

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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SIXTIETH LEGISLATURE.

HOUSE.

No. 145.

STATE OF MAINE.

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

AN ACT relating to the reform school.

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

SECTION 1. The trustees of the state reform
2 school, are hereby authorized to commit on proba-
3 tion and on such terms as they may deem expe-
4 dient, to any suitable inhabitant of this state, any
5 boy in their charge, for a term of time within the
6 period of his sentence; such probation to be con-
7 ditioned on his good behavior and obedience to the
8 laws of this state. Such boy shall during the term
9 for which he was originally sentenced to the
10 reform school, be also subject to the care and con-
11 trol of the trustees, and on their being satisfied at
12 any time that the welfare of the boy will be pro-
13 moted by his return to the school, they may order

14 his return, and may enforce such order by applica-
15 tion to any trial justice, or judge of any police or
16 municipal court, for a warrant for this purpose,
17 which may be served by any officer authorized to
18 serve criminal process. On his recommitment to
19 the school, such boy shall there be held and de-
20 tained under and by force of the original mitimus.

SECT. 2. Section nine, of chapter one hundred
2 and forty-two, of the revised statutes, is hereby
3 amended by striking therefrom in the second line,
4 the words "and not less than one year."

STATE OF MAINE.

In HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
March 4, 1881. }

Reported by Mr. STROUT, from Committee on Judiciary,
and ordered printed under Joint Rule.

ORAMANDAL SMITH, *Clerk.*