

## Fifty-Seventh Legislature.

HOUSE.

No. 33.

## STATE OF MAINE.

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

AN ACT to amend section twelve of chapter one hundred and thirty-three of the public laws of eighteen hundred and seventy-three, relating to the jail system of the state.

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

Section twelve of chapter one hundred and thirty-2 three of the public laws of eighteen hundred and 3 seventy-three, is hereby amended, so as to read as 4 follows:

5 Sect. 12. The keeper of the jail in the several 6 counties, shall keep a record of the conduct of each 7 convict, and for every month it appears by such record 8 that such convict has faithfully observed all the rules

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9 and requirements of the prison, such convict shall be 10 entitled to a deduction from his sentence according to 11 and not exceeding the following rate and proportion: 12 For a convict under sentence for six months and less 13 than one year, two days for each month of good con-14 duct; for one year and over, three days per month; 15 and for every day any convict shall be punished for 16 disobedience of the rules of said jail, a record thereof 17 shall be made, and two days deducted therefor from 18 any commutations to which he may be entitled.

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IN HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, January 24, 1878.

Reported from the Committee on Legal Affairs, by Mr. BRIGGS of Auburn, and ordered printed under the Joint Rule.

ORAMANDAL SMITH, Clerk.