

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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EIGHTY-FIFTH LEGISLATURE

Legislative Document

No. 663

H. P. 1089 House of Representatives, Feb. 18, 1931.

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

CLYDE R. CHAPMAN, Clerk.

Presented by Mr. Bussey of Dixmont.

STATE OF MAINE

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

AN ACT Relating to County Commissioners.

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

Term of county commissioners in Penobscot limited. Section two of chapter ninety-two of the revised statutes is hereby amended by adding at the end of said section the following words: 'no person shall serve as a county commissioner for a period longer than six years in Penobscot county,' so that said section as amended shall read as follows:

'Sec. 2. Vacancies at expiration of term. Vacancies to occur by expiration of the term of office at the end of any year in which a biennial election is held, shall be filled by election on the second Monday of September, in such year. If but one is elected, he shall hold the office for six years; if two, the one having the highest number of votes shall hold for six years, and the next highest for four years; if three, two shall hold as last provided, and the other for two years. If two have an equal number of votes, the governor, with the advice and consent of the council, shall designate who shall hold for the longer and who for the shorter term. No person shall serve as a county commissioner for a period longer than six years in Penobscot county.'