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H. P. 1021

House of Representatives, Feb. 7, 1933.

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

HARVEY R. PEASE, Clerk.

Presented by Mr. Osgood of Fryeburg.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED THIRTY-
THREE

AN ACT Relating to Grades and Standards for Farm Products.

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

R. S. c. 41, § 49, amended. Section 49 of chapter 41 of the revised statutes is hereby amended to read as follows :

'Sec. 49. Commissioner of agriculture may establish grades for farm products. The commissioner of agriculture may establish and promulgate official grades and standards for farm products excepting ~~dairy products~~ ~~and~~ apples produced within the state for the purposes of sale, and may from time to time amend or modify such grades and standards. Before establishing, amending, or modifying any such grades or standards the said commissioner shall hold public hearing in such places within the state as shall be most convenient to producers of the commodity under consideration. Notice of such hearings shall be advertised for 3 successive weeks prior thereto, in a newspaper or newspapers of general circulation within the county where the hearing is to be held, and shall specify the date and place of each hearing and that it is to be held for the purpose of obtaining information with a view to establishing grades or standards for farm products.'