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NEW DRAFT

EIGHTY - SEVENTH LEGISLATURE

Legislative Document

No. 720

S. P. 554

In Senate, March 8, 1935.

Reported by Senator Pillsbury of Kennebec from Committee on Agriculture and laid on table to be printed under Joint Rules.

ROYDEN V. BROWN, Secretary.

NEW DRAFT OF S. P. 178, L. D. 135

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED
THIRTY-FIVE

AN ACT Relating to the Transportation of Poultry.

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

Transportation of poultry, regulated. Chapter 39 of the revised statutes is hereby amended by repealing section 10-C thereof, and enacting the following sections to be numbered 10-C and 10-D, respectively:

'Sec. 10-C. Bill of lading, etc., to accompany poultry transported by common carriers. All live and dressed poultry, transported by common carriers that are exempt from being licensed under section 10-B, must be accompanied by a bill of lading, signed statement by the consignor, or bill of sale giving the name and address of the consignor and name of consignee and place of delivery. A copy of such bill of lading, statement, or bill of sale must be kept on file by the common carrier for a period of 6 months. The consignor must be known by the agent or representative of the common carrier or be properly identified before the consignment of poultry is received by him.'

'Sec. 10-D. Penalties. Whoever violates any of the provisions of section 10-A shall be punished by a fine of not more than \$100 for each

offense. Whoever violates any of the provisions of section 10-B or 10-C shall be punished by a fine of not more than \$100 for the first offense; and shall, for the second and subsequent offenses, be punished by a fine of not less than \$100, nor more than \$500, or by imprisonment for not less than 30 days nor more than 6 months, or by both such fine and imprisonment.'