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S. P. 386

In Senate, February 25, 1953.

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

CHESTER T. WINSLOW, Secretary.

Presented by Senator Dow of Lincoln.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED
FIFTY-THREE

AN ACT Prohibiting Moving of Poultry from Quarantined Areas.

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

R. S., c. 27, § 71, amended. Section 71 of chapter 27 of the revised statutes is hereby amended to read as follows:

'Sec. 71. Livestock and poultry moved to and from quarantined areas; animals and poultry tested. The commissioner or his agent in charge of livestock sanitary work is empowered to prohibit the movement of cattle **livestock or poultry** of every description into or from any area where bovine tuberculosis or other contagious disease is known to exist and where the commissioner or his agent has assumed charge of such disease eradication. If any animals **or poultry** are brought into any such area in violation of this regulation, the commissioner or his agent shall be further empowered to quarantine such animals **or poultry** until they shall be tested by an accredited veterinarian at the expense of the owner. The owner or his agent shall so secure animals **or poultry** to be tested as to make it possible for the inspector of the department, or the agent in charge of livestock sanitary work, to apply in an expeditious manner the test that is deemed necessary.'