

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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EIGHTY-SECOND LEGISLATURE

S. P. No. 91

S. D. No. 42

In Senate, Feb. 4, 1925.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary and 500 copies ordered printed. Sent down for concurrence.

ROYDEN V. BROWN, Secretary.

Presented by Senator Hinckley of Cumberland.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD ONE THOUSAND NINE
HUNDRED AND TWENTY-FIVE

AN ACT to Amend Sections Forty-five and Forty-six of Chapter One Hundred Forty-two of the Revised Statutes, Relating to Corrections and Charities.

Be it enacted by the People of the State of Maine, as follows:

Section 1. That section forty-five of chapter one hundred 2 and forty-two of the revised statutes be amended by insert- 3 ing after the word "thereto" in the third line of said section 4 the words 'and the state reformatory for men,' so that said 5 section as amended shall read as follows:

'Application of sections 41-44. The four preceding sec- 2 tions apply to convicts and officers in the county jails hav- 3 ing workshops attached thereto, and the state reformatory

4 for men, and in any county farm that may be established
5 for the reformation of inebriates.'

Sect. 2. That section forty-six of chapter one hundred
2 and forty-two of the revised statutes is hereby amended
3 by inserting after the word "prison" in the second line of
4 said section the words 'or state reformatory for men' and
5 by inserting after the word "warden" in the second line of
6 said section the words 'or superintendent,' so that said sec-
7 tion as amended shall read as follows:

'Measures to retake convicts, escaping; aiding convicts to
2 escape, how to be punished. When a convict escapes from
3 the state prison or state reformatory for men the warden
4 or superintendent shall take all proper measures for his
5 apprehension; and may in behalf of the state offer a reward
6 not exceeding fifty dollars for his apprehension and deliv-
7 ery. Whoever, not standing in the relation of husband or
8 wife, parent or child, to the principal offender, conceals,
9 harbors or in any way aids any convict escaping from the
10 state prison, knowing him to be such; or furnishes such
11 convict with food, clothing, weapon, matches or other
12 article, or information that would aid him to escape recap-
13 ture, shall be punished by imprisonment in the state prison
14 for a term not exceeding the whole time for which the con-
15 vict was sentenced, or by fine not exceeding five hundred
16 dollars.'