

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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HARVEY R. PEASE, Clerk

Presented by Mr. Knight of Rockland.

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STATE OF MAINE

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IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED  
SIXTY-ONE

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**AN ACT Relating to Examination of Alleged Insane Criminals before  
Municipal Courts.**

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

**R. S., c. 146, § 3-A, additional.** Chapter 146 of the Revised Statutes is amended by adding a new section 3-A, to read as follows:

**'Sec. 3-A. Examination of alleged insane criminals. A municipal court judge may, on his own motion or on motion of the county attorney that a person accused of an offense is insane, order such person examined by a reputable physician or the superintendent of either of the state hospitals for the mentally ill to determine the truth or falsity of the alleged insanity.'**