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Sec. 2. Penalty for violation. Whoever violates any provision of this act shall be subject to a fine of not less than ten dollars nor more than thirty dollars and costs for each offense.

Approved April 9, 1921.

Chapter 199.

An Act to Apportion Representatives to Congress.

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

Sec. 1. Congressional districts. Representatives to congress on and after the fourth day of March, nineteen hundred and twenty-three, shall be apportioned as follows: The counties of York and Cumberland shall compose the first district and be entitled to one representative. The counties of Androscoggin, Oxford, Franklin, Sagadahoc, Lincoln and Knox shall compose the second district and be entitled to one representative. The counties of Kennebec, Somerset, Waldo, Hancock and Washington shall compose the third district and be entitled to one representative. The counties of Aroostook, Penobscot and Piscataquis shall compose the fourth district and be entitled to one representative.

Sec. 2. Time of election of representatives to congress. The election of representatives to congress shall take place and be on the second Monday of September, nineteen hundred and twenty-two, and thereafter biennially.

Sec. 3. Representatives to be residents of district; apportionment to continue until after the 15th census has been completed. The representatives chosen in the several districts shall at the time of their election be residents therein. The foregoing division of the state into representative districts shall be and continue in force until an apportionment shall be made for representatives to congress after taking the fifteenth census.

Sec. 4. Date when effective. This act shall take effect on the first day of January, nineteen hundred and twenty-two, provided that prior thereto congress shall have apportioned to the state the number of representatives to congress under the fourteenth census, consistent with the provisions hereof; otherwise it shall take effect and be in force from and after the day when the secretary of state shall receive official notice of the number of representatives so apportioned, and thereupon the governor shall make proclamation of the fact.

Approved April 9, 1921.