to open the road so as to permit the passage of vehicles. Whoever violates the provisions of this section shall be punished by a fine of not more than fifty dollars.'