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HARVEY R. PEASE, Clerk.

Presented by Mr. Pike of Bridgton.

S T A T E O F M A I N E

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED
THIRTY-NINE

AN ACT Relating to Copies of Records.

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

P. L., 1933, c. 1, § 78, amended. Section 78 of chapter 1 of the public laws of 1933 is hereby amended to read as follows:

‘Sec. 78. Clerk’s record or certified copy, prima facie evidence. The city and town clerks shall upon request, supply to any applicant a certified copy of the record of any birth, marriage, or death registered under the provisions of this chapter, upon the payment of a fee of 50c, to be paid by the applicant in advance. For any search of the files and records, where no certified copy is made, the fee shall be 50c for each hour or fractional part of the hour for time of search, said fee to be paid by the applicant in advance. The town clerk’s record of any birth, marriage, or death, or a duly certified copy thereof, shall be prima facie evidence of such birth, marriage, or death, in any judicial proceeding.’