
FORTY-SEVENTH LEGISLATURE.

HOUSE.

No. 41.

STATE OF MAINE.

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD ONE THOUSAND EIGHT HUNDRED AND SIXTY-EIGHT.

AN ACT to repeal the twenty-second section of chapter twenty-four of the revised statutes.

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

SECTION 1. Section twenty-two of chapter twenty-four of the revised statutes is hereby repealed, and the following section is hereby substituted :

4 “ *Section 22.* Persons living in places not incorporated and needing relief are under the care of the overseers of the oldest incorporated adjoining town, who shall furnish relief to such persons in the same manner as though they were found in such town ; and such overseers may bind to service the children of such persons as they may those of paupers of their own town,

11 and may bind out persons described in section twenty
12 in the manner therein provided, residing in such unin-
13 corporated place as if in their own town, such person
14 being entitled to a like remedy and relief. When re-
15 lief is provided for paupers residing in such places, the
16 towns furnishing it are entitled to the same remedies
17 against the towns where they have a settlement as if
18 such persons resided in the town where the relief is
19 afforded ; and if such paupers have no legal settlement
20 in any town in this state, then the state shall reim-
21 burse to the town affording relief the amount paid out
22 and expended.”

SECT. 2. This act shall take effect when approved.

STATE OF MAINE.

IN HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
February 1, 1868. }

Reported from the Committee on the Judiciary, by Mr. HALE
of Ellsworth.

S. J. CHADBOURNE, *Clerk.*