

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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NEW DRAFT.

SEVENTY-THIRD LEGISLATURE

HOUSE.

No. 214

STATE OF MAINE.

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD ONE THOUSAND NINE
HUNDRED AND SEVEN.

AN ACT to amend Chapter 143 of the Revised Statutes
relating to the State School for Boys.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in
Legislature assembled, as follows:*

Section. 1. Section three of chapter one hundred forty-
2 three of the Revised Statutes is hereby amended by striking
3 out all of said section after the word "week" in the ninth
4 line, and inserting in place thereof the words "shall be paid
5 by the state," so that said section as amended shall read as
6 follows:

'Sect. 3. When a boy is committed to the state school
8 for boys, under the provisions of the preceding section, for
9 larceny of property not exceeding one dollar in value; or

10 for assault and battery, malicious mischief, malicious tres-
11 pass, desecration of the Lord's Day, riotous conduct, distur-
12 bance of the peace, embezzlement, cheating by false pre-
13 tenses, vagrancy or truancy; or for being a common runa-
14 way, drunkard or pilferer; or for any offense punishable in
15 any house of correction, the expenses of conveying such boy
16 to said school, and his subsistence and clothing during the
17 time he remains there, not exceeding one dollar a week, shall
18 be paid by the state.'

Sect. 2. Section four of chapter one hundred forty-three
2 of the Revised Statutes is hereby amended by striking out
3 all of said section after the word "expire" in the ninth line,
4 so that said section as amended shall read as follows:

'Sect. 4. When any boy is ordered to be committed to
6 the state school for boys, the court or trial justice by whom
7 such commitment is ordered shall certify in the mittimus the
8 city or town in which such boy resides at the time of his
9 commitment, the age of the boy, and the day on which his
10 term of minority will expire. The finding of the court or
11 justice regarding the age and residence of the boy shall be
12 deemed a decision of a question of fact, and his certificate
13 thereof shall be conclusive evidence of the age and residence
14 of the boy and of the day on which his term of minority
15 will expire.'

Sect. 3. Section five of chapter one hundred forty-three
2 of the Revised Statutes is hereby repealed.

Sect. 4. This act shall take effect when approved.



STATE OF MAINE.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,

Augusta, February 20, 1907.

Reported by Mr. DUNTON from Committee on Legal Affairs, and
ordered printed under joint rules.

E. M. THOMPSON, *Clerk.*