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The Editors

Last spring, the Editors decided that the Spring 2022 volume of the Maine Law Review should focus on law reform. More specifically, we decided to solicit and publish pieces that expose some of the ways our legal system perpetuates systemic racism, discrimination, and inequality. The Essays, Articles, and Notes in this issue cover an array of topics in this area, all of which are pertinent to Maine and the broader national conversation. We are extremely grateful to the Authors for their invaluable contributions. Ultimately, we hope that the ideas that they have presented in this issue will spark conversation in Maine's legal community and create a foundation for continued discussion and action to create a more honest and just legal system.

