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Legislative Document

No. 237

S. P. 111

In Senate, January 28, 1947.

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

CHESTER T. WINSLOW, Secretary.

Presented by Senator Crosby of Franklin.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED
FORTY-SEVEN

**AN ACT Relating to Licensing of Cinematograph or Other Similar
Apparatus.**

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

R. S., c. 88, § 66, amended. Section 66 of chapter 88 of the revised statutes is hereby amended to read as follows:

'Sec. 66. Application for license, enclosure and machine to be inspected; inspection fee; license fee. Whoever desires to keep, exhibit or use any cinematograph or similar apparatus in any place or building described in section 65 shall make application to the insurance commissioner for a license to keep, exhibit, or use such cinematograph or similar apparatus, and upon receipt of said application the insurance commissioner shall inspect or cause to be inspected the enclosure or housing provided for such cinematograph or similar apparatus and shall also inspect ~~or cause to be inspected any such cinematograph or similar apparatus, and shall also inspect~~ the entrances, exits and fire escapes. If, as a result of such inspection, he is convinced that the specifications hereinafter provided are fully complied with, and such cinematograph or similar apparatus is found to be in a safe and suitable condition to be stored, exhibited, or used, and that the entrances, exits, ~~and~~ fire escapes **and structural condition** of such public buildings, place of public assemblage, or place or building, are in ac-

cordance with law, he may issue a license to the person desiring to keep, use or exhibit such cinematograph or similar apparatus, which license shall state the name of the makers, trade name and number and the serial number of such cinematograph and the place in which it is to be kept, used or exhibited. **A fee for such inspection not exceeding \$10 shall be fixed by the insurance commissioner.** A fee for such license not exceeding \$10 shall be fixed by the insurance commissioner. No license shall be granted under the provisions of this section for any cinematograph or similar apparatus operated by oxyhydrogen gas so called, or by lime light.'