

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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# FORTY-EIGHTH LEGISLATURE.

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HOUSE.

No. 48.

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## STATE OF MAINE.

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

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AN ACT to amend section thirteen of chapter one hundred and forty-three of the revised statutes.

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

SECTION 1. Section thirteen of chapter one hundred and forty-three of the revised statutes is hereby amended in the sixth line thereof, by adding after the words "one dollar" the words "and fifty cents," so that said section, as amended, shall read as follows :

The officers ordering the commitment of a person unable to pay for his support, may certify in writing to the superintendent that fact, and that he has no relatives liable, and of sufficient ability to pay for it ; and if the superintendent is satisfied that such certificate is true, the treasurer of the hospital may charge

12 to the state one dollar and fifty cents per week for his  
13 board, and deduct it from the charge made to the  
14 patient or town for his support.

SECT. 2. This act shall take effect when approved  
2 by the governor.

STATE OF MAINE.

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IN HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }  
February 17, 1869. }

Reported from the Committee on Insane Hospital by Mr.  
BRICKETT, and printed under the Joint Rule.

S. J. CHADBOURNE, *Clerk.*