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Legislative Document

No. 64

S. P. 70

In Senate, January 16, 1947.

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

CHESTER T. WINSLOW, Secretary.

Presented by Senator Dunbar of Washington.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED
FORTY-SEVEN

AN ACT Relating to Jurisdiction of Supreme Judicial Court.

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

R. S., c. 94, § 5, amended. Section 5 of chapter 94 of the revised statutes is hereby amended to read as follows :

'Sec. 5. Jurisdiction; powers. The superior court, **exclusive of the supreme judicial court**, shall have and exercise jurisdiction and have and exercise all of the powers, duties, and authority necessary for exercising the jurisdiction in any and all matters either original or appellate which were, prior to January 1st, 1930, within the jurisdiction of the supreme judicial court or any of the superior courts except as concurrent jurisdiction is vested in the several municipal courts and except as otherwise provided by law, provided that it shall have and exercise none of the jurisdiction, power, duties, and authority of the supreme judicial court sitting as a law court.'