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Legislative Document

No. 126

S. P. 114

In Senate, January 27, 1937.

Referred to Committee on Legal Affairs. Sent down for concurrence and 500 copies ordered printed.

ROYDEN V. BROWN, Secretary.

Presented by Senator Lewis of Lincoln by request.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED
THIRTY-SEVEN

AN ACT Relating to Entertainments Held on Sunday.

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

Sunday entertainments, regulated. The mayor of a city or the selectmen of a town may, upon written application describing the proposed entertainment, grant, upon such terms or conditions as they may prescribe, a license to hold on the Lord's day a public entertainment, in keeping with the character of the day and not inconsistent with its due observance, to which admission is to be obtained upon payment of money or other valuable consideration; provided, that no such license shall be granted to have effect before 1 o'clock in the afternoon, nor shall it have effect unless the proposed entertainment shall, upon application accompanied by a fee of \$2, have been approved in writing by the commissioner of education as being in keeping with the character of the day and not inconsistent with its due observance. Any such license may, after notice and a hearing given by the mayor or selectmen issuing the same, or by said commissioner, be suspended, revoked or annulled by the officer or board giving the hearing.