

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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SIXTY-FIRST LEGISLATURE.

HOUSE.

No. 118.

STATE OF MAINE.

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

AN ACT relating to Immigration.

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

Whenever the governor of the state shall have
2 knowledge that, under the provisions of an act of
3 Congress approved August three, eighteen hun-
4 dred and eighty-two, officers are necessary in any
5 town or city to take charge of the local affairs of
6 immigration in the ports of this state and to pro-
7 vide for the support and relief of immigrants who
8 shall fall into distress, he shall designate for such
9 duty the board of overseers of the poor and their
10 successors in such town or city, or any member or
11 members of such board.

STATE OF MAINE.

IN HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }
February 22, 1883. }

Reported from the Committee on the Judiciary, by Mr. HALE of
Portland, and ordered printed under the Joint Rule.

F. L. PATTEN, *Clerk pro tem.*