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House of Representatives, January 11, 1945.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary, sent up for concurrence and ordered printed.

HARVEY R. PEASE, Clerk

Presented by Mr. Welch of Mars Hill.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED
FORTY-FIVE

AN ACT Providing for the Printing and Distribution of Laws.

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

R. S., c. 38, amended. Chapter 38 of the revised statutes is hereby amended by adding thereto 4 new sections to be numbered 18-A, 18-B, 18-C and 18-D, and to read as follows:

'Sec. 18-A. Printing of laws. When the revisor of statutes shall have prepared material for a revision of the statutes, or for a volume containing the laws passed at a session of the legislature with accompanying material, he shall deliver the same prepared for printing to the state purchasing agent who shall contract for the printing, binding and delivery to the state of a sufficient number of volumes to meet the needs of the state and for sale as hereinafter provided.'

'Sec. 18-B. Distribution and sale. All printed copies of such revised statutes and session laws shall be delivered by the printer to the state librarian for distribution, in accordance with the provisions of section 19; and for sale as hereinbefore provided.'

'Sec. 18-C. Price. The state librarian, subject to the approval of the governor and council, shall fix the price at which such printed volumes

may be sold at wholesale, and shall thereafter make sales to bookstores at the price so fixed.'

'Sec. 18-D. Disposition of proceeds. All proceeds from such sales shall be deposited to the credit of the general fund of the state.'