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Legislative Document

No. 36

S. P. 34

In Senate, January 15, 1957

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

CHESTER T. WINSLOW, Secretary

Presented by Senator Woodcock of Penobscot.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED
FIFTY-SEVEN

AN ACT Regulating the Abandonment of Wells.

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

R. S., c. 137, § 32-B, additional. Chapter 137 of the Revised Statutes is hereby amended by adding thereto a new section to be numbered 32-B, to read as follows:

'Abandonment of Wells.

Sec. 32-B. Abandonment of wells. Any person, firm or corporation causing or permitting an abandoned well or verticle shaft to be in an unfilled or uncovered condition, in a public or private place, or whoever being the owner, lessee or manager of such an abandoned well or verticle shaft, causes or permits the same to be in an unfilled or uncovered condition, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction of a violation thereof shall be punished by a fine of not more than \$50 or by imprisonment for not more than 30 days, or by both.'