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House of Representatives, Feb. 12, 1947.

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

HARVEY R. PEASE, Clerk.

Presented by Mr. Rankin of Bridgton.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED
FORTY-SEVEN

AN ACT to Amend the Library Law.

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

Sec. 1. R. S., c. 38, § 1. The last sentence of chapter 38 of the revised statutes is hereby repealed, and the following enacted in place thereof:

'The librarian may employ, subject to the provisions of the personnel law, a deputy state librarian, and such assistants as the business of the office may require.'

Sec. 2. R. S., c. 38, § 11. The last sentence of section 11 of chapter 38 of the revised statutes is hereby repealed, and the following enacted in place thereof:

'It shall perform such other library service as it may consider for the best interests of the citizens of the state.'

Sec. 3. R. S., c. 38, § 19. The first sentence of section 19 of chapter 38 of the revised statutes is hereby amended to read as follows:

'All future compilations or revisions of the statutes and the laws passed by each legislature, which are printed and bound by the state, shall be distributed by the librarian of the Maine state library as follows: copies

shall be sent to each free public library, county law library, college library, and municipality, unless a library or municipality states in writing to the librarian that it does not wish to receive the same; copies shall also be sent to the Library of Congress, **and, on an exchange basis**, to each state or territorial library in the United States, and to the Supreme Court Library of Canada; 1 copy shall be sent to each county attorney, clerk of courts, county commissioners' court, sheriff, county treasurer, register of deeds, register of probate, judge of probate, judge of the supreme judicial court, judge of the superior court, ex-judge of the supreme judicial court or superior court, municipal court, **trial justice**, ex-governor, councilor, senator and representative from Maine in the congress of the United States; 1 copy shall be sent to the governor of the state, the reporter of decisions, judge of the United States District Court for Maine, United States District Attorney for Maine, clerk of the United States District Court for Maine, judge of the United States Circuit Court of Appeals for this state, Maine Historical Society, and Maine State Bar Association.'