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Legislative Document

No. 280

H. P. 827 House of Representatives, Jan. 31, 1935.
Referred to Committee on Indian Affairs and 500 copies ordered printed.
Sent up for concurrence.

HARVEY R. PEASE, Clerk.

Presented by Mr. Clarke of Cooper.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED THIRTY-FIVE

AN ACT Relating to Indians.

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

P. L., 1933, c. 1, additional. Chapter 1 of the public laws of 1933 is hereby amended by adding thereto a new section to be numbered section 294-A and to read as follows:

'Sec. 294-A. Governor of tribe to issue certificates of memberships to members; penalty for posing as Indian. The governor of each of said tribes shall issue to each member thereof a certificate stating that its bearer is a member of said tribe.

Whoever, not a member Indian of either of said tribes, represents himself to be such Indian, shall be punished by a fine of not more than \$50.'