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H. P. 245

House of Representatives, January 19, 1939.

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

HARVEY R. PEASE, Clerk.

Presented by Mr. Payson of Portland.

S T A T E O F M A I N E

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED
THIRTY-NINE

**AN ACT Relating to Removal of Paupers from Towns wherein They Have
No Settlement.**

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

R. S., c. 33, § 31, amended. Section 31 of chapter 33 of the revised statutes is hereby amended to read as follows:

'Sec. 31. Overseers' notice and request to town liable; relief may be refused in certain cases. Overseers shall send a written notice, signed by one or more of them, stating the facts respecting a person chargeable in their town, to the overseers of the town where his settlement is alleged to be, requesting them to remove him, which they may do by a written order directed to a person named therein, who is authorized to execute it. **If such pauper, so ordered to be removed, shall refuse to obey such order and to return to the town of his settlement, then the overseers of the town wherein said pauper is found may refuse to furnish him relief.'**