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HARVEY R. PEASE, Clerk.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED
FORTY-FIVE

AN ACT Relating to Keeping Certain Animals Confined.

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

R. S., c. 127, § 2-B, additional. Chapter 127 of the revised statutes is hereby amended by adding thereto a new section to be numbered 2-B, to read as follows:

'Sec. 2-B. Certain animals to be confined; penalty. Owners and keepers of sheep, swine, horses, mules, goats, cattle, or poultry shall adequately enclose and confine such animals so as to prevent them from running at large outside of such enclosure.

If any damage is caused by reason of such animals running at large, the owners or keepers shall be punished by a fine of not more than \$100, or by imprisonment for not more than 90 days, or by both such fine and imprisonment.'