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### NINETY-FIRST LEGISLATURE

## Legislative Document

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In Senate, February 10, 1943.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary. Sent down for concurrence and ordered printed.

ROYDEN V. BROWN, Secretary.

Presented by Senator Sanborn of Cumberland.

#### STATE OF MAINE

## IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED FORTY-THREE

#### AN ACT Relating to Search Warrants.

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

R. S., c. 144, § 14, amended. Section 14 of chapter 144 of the revised statutes is hereby amended to read as follows:

'Sec. 14. Warrants for search, in what cases may be issued. A magistrate may issue warrants to search, within the limits of his jurisdiction, any house or place suspected of harboring persons of immoral repute, or any house or place for property stolen, embezzled, or obtained by false tokens or pretenses; for forged or counterfeit coins, bank-bills, or other writings; for tools, machines, or materials, used or designed for making the same; or for a dead body unlawfully disinterred, carried away and concealed; and in other cases when such a warrant is authorized by law. Such warrants can be issued only according to the following provisions.'